

# MALLIA'S MOMENTS

by Fr. Joe Mallia

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated on August 15th and is a Holy Day of Obligation this year. The solemnity recalls how after her death, Mary the Mother of the Lord, was taken up into heaven body and soul as a sign of what awaits all of those who believe in the Lord Jesus. We believe that one day, our bodies and our souls will reunite and we will live in the glory of the Kingdom prepared for us from the foundation of the world. God, in his infinite wisdom, chose to free Mary from sin in her Immaculate Conception and freed her body from decay through the gift of her Assumption. That is why the Church declares this day a Solemnity (making it equal in importance to a Sunday) because what we celebrate is not only important in the life of Mary, but also reminds us of why it is important for all of us to live as faithful disciples as she did.

The understanding that we are on our way to heaven should direct our actions, since heaven is not a right, but a gift given to those who are faithful. Too often we fall into the false belief that everyone goes to heaven or worse, that heaven does not exist. Heaven is real and we will encounter God face to face. In that encounter, we will be asked to account for our lives. The Bible tells us what to expect in regards to the questions we will face by God. He will ask us why we did not forgive? Why we did not feed the hungry, clothe the naked, visit the sick? He will want to know why we did not live the example of service and love which Jesus taught. The complacency that comes from thinking everyone will be in heaven leads us to diminish the impact of sin and the importance of the Eucharist.

The readings again this week remind us that the Eucharist is the bread which we need to be strengthened so that we can avoid sin and get to heaven. It is the

bread of life, the bread of the angels that we are blessed to receive each time we come to mass. How can we live in faithful discipleship if we do not share in the Body and Blood of Christ? The early church records in the Acts of the Apostles, that the community of believers would celebrate the breaking of the bread each time they gathered. Since the earliest times, the community of believers knew that the center of their spiritual life was the Eucharist. It helped them face the challenges of persecution and martyrdom. For the early church it was the great gift which not only brought them back to the upper room the day before Jesus died, but united them most fully to his gift of salvation in his passion, death and resurrection.

It is important as we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption, that we are challenged to think about our own view of heaven. Have we given over to the thinking that everyone goes? Have we diminished the impact of sin on our lives? When was the last time we went to confession? Have we received the Eucharist unworthily? Have we lost hope in the power of God in our lives or in his promise of eternal life? May Mary the Mother of the Lord, pray for us to be faithful to her Son, especially in the Most Blessed Sacrament of the Altar.

#### Have you noticed?

How much is going on at our parishes? Each week, the parish paper is full of information about events, service projects, school news, faith formation updates, social happenings and many other things. For small parishes, we have so many things to be involved in and ways to grow, learn, serve and deepen our relationship with God and each other. Take the time to pray for our parishes that we may continue to be good stewards of the resources we have and faithful witnesses to the truth of Jesus Christ. Be proud to be a part of something so vibrant and alive for the Glory of God. If you are not a registered member, please take steps to sign up today.

#### School is right around the corner

If you have not registered your child for our school or for Faith Formation, time is running out before sessions begin. Take the time to sign up today.

#### **Pray for vocations**

I want to encourage all of us to make sure that we offer prayers asking God to send workers into the harvest. We need to encourage people to respond to the call to be priests, deacons and consecrated religious. We also need to encourage each other to serve the parish in

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# St. Augustine Parish

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Parish Office: (586) 727-5215 Fax (586) 727-3760

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**Sunday Masses:** 

Saturday - 6:00 p.m. Sunday - 7:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.

**Daily Masses:** 

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday - 8:00 a.m.

**Holy Day Masses:** 

6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday, 8:45 a.m., after 8:00 am morning Mass Saturday, 5:00 p.m. in Church, or by appointment.

# **Holy Family Parish**

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**Sunday Masses:** 

Saturday - 4:30 p.m. Holy Family Memphis Sunday 10:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. Holy Family Memphis

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Tuesday - 7:00 p.m. & Friday - 8:00 a.m. Adoration on Fridays following Mass until 9:30 a.m. Adoration on First Fridays until 8:00 p.m.

