



SAINT AUGUSTINE CHURCH AND CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

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"SEEK THE LORD WHILE HE MAY BE FOUND, CALL HIM
WHILE HE IS NEAR."

"BUSQUEN AL SEÑOR MIENTRAS LO PUEDEN ENCON-
TRAR, INVÓQUENLO MIENTRAS ESTÁ CERCA."

- ISAIAH 55:6 -



September 24, 2023 | 24 de Septiembre de 2023

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time | XXV Domingo Ordinario | Year A

Photo from the Hurley chapel.



PARISH INFO

MASS TIMES

Saturday	5:30 p.m. Vigil
Sunday	9 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. (Spanish) 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
Mon.-Fri.	12:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

Mon.-Fri.	4:30 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.
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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mon.-Fri.	4:30 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.
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OFFICE HOURS

Mon./Wed.	9:30 a.m. - 4:30
Fri.	p.m.
Thurs	3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Reception	9:00 a.m. -
Desk Hours	5:00 p.m.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

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FROM GCADP
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RELIGIOUS ED REGISTRATION

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES

Date	Intentions	Reading
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 1:30 p.m. <i>Numa Rincón by Amparo Neely</i> 5:30 p.m. <i>+Leonardo Gomez by Angela Fernando</i> 7:30 p.m. <i>For the Parish</i>	Is 55:6-9 Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18 Phil 1:20-24, 27 Mt 20:1-16
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 Monday of the Twenty-fifth Week in Ordinary Time	12 p.m. <i>+Ann Pinto by L. Savio Pinto</i> 5:30 p.m. <i>+Louis Anthony Pinto by L. Savio Pinto</i>	Ezr 1:1-6 Ps 126:1-6 Lk 8:16-18
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 Tuesday of the Twenty-fifth Week in Ordinary Time	12 p.m. 5:30 p.m. <i>Mission 10,000</i>	Ezr 6:7-8, 12, 14-20 Ps 122:1-5 Lk 8:19-21
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 Memorial of Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest	12 p.m. <i>+Jacinta Paula de Alvarado by Dr. José Silva</i> 5:30 p.m.	Ezr 9:5-9 Tobit 13:2-4, 7-8 Lk 9:1-6
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 Thursday of the Twenty-fifth Week in Ordinary Time	12 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	Hg 1:1-8 Ps 149:1-6, 9 Lk 9:7-9
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 Feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, Archangels	12 p.m. 5:30 p.m. <i>St. Augustine parish and CSC, friends, alumni, and benefactors</i>	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 Ps 138:1-5 Jn 1:47-51
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church	5:30 p.m. (Vigil)	Zec 2:5-9, 14-15 Jer 31:10-13 Lk 9:43-45

OFFERTORY FOR SEPTEMBER 16-17, 2023

Offertory	\$ 4,075.00
Electronic Giving	\$ 3,918.14
Second Collection	N/A
TOTAL	\$ 7,993.14

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Classes are the third Sunday of the month at 1 p.m. in English in the Parish Library and 10 a.m. in Spanish in Room 3, Hurley Hall. The registration and sponsor/godparent forms are available at catholicgators.org. Please contact Gail (gail@catholicgators.org) with questions.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should meet with a priest 8 months prior to the wedding. The wedding date should not be scheduled prior to speaking with a priest. To schedule a preliminary meeting, contact Gail Fitzsimmons (gail@catholicgators.org).

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Call the office (352.372.3533) for information on First Reconciliation, First Communion, High School Confirmation, & Adult Confirmation preparation.

THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH & CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

EVENT COLOR KEY:

Teal: Liturgical celebrations
Black: Event for All Parishioners
Blue: Catholic Gators/Student Event

Gray: Youth Event
Orange: Latino Community Event (Spanish)
Green: Young Adult Event

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Sunday Mass

Church | 9 a.m., 11:30 a.m.,
1:30 p.m. en Español, 5:30 p.m.,
7:30 p.m.

Cafécito

Lounge | 2:30 p.m.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Cursillo Escuela

Hurley | 6:30 p.m.

Sp. Charismatic Prayer Group

Conference Room | 7 p.m.

Choir Practice

Church | 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

CG Mass and Meal

Lounge | 6:30 p.m.

Sp. Bible Study

Hurley | 6:30 p.m.

