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HOLY FAMILY ST. AUGUSTINE ST. MARY MYSTICAL ROSE

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 20, 2023

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Sacrament of Baptism:

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

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.

Anointing of the Sick:

Notify the parish office of any need for hospital or home visits.

Bulletin / website submissions:

Submit to lhunter@holyfamily-online.org in digital format please.

Bulletin submission deadline is Fridays at noon for the following weekend.

New Mass Schedule Begins August 26, 2023

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Saturday	9:00 ANI	St. Mary Mystical Rose
		NO MASS OFFERED
		Confessions at 9:00am
	4:00 PM	Holy Family
		Confessions at 3:00pm
	6:00 PM	St. Augustine
		Confessions at 7:00pm
Sunday	7:00 AM	St. Augustine
	9:00 AM	St. Augustine
	10:00 AM	St. Mary
		Mystical Rose
	10:30 AM	Holy Family
	5:30 PM	Holy Family

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Our Mission: Save Souls

We serve God through His Begotten Son, Jesus Christ, with the empowerment and the strength of the Holy Spirit: to celebrate the Holy Sacraments and Worship, Christian Service and Faith Education, to evangelize and practice our faith in active stewardship--with the faith, spirit and humility of Mary, the Rose of God.

Weekday Mass and Confession Schedule		Weekend Mass and Confession Schedule	
Monday Tuesday	8:00 am Mass at St. Augustine 6:30 pm Confessions 7:00 pm Mass at Holy Family	Saturday	3:00 pm Confessions at Holy Family 4:00 pm Mass at Holy Family
Wednesday	9:00 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose followed by Adoration and Confessions		6:00 pm Mass at St. Augustine 7:00 pm Confessions at St. Augustine
Thursday	8:00 am Mass at St. Augustine followed by Confessions	Sunday	7:00 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose 8:30 am Mass at St. Augustine
Friday	First Fridays: 8:00 am Mass at Holy Family Followed by Adoration and Confessions All other Fridays 9:00 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose followed by Adoration		10:00 am Mass at Holy Family 11:30 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose 5:30 pm Mass at St. Augustine

From Fr. Mark Livingston

Thanks be to God for a great St. Augustine festival last weekend, and a terrific Armada fair, despite the torrential rains at the start! I'm so grateful to all of the volunteers who gave so selflessly of their time and energy this week. You make our parishes amazing places and I am so grateful to God for each one of you. I was especially encouraged to see how many individuals from St. Augustine and Holy Family assisted at the Armada Fair food booth, and how many people from St. Mary and Holy Family attended the St. Augustine festival. I am so happy that our communities operate well as one Body in Christ! And there's plenty of room at the table for more!

Each and every person is called to enter the kingdom of God and remain with Lord forever. Those of us in the household of the Lord already are called to invite more people into his household! Our gospel this weekend is tricky, but it gets to the heart of this understanding.

Jesus is in the Gentile (non-Jewish) region of Tyre and Sidon, the region north of the Sea of Galilee. He and his disciples intentionally go there. While there, a Syrophoenician Gentile woman approaches them to heal her daughter. At first glance, it seems like Jesus gives an almost rude reply to her, saying "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel" and "it is not right to give the food of the children to dogs." It is true

that in Matthew 10:6, Jesus commands his disciples to go only to the lost sheep of Israel. It is also true that in Matthew 28, the last chapter of his Gospel, Jesus commands his disciples to "go out to all nations, baptizing them...". The story of this woman in Tyre and Sidon is the turning point of the gospel, returning from "Jewish people only" to "all people."

Jesus wanted the children of the promise (Israel) to have a chance at conversion first. But that did not mean that non-Jewish people were excluded from his saving plan. It is shockingly true that Jesus called this woman a dog. We cannot deny it. We also cannot deny that he never sinned. How can these two exist at the same time?

In Jesus' time and prior to his bodily arrival on earth, it's very well documented that a common slur was to call someone a dog. It was common to call the pagans of the region this name because of their worship of false gods, sacrificially offering their children to false gods, and immoral practices. Conversely, the pagan nations called the Israelites dogs, too. There are many passages in the Bible about this. It was a great insult.

In our gospel, we have to picture the scene to understand it. This was a public interaction, mainly in the presence of his disciples. The woman approaches and falls on her knees in front of him and his

disciples, begging him for mercy. No doubt, Jesus knew their hearts. It's even quite possible that some of them said in their hearts, "Get this dog away from him!" They want him to send her away, not heal her daughter! The Greek word ἀπολύω (apolyō) is translated here "send" in the context of "send her away." This is a very interesting word choice, because it more accurately means "to loose her" (from a bondage or connection) or "set her free." Jesus intends to do just that! While his disciples mean send/apolyo in the sense of "get rid of her, she's bothering us," Jesus wants to set her and her child free from the distress and affliction that she's suffering from ... because of her faith IN HIM. And he does set her free and heal her daughter.

