



The Parishes of
**ST. AUGUSTINE
& HOLY FAMILY**
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time *January 19, 2020*

MALLIA'S MOMENTS

by Fr. Joe Mallia

So, we are back to ordinary time in the liturgical year after several weeks of Advent and the Christmas Season. But ordinary time, though, is not ordinary. The practical problem is that we have disparaged the term "ordinary". If something is not "awesome" or "special" or in some way the "best" we think of it as being not very important, but think about the ordinary things that happen in your life that without them you would have no life.

For example, right now your heart is beating, you are breathing and hopefully all your other bodily functions are at work, just like they should ordinarily do. As long as the ordinary functions continue life is pretty good, I would say. Every day ordinary things happen that provide for our safety, our food, travel to and from places near and far. Ordinary is not bad at all, in fact it is necessary. It may not get your heart racing, but not everything that does is necessarily good.

Take for example a trapeze act. What you notice is the people who are doing the stunts. They are very exciting to see fly through the air doing incredible stunts. Although there is the one person who seems to only be doing the ordinary task of swinging back and forth. He does no special trick; his work seems rather ordinary compared to the people who are doing twists and summersaults through the air, but if he were not there, who would be there to catch the "spectacular" parts of the act? Ordinary is not spectacular but it is necessary.

In our faith lives, the daily living out of faith is not about eye catching moments, but as so many saints teach us, it is about doing the ordinary with extraordinary love. Now that Christmas is over, do we still think about the poor and the hungry? Do we still feel like we should call or visit family who do not have many people to talk with or visit them? With no decorations, do we still understand the importance of praying and worshipping God? In other words, when the spectacular is over what happens to us?

It would be a pretty strange life if we viewed our ordinary lives as simply the time we spend waiting for the next extraordinary moment. Rather, we should view our lives for what they are, simple expressions of God's love for us and our love for God. Think of it as a banana split ice cream. When we see it, the first thing that catches our eye is the whipped cream and the cherry on top, but what is underneath all of that is pretty good too!

I encourage you to see ordinary time as the real Christian time. It is easy to say you love Jesus at Christmas and Easter, but the real living of that love is only seen in the ordinary tasks of each day done with extraordinary love. May God bless us in and through the ordinary of our day.

Have you seen? Have you done?

Have you checked out our webpage or our Facebook page? Have you taken advantage of our parish subscription to FORMED? Have you taken advantage of our various programs, educational opportunities, our fun events or our non-mass prayer experiences? I encourage you to consider all that awaits you as part of our faith community outside of your Sunday worship experience.

Missionary Strategic Planning Process:

We have had our first group meeting to learn about how the process will work and all the time and effort our parish councils will be asked to give in the preparation and creation of the plan. I am asking for your prayers first and foremost, but also for your willingness to participate when called upon.

There will be two major tasks that you will directly be involved in. The first is that a parish wide survey will be part of the information gathering process. Your filling out the survey is very important to our present process and to our measuring of how successful we are in the future. I will give you more information in the near future. The survey should be available some time in February.

At a later date, we will also be holding a town hall meeting at each parish to gain more input into what you think we should be focused on in the actual plan. This is important to our work and I am asking you now to please plan on attending when that time comes. Thank you in advance for your help in creating a plan that will help our parishes remain vibrant for the future and for that praise and glory of God.

One thought that I shared with the parish councils: Our parishes are the largest religious denomination in regards to numbers in either of our areas. Our parishes cover nearly 150 sq. miles when combined. If we actually reached out to our non-participating Catholics in this area, what is the impact we could have for good in our church and our community? We are either a force for change or we are a victim of our own malaise. Never stop inviting people back to church and an encounter with God!

Fr. Joe's article continued on Page 3

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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: Please see the bulletin for the current Holy Day Mass schedule.

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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Parish Office: 810-392-2056

Office hours:

**Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
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Sunday Masses:
 Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

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

Holy Day Masses: Please see the bulletin for the current Holy Day Mass schedule.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
 Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. Saturday: 3:30 p.m.
 Or by appointment.

St. Augustine School

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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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Just a reminder:

A couple of months ago, I wrote a letter and spoke about tithing. To be honest, very few people have accepted the invitation to consider the biblical spirituality associated with this form of returning to the Lord. For those who have, I am overwhelmed by the stories of God's faithfulness to you.

I remind you that this is not about money, it is about a faith-filled response of returning from what God has provided. Simply put, it is a shift from thinking of your donation as something you give to the parish to an understanding of it being what you are giving back to God.