**Holy Day Masses:** 

8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., before 7:00 p.m. evening Mass Saturday, 3:30 p.m. in the Church, or by appointment.

St. Augustine School 67901 Howard St., Richmond MI 48062 Website: http://www.staugustinecatholicschool.com School Office: 586-727-9365

Principal - Emily Lenn Ext. 131 Secretary - Judy Rey Ext. 130 Secretary - Lisa Hunter Ext. 129

Bulletin Submissions Deadline: 12:00 p.m. on Friday for the following weekend; deadline changes near major holidays. Please submit electronically to staugustinerichmond@comcast.net or cwullaert@holyfamily-online.org.

Announcement deadline: Thursday 5:00 p.m.

## Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the parish office to schedule a baptism. It is recommended that parents seeking Baptism for their child attend two baptismal preparation classes.

#### Sacrament of Marriage:

In accordance with the guidelines of the Province of Michigan, engaged couples must contact the Parish Office six months prior to the desired date of marriage and complete required preparation.

#### Sacrament of the Sick:

Notify the Parish Office of any need for hospital or home visits.

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important roles such as catechists, members of various councils and commissions and for some as professional ministers within the parish. Vocations flow from baptism, but even with that, we need to ask God for the grace to encourage and the grace to respond to the invitation to give of self freely for the betterment of others. Thank you for joining in this prayer.

## The things people say

This is the time of year where many people get married, in fact the fall is often busier than the spring for weddings. In looking up some ideas I came across some very funny wedding vows and I thought I would share one with you. Think of the couple looking lovingly into each others eyes with family and friends all around and the groom utters the immortal and touching words, "A pair of penguins mate for life, across hundreds of miles of tundra, the female penguin travels to bring food to the male as he watches the egg over a month of sub zero temperatures. As your husband, I would never ask you to do anything like that". That is why we don't allow couples to write their vows in the Catholic Church.

Have a great week and God bless you all.

The Richmond Knights of Columbus are Hosting their Annual

# Corn Roast TUESDAY AUGUST 28, 2018 4-7 PM!

St. Augustine Parish Hall



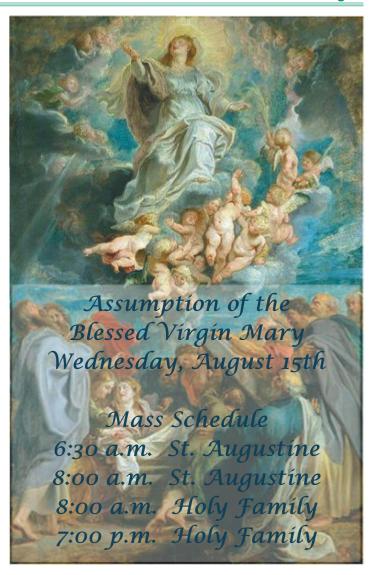
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(Mom, Dad, and Children only. No "extended" families, please.)

Burger, Hotdogs (with all the fixin's)! And LOTS OF CORN! Dessert, and Good Times

**ALL ARE WELCOME!** 

Profits will be donated to help retired Nuns.



# Richmond Knights of Columbus Blood Drive

Monday, August 20, 2018 12:00 noon - 6:00 p.m. at St. Augustine Parish Hall 68035 S. Main St., Richmond

Call 800-RED-CROSS for appointments or questions.



# **CSA** pledges to date:

St. Augustine:Holy Family:Goal \$76,995Goal \$58,093Pledged \$103,795Pledged \$67,243Number of Gifts 263Number of Gifts 160



# **B.O.L.D. Youth Ministry**

**STILL** calling all 9th-12th Graders

FYI ~ you're still a 12th grader until college in the fall!

#### Contact Jennifer, Jessica, or Alex

Via Email ~ st.ahfyouthministry@gmail.com or give us a call ~ (810) 392-2056 Ext. 228 or find us on the parishes' Facebook page at St. Augustine & Holy Family Catholic Churches.