This must've been shocking for his disciples to witness. It must've felt strange to them because they were told only to go to Israelites and then they see Jesus healing a Gentile woman. Was the Messiah really helping their historical enemies? With Jesus there are no enemies and no strangers; there are only potential friends and family members in Christ. That's why he asks us to pray for people who hurt us.

I once visited the Air Force Academy, and saw a plaque of a famous instructor that said something like, "when we are outnumbered by the

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(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorma

God and the Good Strong Wind

My only real memory of the Mackinac Island ferry was the physical sensation of the wind against my face. I remember, distinctly, that it hurt.

It surprised and confused me because wind had never felt painful before. Looking back now, I realize that it wasn't just the wind but the spray from the waves that crashed against the side of the ferry — that was what produced the sharp, biting sensation on my skin. But I couldn't have known that then, because my eyes were clamped shut. I refused to open them, even if I had, I would not have seen much, because my long hair was blown straight across my face.

I was four years old, and it was, in the immortal words of Winnie-the-Pooh, a very blustery day as my family made our way to Mackinac Island. I remember thinking I was going to die. I'm positive now that it wasn't really all that dramatic, but at four years old, you're awfully scared of a good strong wind. Deep inside, aren't we all, really?

I think of the apostles who cannot recognize Christ — their friend — because he is doing something new. Something impossible. They are so sure he is a ghost, a sinister thing — children are always frightened of what they cannot understand.

And even when he reassures them, still Peter is not convinced. He demands, essentially, a miracle. He demands that Christ make him do what only Christ can do.

And even when the miracle takes place — he walks on water, he defies physics — still he is human. Scared, doubtful, distractible. No match for a good strong wind.

"Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter..." Matthew 14:31

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St. Mary Mystical Rose Lector Meeting Thursday, August 24, 2023 6:30 pm In the Church

All current and interested lectors are encouraged to attend.



Mom to Mom Sale September 23, 2023 St. Mary Mystical Rose

The Christian Service
Commission of
St. Mary Mystical Rose will be hosting a Mom to Mom Sale on Saturday,
September 23, 2023
in the St. Mary Mystical Rose
Social Hall.

Would you like to rent a table?

Heather Agee jhcagee@yahoo.com

OR

Julie Shanks yellowroses516@yahoo.com

A St. Vincent de Paul truck will also be available in the parking lot of St. Mary Mystical Rose that weekend for any donations of household goods or clothing (no furniture, please).

Thank God for ANSWERED PRAYERS

by John Kowalski Director of Engagement



What did you pray for?

That I would be able to have the necklace and cross I'd just bought for my grandson be blessed by a priest.

What happened?

It happened right there in the store!

Narrative:

My daughter and I were shopping for a cross and chain for my grandson for his birthday the day before he was to leave town. I was wondering if/how to find a priest with so little time. As I was checking out, I mentioned this to the cashier who said, "I just saw a priest in the store". When we looked through the store, we found him! As it turns out, he was a newly ordained priest visiting from Pennsylvania. What a wonderful God who is always ready to answer our prayers!

Commentary:

Amen! What a wonderful God we have! Nothing – and I do mean nothing – is too small to a God who "numbers every hair on our heads" (Lk 12:7). Non-Christians reading this would call this a "mere coincidence" (and yes, it certainly could have been one) but what are the odds? On the other hand, the Christian who time after time after time has seen these sorts of "coincidences" in their lives would disagree; they would (and this woman did) see it as an answered prayer.



The Food Pantry at St. Mary Mystical Rose is in need of the following items, but we welcome ALL DONATIONS:

> Toothpaste Toothbrushes Deodorant Bar soap



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St. Augustine Catholic School spreads the Good NEWS by Navigating a Christian course, Educating body, mind and spirit, Worshiping the Lord, and Serving others.

St. Augustine 8th grade students share memories of their time at St. Augustine School. Each week through the summer, the bulletin will feature an essay or two from our newest alumni, the 2023 eighth grade graduates of St. Augustine Catholic School.

8th Grade Graduation Essay By Stella Grace

By Stella Grace 8th Grade Student

Before I start, I would like to thank the faculty, especially Mrs. Kauffman, Miss DeJonckheere, Mr. Austin, Mrs. Kliemann, Mrs. Chrcek, Mrs. Solomon, Ms. Savoyard, and Mrs. Eisen for everything you have helped me with, all of the great memories you have given me, and all of the laughs. At this time, I will reflect on some things that I have learned and things that I have participated in.

When I arrived at Saint Augustine, I did not know what to expect because I was coming from a public school that had different rules than a Catholic school. I thought that it would be hard to go to a new school because I missed my friends so much. I did not expect to be welcomed in so quickly. By the end of the first day, I already had a couple of friends which made me excited. I learned that I had a lot of things in common with almost all of my classmates.

By the time I was in fourth grade, I started participating in athletics. I played basketball and ran cross country and track. Even though I did want to do those sports, I still found a way to have fun. My goal was to try to make honor roll every quarter, but I did not really care what I got.