Catechist Info Session

Conference Room | 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Human Ecology Reading

Group

Library | 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Upper Room Young Adult

Group

Hurley | 6:15 p.m.

CG Mass and More

Lounge | 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Mass

Church | 5:30 p.m.

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OUR PARISH

FACT OF THE WEEK

A Sacrament is a visible sign of an invisible reality.

WEEKLY CHALLENGE

Pray the St. Michael Prayer on the feast of the Archangels!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Fear not; calm will follow the storm, and perhaps soon."

—St. Vincent De Paul



A MESSAGE FROM GAINESVILLE CITIZENS AGAINST THE DEATH PENALTY

Our Pope has spoken on numerous occasions against the death penalty and on our duty as Catholics to oppose the death penalty. In his 2020 encyclical letter, "Fratelli Tutti", Francis places the full weight of his teaching authority against the death penalty:

"There is yet another way to eliminate others, one aimed not at countries but at individuals. It is the death penalty. Saint John Paul II stated clearly and firmly that the death penalty is inadequate from a moral standpoint and no longer necessary from that of penal justice. There can be no stepping back from this position. Today we state clearly that "the death penalty is inadmissible" and the Church is firmly committed to calling for its abolition worldwide."

As Catholic Floridians, we are then called upon to oppose all executions and most immediately those carried out in our state this year 2023.

To date, Florida has executed four men:

23 February Donald Dillbeck
12 April Louis Gaskin
3 May Darryl Barwick

15 June Duane Owen

A fifth man, Michael Zack, is now scheduled for execution on 3 October.

Our parish is located about 50 miles from Florida State Correctional Institution, in Raiford where the executions are carried out. There, at the time of each execution, Father Phil Egitto, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes, Daytona Beach, leads a vigil to mark our opposition. All are encouraged to attend.

For more information visit www.orlandodiocese.org/e-scroll/archive/parish-ac-companies-a-dying-prisoner-in-spirit/ or contact George Diller at 352-213-6669 or gtdiller@ufl.edu

PARISH EVENTS & NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CATECHIST INFO SESSION

We are looking for catechists for Religious Education! Do you love working with children? Have you always wanted to help people learn more about their faith? If either of those things sound interesting to you then come out to our information session on September 26th in the conference room at 7:15 p.m.!

This will be a time to ask questions and learn more about what it means to be a catechist. If you have any questions or can not attend please email brie@catholicgators.org



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Whether your kids are just starting to learn about our Catholic faith; preparing to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion or Confirmation; or continuing to grow in knowledge and love of the Lord through ongoing faith formation classes, the parish Religious Education program is here to serve them!

Classes will be held in Hurley Hall starting October 8th from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m. each Sunday. Students will meet by grade level and parents will have their own formation class during that time.

Please register by the first class using the QR code.
For more information email brie@catholicgators.org.



UPPER ROOM YOUNG ADULT GROUP

The Young Adult Group, Upper Room, meets every Thursday after the 5:30 p.m. Mass (usually) in Hurley Hall. For more information, join the Upper Room Facebook group or email Vincent Herzog at vincent@catholicgators.org.



DISCERNMENT GROUP

This discernment group is meeting the first and third Tuesdays of the Month beginning in October from 7:30-8:30 p.m. in Hurley Hall.

The Mercedarian Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament invite students to come to Discernment Group and learn about discerning the will of God in daily life. All students are welcome!

MINISTERIO HISPANO



FERIA DE TIEMPO Y TALENTO

El Domingo 10 de Septiembre, después de cada misa, el Consejo Hispano de nuestra parroquia presentó su informe de labores y dio a conocer a la comunidad los distintos servicios que presta. Gracias por su asistencia!



FORMACIÓN DE MINISTROS LITÚRGICOS

El Miércoles 13 de Septiembre, a las 6:30 pm, se brindará el entrenamiento correspondiente para proclamadores de la Palabra, comunión, ujieres, servidores del altar y música.

CURSILLOS DE CRISTIANDAD

Los próximos cursillos serán dictados en las siguientes fechas:

- 26 al 29 de Octubre para hombres
- 2 al 5 de Noviembre para mujeres

Todos los cursillistas están invitados a la Escuela de Dirigentes y Ultrella, que se llevan a cabo todos los terceros Lunes de mes a las 7:00 pm, en Hurley Hall. Para registros e información adicional, comuníquese con Pedro Solórzano y Serafina Gasca.