Mail Call



**Q.** The Catholic Church is so dogmatic on so many different issues. This is the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. Common knowledge today recognizes there really are no absolutes. How can a modern day intellectual remain a practicing Catholic?

A. I don't think any modern day intellectual can possibly become, or remain, a practicing Catholic. The two are just not compatible. Romans 1:18-30 is an accurate description of our modern day intellectual society. Take special note of verse 22. "Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools." If that isn't an excellent description of our self-indulgent, anti-moral, anti-God, modern day, situational ethics-driven society, I don't know what is.

Case in point: the proclamation that "there are no absolutes" is a self contradicting statement. How can anyone believe that there are absolutely no absolutes? In other words, if this statement is absolutely true than it cannot be true. If there is even one absolute, then the very proclamation that "there are no absolutes" is absolutely false. Today we have real science

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# Please Register NOW for Faith Formation!

# It is quick and easy!

Previously registered families can either call or email Susan Finley at the Faith Formation Office of either parish to register. We only ask that you list the names of children being registered, grade in the fall, birthday, and emergency contact information. Please also let us know if there have

been any changes in your email, home address or phone number. If you are new to our program, please stop in the office to fill out a short registration form.

St. Augustine Phone: (586) 727-9290

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# Classes at St. Augustine

- Sunday 10:15 AM to 11:30 AM K~8th Confirmation
- Tuesday 4:30 PM to 5:45 PM K~6th

Holy Family
Phone (810) 392-2056
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#### Classes at Holy Family

- Sunday 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM K~9th Confirmation
- Wednesday 4:00 PM to 5:15 PM K~6th

# Help Wanted - Be Not Afraid!

Most of us want to know that what we say and do has made a positive impact. A great way to do that is to volunteer to be a catechist. As you read this, take a few seconds to search your heart... Could God be leading you to this opportunity to make a Real Difference?

- Not a huge time commitment (2-3 hours a week—half in the classroom, half in preparation)
- No special knowledge of Scripture or Theology needed. You learn with the children
- 1 Lots of support. Materials, resources and hands on help for whatever is needed.

The Lord does not call the Qualified... He qualifies the Called.

Contact the Faith Formation office at either parish for more information. Making an inquiry will not obligate you.

# ATTENTION ST. AUGUSTINE AND HOLY FAMILY PARISHIONERS!!! PROPER ENVELOPE USAGE

Did you know that there is a right way and a wrong way to use your Sunday envelopes? Please note the following items when using your collection envelopes.

- 1. USE YOUR ENVELOPE In most cases it is the only way for us to know when you are here. (If you are ever asked to be a godparent or confirmation sponsor, you will need to provide proof that you attend Mass regularly.) If you are unable to contribute anything, turn in your envelope anyway. If you forgot your envelope, use one of the ones provided in the pews. If you give electronically and still turn in your envelope, please write 0 (zero) for the amount of your contribution. Do not write in the amount of your electronic contribution.
- 2. WRITE YOUR CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT ON THE SPACE PROVIDED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE This allows the counters to simply verify your figure as opposed to writing how much is in the envelope. This helps us to give you proper credit for your donation.
- 3. PLEASE DO NOT TAPE OR STAPLE YOUR ENVELOPE SHUT This greatly increases the amount of time the counters need to spend opening the envelopes and it can cause damage to the envelope which could interfere with giving you proper credit for your donation.
- 4. IF YOU DO PUT A LOOSE CHECK IN THE COLLECTION BASKET, <u>PLEASE</u> PUT YOUR ENVELOPE NUMBER ON YOUR CHECK. Again, this helps us to give you proper credit for your donation.

Thank you for your cooperation!

Barb Quigley Bookkeeper

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Ever wonder about the Biblical roots of our Catholic faith? Do you wish you knew more about the Bible?