As soon as the new collection boxes are complete, we will make the move to eliminate the collection being taken up by the ushers to a process of you placing your gift to the Lord at the doors and then spend the rest of the time in praise and worship of our God. Have a great week.

ATTENTION!

**Pilgrimage and performance tour of Italy:
Florence - Assisi - Rome**

We have been able to finalize the information needed for our very SPECIAL PILGRIMAGE and CHOIR PERFORMANCE TOUR of ITALY. We shared the pilgrimage information with those who attended our first meeting at St. Augustine on Monday, January 13th. **Thank you** to those who attended that meeting. A second informational meeting is scheduled at Holy Family for those who did not attend the first meeting. This meeting is scheduled for:

**Monday, January 27th
at Holy Family Life Center at 7PM.**

Please realize this is a "once in a lifetime" opportunity. Something you definitely do not want to miss. Come and learn more about the special opportunity. Please direct any questions to Joe Agosta. We hope to see you there.

Joe Agosta, Director of Music Ministries
St. Augustine and Holy Family Parishes
(810) 305-1385 or joeyagosta@yahoo.com

Celebrating Marriage

World Marriage Day observance is February 9th this year. Its purpose is declared to be: "World Marriage day honors husband and wife as the foundation of the family the basic unit of society. It salutes the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice and joy in daily married life." <https://www.cute-calendar.com/event/world-marriage-day/36218.html>

In observation of **World Marriage day**, there will be a blessing for married couples offered at all the Masses on the weekend of February 9th. Married couples celebrating a significant anniversary of 1 year, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and each year after, are encouraged to fill out the form below and drop it into the collection basket or at the parish office to have their anniversary listed in the February 9th bulletin. To ensure that your name is printed in the bulletin, the office will need to receive your form no later than Friday, January 31st .

Please Print:

St. Augustine **Holy Family**

Name _____
Last name

_____ _____
Husband's first name Wife's first name

Wedding Date _____
Month Day Year Years Married

**Health Ministry in partnership
with Ascension SE Michigan
Community Health presents:**

**Women's Tea at
Holy Family Life Center
February 1, 2020**

Light Luncheon
Catholic Retreat Speaker on
Women of the Bible

Call the Parish Office
for more information
St. Augustine: 586-727-5215
Holy Family: 810-392-2056

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St. Augustine & Holy Family
Health Ministry*

2019 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT REQUEST

• Contribution statements for 2019 will be sent out by request only.
 • If you require a statement, please fill out the form below and return it via the collection basket, mail or Parish Office.
 • Statement requests will be processed beginning in mid January.

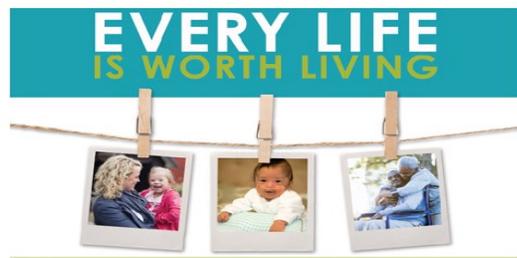
Holy Family St. Augustine Envelope Number _____

Name _____

How do you want to receive your statement?
 Email Mail Pick Up

Email : _____

Phone _____



1st of CELEBRATION of LIFE!

Lots of FUN, games and refreshments included!

THIS WEEK!

St. Augustine:

Tuesday, January 21st

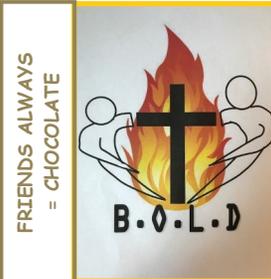
in the Parish Hall from 4:30 to 5:45 pm

Holy Family:

Wednesday, January 22nd

in the Life Center from 4:00 to 5:15 pm

Some items that the Center can use are Playtex bottles and nipples, Playtex bottle liners (4oz. and 6oz.), baby wipes, shampoo, wash, diaper cream, lotions, vaporizers, thermometers, crib sheets, hooded towels and wash cloths, healthcare and grooming kits, first aid kits, diapers (preemie to size 5), preemie items, onesies, pajamas, and outfits (size preemie to 2T).