RETIRO DE EMAÚS

Están cordialmente invitados a participar en el próximo retiro de Emaús, que se desarrollará de la siguiente manera:

- 29 de Sept.-1 de Oct. para mujeres
- 6 al 8 de Octubre para hombres

Para registros e información adicional, comuníquese con Victoria Peñaranda y Francisco Mata después de la misa del Domingo de 1:30pm.

CATEQUESIS PRE-BAUTISMAL

La catequesis pre-bautismal para Padres y Padrinos, se lleva a cabo los terceros Domingos de mes a las 11:00 am, previa cita, en Hurley Hall. Para registros, comuníquese con Victoria Peñaranda después de la misa del Domingo de 1:30pm.

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA Y SACRAMENTAL

Se está realizando el registro para educación religiosa y preparación sacramental para niños y adultos. Comuníquese con Victoria Peñaranda, Sandra Gómez y Edith Sánchez.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN CARISMÁTICO SAN MARCOS

Unete a nuestro grupo de oración en Español, todos los Lunes a las 7:30 pm, en el Salón de Conferencias de la Parroquia.



CAFECITO

Disfruta del Cafecito, todos los Domingos, después de la misa de 1:30 pm, en el lounge.

NUESTRA MISA EN ESPAÑOL
TODOS LOS DOMINGOS A LA
1:30 P.M.

NEWS & EVENTS



SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Donations to this appeal help provide support to the evangelization efforts of the Diocese of St. Augustine by helping others connect with Christ. The appeal helps fund the St. Augustine Catholic magazine, diocesan social media channels and website, the weekly radio Mass in Spanish, and other digital media. Please consider giving to this year's appeal to help us "Spread the Faith" to all.



MERCHANDISE SHOP

Did you know we have a merchandise shop? Visit shop.catholicgators.org to shop! We release new products every month, so check back for more. The items purchased will ship directly to you. The proceeds from these sales go toward the ministries at St. Augustine.



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

We have opportunities to sponsor different liturgical items! Your sponsorship helps with the cost of the different items we use for the liturgy (candles, bread, wine) and our long term liturgical goals. For more information visit catholicgators.org/sponsorship



SFCA CASINO NIGHT

In recognition of our 20th Year as Gainesville's only Catholic High School, Saint Francis Catholic Academy is dedicating the 2023 Casino Night event to a Celebration of the Roaring 20's! Grab your best Gatsby garments and your gaudiest gems and join us as we swing into a great celebration of Catholic education, recognizing our educators and raising funds for tuition assistance at SFCA.



2023 DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Couples observing a 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, etc. wedding anniversary in 2023 are invited to participate in the Anniversary Celebration with Bishop Pohlmeier on Nov. 4 at 1 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church or via livestream. Certificates will be provided to couples along with materials and instructions for participating. A light reception will be offered. Register before Oct 27 at family.dosafl.com or by calling (904) 262-3200.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend for married couples who desire a richer, fuller life together. Sign up today to attend an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on 3-5 November 2023 in Titusville, FL., Feb 16-18 in Tallahassee, or May 5-8 in Winter Park. For more info visit wwme.org or e-mail: Applications@FLCN-wwme.org Or contact Walt & Viv Paskowski at waltviv.wwme@gmail.com if you have any questions.



REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

ATTENTION The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800) 962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email inquiries@dosafl.com. To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit www.reportbishopabuse.org

ATENCIÓN La Diócesis de San Agustín trata seriamente todas las acusaciones de conducta sexual inapropiada, de manera rápida, confidencial y minuciosa. Para reportar Abuso, llame a la policía o al Departamento de Niños y Familias al (904) 962-2873. O llame al Coordinador Diocesano de Asistencia a Víctimas (904) 208-6979 o envíe un correo electrónico a inquiries@dosafl.com. Para denunciar abuso por parte de un obispo, llame al (800) 276-1562 o visite www.reportbishopabuse.org

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS & FEEDBACK: Please email bulletin submissions to Sandy DeTeresa at sandy@catholicgators.org by noon on Monday. Do you have feedback or see something that needs to be corrected? Reach out to our Communications Director, Sandy DeTeresa at sandy@catholicgators.org!