# Reminder: Last Information Night Thursday, August 16

The Catholic Biblical School of Michigan is opening a class at Holy Family Parish! The class is open to adults whose hearts yearn to study the entire Bible. Thursday evening classes will meet from September to May and will study the entire Bible in four years. All faculty members hold graduate degrees in Catholic theology. They are experienced teachers and are deeply devoted to the Catholic faith.

To learn more about this faith-filled Scripture study program—and if you have not already attended the previous Information Nights—you are invited to attend the last Information Night at Holy Family on Thursday, August 16 at 7:00 pm. Brochures for the Scripture course can be found at www.cbsmich.org.

#### Readings for the Week of August 12, 2018

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9a]/Eph 4:30--5:2/Jn 6:41-51

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Mt 17:22-27 Tuesday: Ez 2:8--3:4/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131 [103a]/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 [10bc]/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12/Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62 [cf. 7b]/Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [1c]/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/ Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Prv 9:1-6/Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [9a]/Eph 5:15-20/ Jn 6:51-58 @Liturojcal Publications Inc.

# Confessions for August 25, 2018

Please note that the 3:30 pm Confessions will be cancelled on Saturday, August 25, 2018. Confessions are available at St. Augustine at 5:00 pm, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel at 5:30 pm or St. Mary Mystical Rose at 4:00 pm.



# St. Augustine Mass Intentions

#### Monday, August 13, 2018 Mass 8:00 am

⊕ Leonard Scheuer
 5th Anniversary Remembrance
 req. by Tom & Mary Jo Ballor

Tuesday, August 14, 2018
No Mass Scheduled

Wednesday, August 15, 2018
The Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
(A Holy Day of Obligation)
Masses 6:30 am and 8:00 am
• For St. Augustine Parishioners

# Thursday, August 16, 2018 Mass 8:00 am

Friday, August 17, 2018 No Mass Scheduled

> Sunday, August 19, 2018 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Saturday, August 18, 2018 Mass 6:00 pm

⊕ Bob Ottenbacher req. by his Family

req. by Mr. & Mrs. Pete Klama

# Sunday, August 19, 2018 7:30 am Mass

· For St. Augustine Parishioners

#### 9:00 am Mass

⊕ Lisa Horn

req. by Jerry & Cindy Thorne

Tony Manchik

req. by Jerry & Cindy Thorne

⊕ Marlene Stásik

req. by Jerry & Cindy Thorne

⊕ Darlene McVannel

by St. Augustine Christian Service

⊕ Sandra Bertossi req. by her Family

⊕ Tony Capozzo

req. by Pat & Francis Manchik

req. by Ron & Connie Schweiger

⊕ Bob Reinke req. by his wife, Barb

req. by Dan & Claire Manchik

 For the Health of Kevin Cook req. by Dave & Jane Cheyne

reg. by Michael & Bonnie Murphy

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# Gifted with the love of Jesus Christ, we strive to share that love with our community.

#### ~ This Week Ahead at St. Augustine ~

Monday, August 13, 2018

8:00 p.m. - AA Meeting & Al-Anon (Hall)

Tuesday, August 14, 2018

7:00 p.m. - K of C Meeting (Hall)

Wednesday, August 15, 2018

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Day of Obligation

Masses:

6:30 a.m. - St. Augustine

8:00 a.m. - St. Augustine

8:00 a.m. - Holy Family

7:00 p.m. - Holy Family

6:30 p.m. - RCIA at Holy Family

Saturday, August 18, 2018

5:00 p.m. - Reconciliation (Church)



# Baptized in Christ

July 29, 2018

Mila Jean Gibson

Daughter of Richard & Shannon Gibson

August 5, 2018

McKinley Joan Butlin
Daughter of Andrew & Caitlin Butlin

# St. Augustine Altar Sodality News

Deceased members of the St. Augustine Altar Sodality will be honored at 9 a.m. mass on Sunday, August 26.

Pews will be reserved for Altar Sodality members. If you are or have been an Altar Sodality member at St. Augustine, please join us.