Text or call us with questions:
Jennifer (810) 384-6931
Jessica (810) 650-0564
Alex (810) 357-4463

TODAH & SHABACH of the Web
 "The Veil Removed"
<https://youtu.be/OOLZDaTgIaM>

2020 Shenanigans

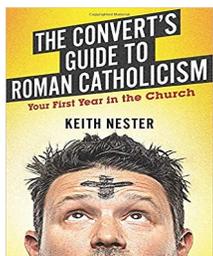
All events are 6:30-8:30 pm unless otherwise noted

- January 19 ~ What is the March for Life? ~ Holy Family
- January 26 ~ Hot Topic ~ St. Augustine
- February 1 ~ FREE Family Movie Night ~ Holy Family
- February 2 ~ **SOCIAL** ~ 8th-12th Graders invited ~ Winter Olympics ~ St. Augustine
- February 9 ~ Hot Topic ~ Holy Family
- February 15-16 ~ **RAINBOW 38 CYO Conference** ~ Detroit @ the Renaissance Center Marriott
- February 23 ~ Prepare for Lent ~ St. Augustine
- February 26 ~ **Get your ashes and begin your journey!**
- March 1 ~ **SOCIAL** ~ 8th-12th Graders invited ~ Lenten Challenges ~ Holy Family
- March 7 ~ FREE Family Movie Night ~ Holy Family
- March 8 ~ Hot Topic ~ St. Augustine
- March 15 ~ Hot Topic ~ Holy Family
- March 20-22 ~ Subiaco Spiritual Retreat with the youth of the Blue Water Vicariate ~ Oxford, MI
- March 29 ~ Hot Topic ~ St. Augustine



Mail Call

The answer to the following question was taken from Keith Nester's book: Keith, a former Protestant pastor, once practiced the modern worship techniques of today.



Q. Why doesn't the Catholic Church become a little more like the modern Protestant churches? They have all kinds of cool stuff, like padded chairs with cup holders, big screen TV, rock bands, and all kinds of creative programs.

Keith writes:

A. "The Mass doesn't need hype or a gimmick. The Mass doesn't need promotional materials or slick advertising. The priest doesn't need to spend his time trying to be creative or slick. In reality, he just needs to get out of the way and let God's word impact his people. The Church has already given us the Scripture readings. Jesus Christ has promised to show up. The priest simply has to guide us into what is already there. He doesn't need to become the focus..."

Listen during the homily. Give your priest and the word he is bringing your utmost attention. You don't need it to be cute or cool; you just need it to be true."

The above excerpt was taken from page 91 & 92

"The Convert's Guide to Roman Catholicism" is a book for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, those attending RCIA, or cradle Catholics who want to learn more about your faith. Keith takes a different approach than any of the books I have read thus far. His humor, insightfulness and experiences provide something for everyone.

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Knights of Columbus

Free Throw Championship

Boys and Girls, Ages 9 - 14

Location: Holy Family Gym

Date: January 25, 2020

Time: 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Sponsor: Knights of Columbus Councils #10501 & #2667

Contact: John Mastej at (810) 310-0431



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Keith's book can be ordered on line at Amazon, or if you wish contact the office and we will order one for you (\$14.99). You can connect with him on You Tube as well. His web site is - <https://www.keithnester.com/#/>

Now for the frosting on the cake, Keith will be coming here on Monday, September 21, 2020. Mark your calendar now because you won't want to miss this event.



ST. JOHN BOSCO PRAYER INITIATIVE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31ST 9AM-
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST 4PM

We're engaging 1,000 people to pray for youth and youth ministries in the Archdiocese of Detroit on the feast of St. John Bosco-- will you join us?

How to Join
Sign up for a prayer slot at:
<http://tiny.cc/boscoprayer>

Download our prayer resource at:
<http://boscoprayer.org>

Pray from wherever you are!

Please forward this invitation to your family and friends!