# St. Augustine Festival August 10, 11, 12, 2018

# **Festival Parking**

<u>Guests</u>: Some parking will be available in the back section of the parking lot. There will be plenty of parking available in the back of the school off of Gleason Street. Please follow signs. You can enter the festival through the back doors of the school.

**Volunteers:** Please follow the parking signs to park in back of the Howard Street house or off of Gleason Street if the Howard Street lot is full. We are asking all volunteers to use the optional parking areas and keep the parking lot open for our guests

Handicap: Hopefully, with the permission of the City of Richmond on Monday, August 6th, we will be able to mark the parking spots along Howard Street, between the two entrances of our parking lot, as handicap. They will be marked as handicap *if* permission is granted. There will also be spots in the back section of our parking lot. There will be several "Van Accessible" spots by the church ramp for those who need more space for wheelchairs to exit their vehicle.

We will do our best to provide a drop off area during mass times to accommodate those who are unable to walk a long distance. The first entrance to the parking lot will be used for drop off and the second entrance will be used to park in the back section of the lot.

Your festival is growing! We appreciate your understanding and hope that you enjoy this fun filled weekend!

# 2018 St. Augustine Festival Main Raffle Ticket Early Seller's Raffle Winners

For \$25 in Scrip Gift Certificates

August 5th Drawing

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Ballor Mr. & Mrs. James Baker

# St. Augustine Festival Flea Market 2018

# Saturday & Sunday Flea Market Hours

Saturday, August 11th: 9:00am to 7:00pm Sunday, August 12th: 10:00am to 5:00pm

Any purchase at the flea market entitles you to a free drawing for our "Thank You" \$250 shopping spree at Kohl's.

# Flea Market Carry Out Sale Sunday, August 12, 2:00-5:00pm

For a free will donation anything you can carry from the flea market is yours. First come, first served!

# **Weekend Festival Highlights**

Saturday Evening

Grilled favorites at the Garden of Eatin' 12:00 - 8:00 p.m. Burgers, Hot dogs, Coney Dogs, Brats, Chicken breasts with sides "The Phoenix Theory" 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. Classic rock from the 70s, 80s, 90s

**Sunday Afternoon** 

Chicken Dinner 11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. "Johnny and The Fenders" 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Classic rock, country R&B

Raffle Sales All Day, Every Day

Main Raffle: 1st \$5000 · 2nd \$750 · 3rd \$500 · 4th \$250 Other Raffles: 50/50 · Cooler of Cheer · Quilt Raffle · Gift Basket

"Hot Option" Raffle - Three prizes: Flat Screen TV · Fire pit · \$150 Gas Cards

lat Screen TV • Fire pit • \$150 Gas Cards 1st ticket drawn gets the option!

All drawings take place Sunday evening at 5:00 p.m.



# Holy Family Mass Intentions

# Saturday, August 11, 2018 *4:30 PM*

- ⊕ Lorraine Deschamps by her children
- ⊕ Lorraine Kryk (10th anniv.) by Richard & Marge Brohl
- ⊕ Eugene Stocks by the Family
- ⊕ Ron Sebastian by the Family

# Sunday, August 12, 2018 *10:30 AM*

- For the Parishioners5:30 PM
- ⊕ Virginia Piontkowski-Ren (1st anniv.) by the Piontkowski Family
- ⊕ Jeannine Barrera by Roy Barrera
- ⊕ Tom Jakubiak and Cob, Inez & Pat Harmon by Claudia Jakubiak
- For the intentions of Dan & Pat Sniesak on their 50th wedding anniversary by the Ayotte Family

For Vocations

Monday, August 13, 2018 No Mass Scheduled Tuesday, August 14, 2018 7:00 PM

⊕ Delores Paige by the Family Wednesday, August 15, 2018 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

(A Holy Day of Obligation)

Masses: 8:00AM & 7:00PM

· For the Parishioners

Thursday, August 16, 2018 No Mass Scheduled Friday, August 17, 2018 8:00 AM

⊕ Souls in Purgatory by Doug & Karen
Fournier

# Saturday, August 18, 2018 *4:30 PM*

- ⊕ Tanis Marie Lynch by Dave & Judy Wronski
- ⊕ Lisa Horn by the Staff of Holy Family
- ⊕ Betty Borek by Joanne Meyers
- ⊕ Deceased members of the Burg Family by the Burg Children

#### Sunday, August 19, 2018 10:30 AM

- Sylvia Shinska by Phil, Maggie, & Michael Dehring

- PRaymond Kujawa by Rose Kujawa
- ⊕ Peter Pytleski by the Klein Family
   5:30 PM
- · For the Parishioners

# Prayer List. Intercessory prayer reflects God's own character of outgoing love and mercy. Please pray for:

Dorothy Anderson Kirk Anderson Patricia Ayotte Colt Ballard Shirley Barnett Alayna Bermert Jerry Blake Floyd Boike Gary Bordin Mary Jo Bors Nancy Brady , Loren Brown Alex Buffa Nick Buffa Dave Burg <sub>0</sub> Amy Cantwell (1) Cecelia Ann Clark Debbie Cornwell Mary Czostkowski Robert DeLang , Linda Dubay Jeanette Dudek Kenneth Dunn Matt Dunsmore Brenda Durkee

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Carter James Leadmon <sub>a</sub> Karen Leonard Phillip Lojek Billy Luckett Joyce Lyjak Mitch Marcinkowski Ed Marnon Rick Marnon of Maria McKiernan Ron McKiernan Carly Morous Kandy Murray Gabriel Nunez Anne O'Neal Fr. Dan O'Sullivan Sally Passalacqua Kieblan Perry Maryellen Piergentili Debbie Plaut Greg Plemmons Joshua Porrett Debbie Poupard Ginger Protasiewicz Ruth Pruent

Al Rachwal Fred Rhein Kimberly Riley 0 Julie Roosen Dolly Rosso Ed Řucinski Glenn Rounding Harry Rybinski Darlene Schmidt, Dennis Sharp (1) Genevieve Siudym Georgine Siudym Paul Šulkowski Nancy Teets ( Amanda Teichow Mikah Tobaben <sub>0</sub> Tim Tufnell Mariann Ward Ellie Wessel Maureen Wilks of Witherow Family Max Witherow , Tina Witulski, John Wonsey 2 The Borek Family a

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# Mail Call



and we have junk science. Real sciences, like God's laws of physics, are absolutes. Scientific polls, on the other hand, cannot be real science or Hillary would be president. If you step off a roof, you are certain to fall; gravity is real and is an absolute, no exceptions. In 2002, Swedish "scientists" discovered cooking high-carbohydrate foods like potatoes formed acrylamide, a substance linked to cancer in lab animals. Therefore humans need to limit or eliminate consuming cooked potatoes from their diet. However, the fact that humans would have to consume 62½ pounds of cooked potatoes per day for 62 years to be exposed to

the equivalent acrylamide dosage as the lab animals received was omitted from the report. Isn't this modern day science simply junk science? It absolutely is.

If there are indeed absolutes swirling around in our world of no absolutes, truth itself must be one of those absolutes. Truth cannot be contradicted and can never contradict itself. Therefore, if truth is real, then the Church, established by Jesus Christ, has no other choice than to teach the truth. Jesus is *the way the truth and the light* – (John 14:6). Truth must indeed be dogmatic and so must teaching truth be absolutely dogmatic.

Please send your questions to george@Catholicissues.org



"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my Savior for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.

From this day all generations will call me blessed."



Holy Family Parish strives to be the best version of ourselves as we lift up the fallen, heal the broken and share the love of Christ.