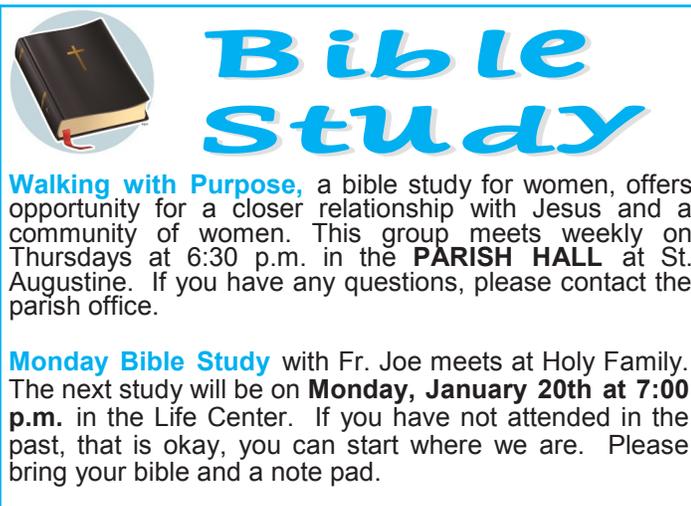
Pray for Those Who Serve Our Country

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| MMN Henry Altermatt | PVT Brad Quant |
| DCC Troy Baran | MSgt Kevin Quant |
| TSgt Trent Beish | Eric P. Raska |
| FNE3 Nathan Bilbrey | Lt Paul Raska |
| Maj. Lisa Marie Boggs | AMN Katie Ren |
| FC Nathan Burgess | Col Matthew Rettke |
| PVT Samuel Calderone | 2LT Tyler Rettke |
| MAJ Joseph Cannon | POHM2 John-Christopher Sbraccia |
| MSgt Christopher Capoccia | TSgt David Siegrist |
| MAJ Kevin Chamberlain | MAJ Cormac Smith |
| SSG Luke J. Delcourt | Sgt Andrew Springer |
| Adam Dickson | LCpl Timothy James Spruytte |
| LT Christopher Edwards | SSG Raymond Stier |
| SFC Samuel Feldman | PFC Christopher Tishler |
| CWO4 Jason Garcia | SRA Logan VanBuren |
| PO1 Jeremy Gauthier | Warrant Officer Jeffery Weis |
| SSgt Craig Grabowski | 1st Lt Joshua Wessel |
| PVT Brent Gracey | POHM3 Nicholas Wohlfiel |
| LT USN Adam Haag | Cpl Mark Zyble |
| LTCMDR Ryan Haag | |
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| Cpt. Jack Johnston | |
| SMSGT Joseph Korotko | |
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| Claudia Pfeifer, Specialist | |
| Maj. Christopher Platz | |
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RECLAIMING THE LORD'S DAY!!!

Who was John the Baptist? John was a Jewish prophet of priestly origin who preached the imminence of God's Final Judgment. Why did John the Baptist call Jesus the Lamb of God? Jesus, is the sinless sacrifice for our sins. In the old testament, lambs without blemish were used as a sacrifice. These blood offerings acted as a temporary covering for sin. John knew that Jesus was the ultimate sacrifice for our sins. Who is Jesus to you and your family?



Bible Study

Walking with Purpose, a bible study for women, offers opportunity for a closer relationship with Jesus and a community of women. This group meets weekly on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in the **PARISH HALL** at St. Augustine. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

Monday Bible Study with Fr. Joe meets at Holy Family. The next study will be on **Monday, January 20th at 7:00 p.m.** in the Life Center. If you have not attended in the past, that is okay, you can start where we are. Please bring your bible and a note pad.

Readings for the week of January 19, 2020

- Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
- Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/ Mk 2:18-22
- Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/Mk 2:23-28
- Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]/Mk 3:1-6
- Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 [5b]/Mk 3:7-12
- Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]/Mk 3:13-19
- Saturday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/ Mk 16:15-18
- Sunday: Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/ Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17 ©LPi



**St. Augustine
Mass
Intentions**

Monday, January 20, 2020

Mass 8:00 am

† Gary Ottenbacher
req. by Bob & Janice Schroeder &
Children

Tuesday, January 21 2020

No Mass Scheduled

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

Mass 8:00 am

† Cliff Schweiger
req. by Chuck & Cindy Brickel

Thursday, January 23, 2020

Mass 8:00 am

♦ President Trump
req. by Ron & Connie Schweiger

Friday, January 24, 2020

No Mass Scheduled

*Sunday, January 26, 2020
Third Sunday in
Ordinary Time*

Saturday, January 25 2020

Mass 6:00 pm

† Al Woloszyk, req. by his Family
† John Falecki
Anniversary Remembrance
req. by Howard & Delores Rhein
† William Mott, req. by Carol Swantek
† Kirby Smith, req. by Christine Smith

Sunday, January 26, 2020

7:30 am Mass

♦ For St. Augustine Parishioners

9:00 am Mass

† Gary Ottenbacher
req. by Bob & Janice Schroeder &
Children
† Cliff Schweiger
by Charles Claerhout & Family
† David Raska
10th Anniversary Remembrance
req. by Betty Raska & Family
† Betty Raska
req. by Szczerbinski Family
† Mary Szczerbinski
req. by Francis & Pat Manchik
† Arlene Schweiger
req. by Irene Schweiger Family
† Tom Ozark, req. by Rosemary Smith
† Margaret Rettke,
req. by Karen Stevens
† Earl Dean
req. by Irene Schweiger & Family
† Margaret Korte
req. by Marcia Kleinhans
† Mary Ellen and Frank Pruent
req. by Family

**Men of Holy Family
and St. Augustine Parishes,**

YOU ARE INVITED to spend a relaxing, spiritually insightful weekend with the men of our parishes, Friday evening to Sunday noon, **February 21-23, 2020, at St Paul of the Cross Retreat Center.** The retreat theme this year is "Who do YOU say I AM." You'll be amazed how much the retreat will help you find God in your daily experience and what peace this awareness can bring you. You'll come away with faith renewed and a better perspective on job, family and life.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT! It's one of the best bargains. Suggested donation is less than a weekend at a good motel, and the benefits are priceless! A private room with bath adds to your comfort.