# **Mark Your Calendar!**

Monday 8-13-18	8:00 am Mass at St. Augustine
Tuesday 8-14-18	6:30 pm Confessions 7:00 pm Mass 8:00 pm AA
Wednesday 8-15-18	8:00 am Mass at St. Augustine
Thursday 8-16-18	8:00 am Mass at St. Augustine 9:00 am – 4 pm Divine Mercy Missionary / Store open 8:00 pm AA
Friday 8-17-18	8:00 am Mass & Adoration 9:00 am – 4 pm Divine Mercy Missionary / Store open
Saturday 8-18-18	3:30 pm Confessions 4:30 pm Mass
Sunday 8-19-18	10:30 am Mass 5:30 pm Mass

# ROSARY MAKERS



Holy Family would like to begin a Rosary Makers Organization. For several years we have been supporting a Missionary Priest in India and he asks for more rosaries than we can

accommodate at this time so we thought we would like to try to make them. We have several women in the parish who know how to make rosaries and would be willing to teach you. We would not begin this venture until September, but would like to know if there is interest among our parish family. We can sit down and work out a schedule that would accommodate the majority of those interested. If you think you would like to evangelize, meet more of your Parish family, and do a good deed, please call the office or Marlene Brown at 586-727-1696.

# Have you considered.....?



Catholic men, 18-35, interested in hearing about and/or exploring Franciscan Religious Life are invited to the Church of the Transfiguration Friary, 25231 Code Road in Southfield on Sunday, **September 30**, 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM. The evening will include prayer, dinner, and informal conversation. No commitment is expected; it will just be an informal opportunity to meet some friars and hear about our life. To let us know you are coming or for more information, contact Fr. Jeff Scheeler, OFM, at Church of the Transfiguration, <a href="mailto:scheeleri@transfigsfld.org">scheeleri@transfigsfld.org</a> or (248) 356-8787 x 3107.

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If you need to reach the School Office anytime during the summer, please leave a voice message on the school phone: 586·727·9365

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# Help Wanted: Lunchtime Supervisors Needed

St. Augustine School is looking for three lunchtime supervisors. Responsibility entails monitoring the children on the playground during their lunch period. The position is five days a week from 11:45 - 12:45. The position pays \$10.00 per hour. You will be required to attend a workshop training in **Protecting Gods Children** and have a criminal background check. If interested, please contract the school office ASAP at 586-727-9365.

Emily Lenn Principal

St. Augustine Catholic School

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Please visit **aquinas.edu/aqday** for more details or to register for the event on August 31.

# ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT JULY 1 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2018

INCOME	
Offertory Collection	\$667,630.01
Christmas	\$36,362.00
Miscellaneous Income	\$58,794.88
Parish Fundraising Income	\$87,659.98
CSA Refunds	\$48,595.32
Lease & Rental Income	\$10,170.00
Rental Houses Yard Sale	\$2,803.05
Insurance Proceeds (March, 2017 Wind Storm)	\$32,641.77
Faith Formation Income	\$12,995.44
School Tuition & Fees	\$409,510.78
School Fundraising	\$118,993.80
School - Donations	\$39,412.57
School - Grants	\$47,983.00
School - Miscellaneous Income	\$25,350.19
School - Athletic Income	\$6,754.00
Total Income	\$1,605,656.79
EXPENSES	
Wages	\$739,173.57
Benefits	\$231,179.24
Fundraising Expenses	\$50,088.63
Lease & Rental Expenses	\$17,192.05
Other Administrative Expenses	\$27,888.94
Other Worship Expenses	\$23,687.61
Other Christian Service Expenses	\$5,626.73
Other Evangelization Expenses	\$4,321.64
Other Plant Expenses	\$128,907.44
Utilities	\$16,743.86
Vicariate School Subsidy	\$29,283.00
AOD Assessment	\$50,813.64
Technology	\$745.50
Other Faith Formation Expenses	\$11,204.38
School Fundraising Expenses	\$55,859.03
School Athletic Expenses	\$9,043.27
School Utilities	\$28,082.11
School Technology	\$14,236.59
Other School Expenses	\$155,776.44
Total Expenses	\$1,599,853.67
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$5,803.12
OUTSTANDING DEBT	
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