**For information or to register call:
Andy Gillis at 586-855-6196 or
Joe Stevens at 810-543-1838**



Discernment Weekends

This January 30 - February 2, men discerning a call to the priesthood have the chance to experience the seminary firsthand at a discernment weekend at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit.

Men who are high school seniors to age 55 will spend four days living at the seminary, focusing on the aspects of seminary life and the four pillars of formation (spiritual, human, intellectual and pastoral fellowship), which are the foundation of the seminary formation program. They will also spend time in fellowship and prayer.

Thanks to gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal, the archdiocesan Office of Priestly Vocations offers these up close and stress-free looks at seminary life several times a year. The next discernment weekend will be held March 19-22. A discernment overnight, for high school freshmen through juniors, will be held April 17-18. For more information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to aod.org.

**Sunday, January 26, 2020
9:00 am Mass (intentions continued)**

† Tom Schmid
3rd Anniversary Remembrance
req. by wife, Mary Jane & Family
† Jerry Eschenburg
req. by The Shinska Family
♦ Special Intentions for Zeke,
Faith, Jerry, Dakota & Gunner
req. by Alaina Prior

*Please Pray for
St. Augustine Parishioners
at home or in the hospital...*

Mary Lou Brickel	Baby Harper Misiuk
Marjorie Brohl	Dan Moomaw
Marlene Brown	Johny Muller
Denise Suess	Kandy Murray
Burkhardt	Tom Obee
Dennis Campbell	Karon Ottenbacher
Louis Canter	Bryan Pawlowski
Jerry Caporuscio	Gary Penzak
Marie Champine	Rich Platz
Bailey Ann Clapper	Carol Pollari
Dossie Collins	Darren Polansky
Mary Ann	Jeanette Ponski
Cunningham	John Pytleski
Virginia DeForge	Ann Rabine
Vincent del Rosario	Ray Rabine
Mary DeWitte	Veronica Raska
Cy Dheygere	Barb Reinke
Kelly Dilberti	Judy Richer
Jennie Domagalski	Jessica Ricketts
Gail Duetsch	Donald Riedel
Gary Duhamel	Ginny Ritter
Doug Duncan	Frank Ryan
Joan Elam	Gail Ryan
Richard Fitch	Pat Scheuer
Carol Fogal	Jan Schmidt
Dee Franz	Rose Segatti
Shelley Frontera	Bernadette Sharpe
Alison Gray	John M. Sharpe
Art Hebel	Mary Shaunce
Clarence Hebel	Mary Smith
Rosann Holmes	Deb Snider
Cory Hopp	Pat Stahl
Al Inson	Carol Stanzione
Helen Kaczperski	Joshua Stevens
Sylvia Kaltz	Lily Suess
Daniel Kammer	Lloyd Suess
William Ketelhut	Stanley Swidersky
Connie Kinsey	Sue Thomas
Dave Kisskalt	Sharlene Todd
Glen Knoblock	Eleanor Tiece
Betty Kolp	Michael Ureel
Tom Kowalski	John Ureel
Arthur Lambert	Bridget Urquhart
Barbara Lambert	Mary Valpredo
Steven Latour	Larry Wilson
Pam Lawson	Maxine Wilson
Eugenia Lipior	Lisbeth Yaek
Roger Lumley	Joseph Yelencich, Jr.
Jim Mazzala	



*Celebrating
Eternal Life in Christ*

Frank Pruent



Our Mission is to Save Souls

~ This Week Ahead at St. Augustine ~

Monday, January 20, 2020

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

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

4:30 p.m. - Faith Formation

6:30 p.m. - Health Ministry Meeting (Room 7)

6:30 p.m. - Festival Committee Meeting (Hall)

7:00 pm. - Contemporary Music Group Rehearsal (Church)

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

8:45 a.m. - Reconciliation

6:30 p.m. - Finance Council (Parish Office)

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

Thursday, January 23, 2020

10:00 am - Catholic Understanding of Revelation (Rm 3)

6:30 p.m. - Women's Bible Study in Parish Hall

7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice (Church)

Saturday, January 25, 2020

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

5:00 p.m. - Contemporary Group Rehearsal

6:00 p.m. - Mass with Contemporary Music

Sunday, January 26, 2020

Catholic Schools Week Begins

10:15 a.m. - Faith Formation

**ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH
ANNIVERSARY BREAKFAST**

Sunday, February 9, 2020

9:00 a.m. Mass and Blessing

followed by

Breakfast in the Parish Hall

A celebration for all Parish couples who mark special wedding anniversaries in 2020:

1 year,

5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 or 50 years,
and all those celebrating over 50 years

Celebrating couples are invited free of charge

Extra breakfast guests:

Adults - \$6.00 Children 6-12 - \$3.00

Children 5 and under - Free

**RSVP no later than Sunday, February 2nd to
Kathy at 586-727-1728 or Dee at 586-430-4609**

Sponsored by the St. Augustine Altar Sodality

St. Augustine Festival Committee Meeting

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall

A festival committee meeting is being held to discuss plans for the upcoming Festival 2020. All committee members are requested to attend and anyone who has new ideas or would like to have part in planning the St. Augustine Festival. All are welcome!

Euchre Party

Hosted by The Altar Sodality

Friday, January 31, 2020

St. Augustine Parish Hall

\$10 Cover Charge - 25¢ per euchre

Pop, Water & Snacks provided



Additional 2020 Euchre party dates:

March 6, 2020

April 3, 2020



Doors open @ 7:00 pm

Cards start @ 7:22pm

For more information call Jeanne at 810-543-2843

Lector Training

**Sunday, February 16, 2020, 10:00am
or Wednesday, February 19, 7:00pm**

Attention St. Augustine Lectors, or anyone interested in becoming a lector. There will be a mandatory Lector Training / Refresher workshop on Sunday, February 16 after the 9:00 a.m. Mass OR Wednesday February 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

All current lectors and anyone interested in becoming a lector MUST attend one of these training / refresher sessions.

Please contact Chris Shinska at **313-215-0926** or email cshinska@gmail.com with any questions regarding these sessions. Thank you and looking forward to seeing you there!

Chris Shinska

Holy Family



Saturday, January 18, 2020

4:30 PM

- ✠ Dave Burg by his Family & Friends
- ✠ Theresa Brohl by Richard & Marge Brohl
- ✠ Jeanette Dudek by Mitch & Fran Marcinkowski
- ✠ Linda Doberowsky by Don Doberowsky
- For the Parishioners

Sunday, January 19, 2020

10:30 AM

- ✠ Esther Fournier by Mike & Erna Rhadigan
- ✠ Earl Dean by Rosalie Motte
- For the intentions of Lisa & Marc Hunter & Family by Ed & Catherine Wullaert
- For the intentions of Kelly Moilanen by Nick & Alex Buffa

5:30 PM

- ✠ Mary Ann Dudek by Mitch & Fran Marcinkowski
- ✠ Tom Jakubiak and Cobb, Inez & Pat Harmon by Claudia Jakubiak

Monday, January 20, 2020

No Mass Scheduled

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

7:00 PM

- ✠ Florence Baczewski by her Family & Friends

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

No Mass Scheduled

Thursday, January 23, 2020

No Mass Scheduled

Friday, January 24, 2020

8:00 AM

- For the sick of the Parish

Saturday, January 25, 2020

4:30 PM

- ✠ Esther Fournier by Geno & Chris LeTarte
- ✠ Maria Davey by the Severini Family
- ✠ James McKiernan by Loren & Marlene Brown & Lee Baeyens
- ✠ Ivan Kokotovich by Elgia Wessel
- ✠ Mitch Marcinkowski, Jr. by Mitch & Fran Marcinkowski
- ✠ Sarah Sebastian by the Family

Sunday, January 26, 2020

10:30 AM

- ✠ Dave Burg by the Dehring Family
- For the Parishioners

5:30 PM

- ✠ Deceased members of the Dziubinski Family by Emie & Donna Gracey
- For the intentions of Mitch & Fran Marcinkowski by Ed & Catherine Wullaert

Intercessory prayer reflects God's own character of outgoing love and mercy. Please pray for the intentions of the following:

Alex A. ☺	Kay Lynn Forbush ☺	Heather Lauzon	Greg Plemmons ☺
Rita Acchianoe ☺	Ann Marie Fraley ☺	Karen Leonard ☺	Donna Powers ☺
Alexa Jade Acha ☺	Andrew Gilmore ☺	Cheryl Lisewski ☺	Ruth Pruent ☺
Ron Allen ☺	Charlene Golembiewski ☺	Cody Lucas, Jr. ☺	Jim Raska ☺
Albert Ambrose ☺	Martha Gutowski ☺	Billy Lockett ☺	Fred Rhein ☺
Dorothy Anderson ☺	Ardie Hayes ☺	Joyce Lyjak ☺	Kimberly Riley ☺
Gary Bordin ☺	Donna Hayes ☺	Clara Malburg ☺	Darlene Schmidt ☺
Mary Boyd ☺	Joe Hayes ☺	Mitch Marcinkowski ☺	Genevieve Siudym ☺
Katherine Bubel ☺	Sherry Hebel ☺	Ed Marnon ☺	Georgine Siudym ☺
Alex Buffa ☺	Marianna Hillock ☺	Kevin Marnon ☺	Hedy Smalenberg ☺
Nick Buffa ☺	Scott Hoffman ☺	Rick Marnon ☺	Patsy Stahl ☺
Amy Cantwell ☺	Ralph Hohlbein ☺	Linda Mastej ☺	Paul Sulkowski ☺
Joan Cantwell ☺	Toni Jarvis ☺	Ron McKiernan ☺	Amanda Teichow ☺
Cecelia Ann Clark ☺	Diana Jowett-Gutowski ☺	Joanne Meyers ☺	Betty Theut ☺
Debbie Cornwell ☺	Marianne Kaminski ☺	Kelly Moilanen ☺	Mikah Tobaben ☺
Mary Czostkowski ☺	Carrie Kerbrat ☺	Kandy Murray ☺	Faith Turner ☺
Linda Dubay ☺	William Ketelhut ☺	Gabriel Nunez ☺	Glenn VanBuren ☺
Matt Dunsmore ☺	Amanda Kilpatrick ☺	Bill Okay ☺	Theresa VanTiem ☺
Brenda Durkee ☺	Jesse Kilpatrick ☺	Anne O'Neal ☺	Mariann Ward ☺
Doug Ender ☺	Greg Knoche	Sally Passalacqua ☺	Ellie Wessel ☺
Bill Ensley ☺	Barb Korotko ☺	Larry Pfeifer ☺	Tina Witulski ☺
Helen Falecki ☺	Darlene Kreger ☺	Jessica Phillips ☺	John Wonsey
Clara Fisher ☺	Henry Kreger ☺	Maryellen Piergentili ☺	
Mike Fisher ☺		Debbie Plaut ☺	

The prayer list was updated. If someone who was on the prayer list came off that still needs to be on the prayer list, please contact the parish office either by phone or by email at cwullaert@holyfamily-online.org.

Welcome Holy Family Parish welcomes the following families who joined the parish during the months of November and December:

- ◆ Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Schweiger & Family
- ◆ Mr. & Mrs. Donald Distelrath
- ◆ Mr. & Mrs. Robert King & Family



Holy Baptism •

Newly baptized on January 12, 2020

Nicholas Martin Maniaci, son of Martin and Stephanie Maniaci

Welcome to God's Family!

Consider giving electronically!

Support the work of the church through Electronic Giving. Have your weekly or monthly contribution debited from your checking or savings and transferred directly into the church account safely and electronically—you'll never have to remember your checkbook again!

Electronic giving is a convenient and secure way to support Holy Family. If you would like to begin giving your contributions electronically, call the parish office.



**Our Mission: To Save Souls.
Mark Your Calendar!**

Monday 1-20-20

Tuesday 1-21-20

6:30 PM Confession
7:00 PM Mass of Reparation
8:00 PM AA

Wednesday 1-22-20

12:00 PM Prayer Blanket Ministry
4:00 PM Faith Formation
6:30 PM RCIA
6:30 PM Choir Practice
7:00 PM Parish Council Meeting

Thursday 1-23-20

9:00 AM—4:00 PM Divine Mercy Center/Store Open
6:30 PM Walking with Purpose Bible Study @ SA
7:00 PM Catholic Biblical School of Michigan
8:00 PM AA

Friday 1-24-20

8:00 AM Mass followed by 1/2 hour of Adoration
9:00 AM—4:00 PM Divine Mercy Center/Store Open

Saturday 1-25-20

3:30 PM Confession
4:30 PM Mass
4:00 PM—7:00 PM K of C Italian Dinner for Seminarians

Sunday 1-26-20

9:00 AM Faith Formation
10:30 AM Mass
5:30 PM Mass



Hosted by the Knights of Columbus
#10501

Why Donate Blood?

A blood donation truly is a “gift of life” that a healthy individual can give to others in their community who are sick or injured. In one hour’s time, a person can donate one unit of blood that can be separated into four individual components that could help save multiple lives.

From one unit of blood, red blood cells can be extracted for use in trauma or surgical patients. Plasma, the liquid part of blood, is administered to patients with clotting problems. The third component of blood, platelets, clot the blood when cuts or other open wounds occur, and are often used in cancer and transplant patients. Cryoprecipitated anti-hemophilic factor (AHF) is also used for clotting factors.



**BLOOD DRIVE
February 16th**

8:00 - 1:45 pm
Holy Family Life Center

For your convenience, please go to redcrossblood.org and schedule your appointment. Just type in “48041” in the “Find a Drive” box.

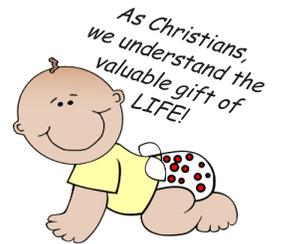


Collecting Baby Items for the Spero Pregnancy Care Center

Please join the Christian Service Ministry and the Faith Formation children in supporting this very worthy cause. The Spero Center counsels women in difficult situations to keep their baby and then helps them by providing care and essential baby items.

Please drop your donations off in the back of church or in the Life Center anytime during the month of January.

Some items that the center can use are Playtex bottles and nipples, Playtex bottle liners (4oz. and 6oz.), baby wipes, shampoo, wash, diaper cream, lotions, vaporizers, thermometers, crib sheets, hooded towels and wash cloths, healthcare and grooming kits, first aid kits, diapers (preemie to size 5), preemie items, onesies, pajamas, and outfits (size preemie to 2T).



**Wednesday,
February 26**

**Upcoming
Fish Fry
Dates**

**Friday,
March 6th &
20th
and April 3rd**



League of Catholic Women News

The League is always looking to increase membership. Our organization is dedicated to supporting students in area Catholic schools with tuition assistance scholarships. This past year, \$12,000 has been donated. We also assist local charities such as the homeless shelters and Hunter Hospitality House. We provide spiritual and social occasions for our membership. Past members are remembered each year at a Mass. A gathering for March is in the works and will be posted soon. If you or anyone you know are interested in learning more about the League, we invite you to call our president, Deborah Krueger/ 810-385-4089, or our membership chair, Carolyn Connors /810-364-9432.



St. Augustine Catholic School

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My Greatest Gifts

For many, the excitement of their new Christmas gifts has worn off. New toys already have broken or lost parts. Some have just lost their luster and will be placed on a shelf possibly to never be used again. However, I have been truly blessed with gifts that will never lose their luster or be placed to the side!

My gifts are not given to me at Christmas. I receive them every August. Smiling faces, eager for a new school year. They don't know how much I enjoy getting to unwrap each one. I get to see the real person that lies on the inside. I get to see them flourish and grow spiritually, academically, and physically.

This year I have been blessed with ten precious gifts. And each gift comes with his/her own gifts to me. I have the sweet, innocent one who always has a positive outlook. I have the very independent one. The one who still needs a little time to learn to trust in herself. Then there is the artist. The one who has a special love of animals. Or the one who wants to help me and others just to see others happy. I have a reader, an athlete, the future mathematician, and a future storyteller.

These little gifts don't know just how precious they are to me. I pray that they know that I deeply care for them and even refer to them as mine. They will never sit on a shelf or be broken in my eyes. They are perfect in my eyes.

Miss DeJonckheere
4th Grade

AQUINAS COLLEGE
Makes all the difference in the world.
Aquinas College STEM AQDay
Friday, January 24, 2020
Aquinas College in Grand Rapids, Michigan welcomes any high school students and families to our STEM AQDay on Friday, January 24th. If you're interested in pursuing a career in science, technology, engineering, math, health sciences, nursing or kinesiology – this day is for you! Details and registration can be found at aquinas.edu/STEMaqday.

COUPONING 101 CLASS

Learn secrets on how to save money on grocery's, household items and more!!



This class covers....

- Where to find the best coupons
- How to match sales to coupons
- Coupon organizing techniques
- Grocery store policies
- How to build your stockpile
- How to use coupon apps
- How to find discount codes for online purchases
- How to time manage couponing
- And so much more.....

Cost is a \$10 Donation to go towards the St. Augustine Catholic School Parent Teacher Committee

Date: Wednesday, January 29, 2020

Time: 7:00PM-9:00 PM

Location: St. Augustine Parish Hall
68035 Main Street
Richmond, MI 48062

RSVP to Rachael Kuffa by text or email at (810)394-0344 or rckuffa@gmail.com

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS NOW HIRING!
SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED!
Must have completed 90 credit hours with a minimum 2.0 GPA
Contact the school office (586) 727-9365