I think some of my best memories are toward the end of seventh and eighth grade. One thing that I will remember was when Mrs. Eisen was sick and Mr. Austin stood up on her desk and we filmed a video of him. We also sent her .5 pictures of Brandon's forehead. I would always go out of my way to somehow scare Mrs. Eisen. One day, I hid under her desk, and when she came by her chair I jumped out and scared her. She also gave our class an imaginary friend named Doug. Oh and by the way, he ate my assignment.

I will always miss St. A's when I'm in highschool. I will long for the simplicity of middle school. But, I won't miss the smell of the Cafeteria on fridays. Hopefully I can stop over once I have a day off. Thanks for everything.



Student Blessing August 26 & 27, 2023 at All Masses

(backpacks optional)

Sometimes we forget about the importance of being blessed and blessing others. As parents, we can and should bless our children. The responsibility we hold as parents should lead us and our children to a deeper understanding of what it means to be a disciple of Christ; to love, follow, trust and serve Him by serving others.

Every time we come to mass, we are blessed, yet on occasion certain people are blessed in a very special way. Prepare your children ahead of time by explaining that when they are blessed in Church, it's a little different than when you bless them at home. Help them understand that priests stand in for Christ and so it will be Jesus himself blessing them to give them all they need for the upcoming school year: patience, knowledge, understanding and peace.

As they struggle with schoolwork this year, remind them of their special blessing and that God is right there to help, they need only to ask Him.

We look forward to seeing your entire family as your students are blessed!



THANK YOU

from the St. Augustine Altar Sodality



We would like to **THANK** everyone who donated baked goods, produce, crafts, crocheted, knitted, and sewn items, and Rosaries to our Country Store! We were truly blessed to receive these wonderful items that helped make it a successful year! Also, we would like to thank all the volunteers who made the Country Store possible. We plan to donate our share of the proceeds to the St Augustine School roof fund.

We would also like to greatly thank the following businesses for their contributions: Garden's and Beyond (Theut family), Wiegand's Nursery, and Kaltz farms for donations of plants and flowers.

Thank you to Marian & family for the beautiful quilts, and Jan for the beautiful afghan for our raffle.

God Bless, St. Augustine Altar Sodality



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Richmond Knights of Columbus are hosting their annual

CORN ROAST

TUESDAY, August 22, 2023 4pm—7pm St. Augustine Parish Hall 68035 Main Street Richmond, MI 48062



Free Will Donation

Proceeds benefit the St. Augustine School roof repair project!

Burgers, hotdogs (with all the fixin's), chips, coleslaw, dessert, and CORN!

> Dine-In or Carry Out!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Richmond Good Old Days 8th Grade Parade Float

Our St. Augustine 8th Graders are hard at work creating a float for the Richmond Good Old Days Parade on Sunday September 10th. accepting donations of wrapped candy to toss to kids, young and old, along the parade route. You may drop off your donation at any parish office and it will make its way to the school. Thank you!

We have raised \$92,975.00 of \$195,000.00 for the new roof on St. Augustine School.

THANK YOU

for your support of this much needed project.

St. Augustine

Our 2023 St. Augustine Festival was a wonderful success due in part to our gracious sponsors who helped defray the cost of the festival. Please patronize them when shopping for goods or services.

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2023 St. Augustine Festival Main Raffle Winners

1st Prize - \$5000 - Maurice Castiglione 2nd Prize - \$ 750 - Janie McAllister 3rd Prize - \$ 500 - Kaye Bryan 4th Prize - \$ 250 - Linda Riedel

Altar Sodality Quilt Raffle Winners

1st Prize - Large Quilt - Marleen Chauvin 2nd Prize - Afghan - Patti Misiuk 3rd Prize - Small Quilt - Karen Wojciehowski

Wheelbarrow of Cheer Winner

Robert Jackman

Hot Option Raffle Winners

Gift Card Basket - Tim Kerry Flat Screen TV - Dan Manchik Blackstone Grill - Jason Heywood Inflatable Paddle Board - Beth Lott 31/2 ft. Cedar Garden Cross - Claire Manchik Portable Fire Pit - Julie Shanks



St. Augustine Festival **Main Raffle Ticket Sponsors**

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Mail Call

Q. My wife and I, along with several of our Catholic friends have become concerned with our Church. It appears that we are capitulating to worldly influences. Pro choice priests, bishops shutting down mass per governmental mandate and the Pope leaning towards new age philosophy. Maybe this is why mass attendance is declining?

A. Perhaps this perception, right or wrong, is indeed a contributing factor in a decline in mass attendance. However, there is a list of many factors that are affecting all of Christianity in every denomination all around the world. Let's not forget MSM has often twisted and even fabricated stories about our Church. No matter what our concerns may be, as Catholics, deserting mass is the exact opposite of what our response needs to be.

Consider our Church when it was in its embryonic form. There were twelve men in a fishing boat on the Sea of Galilee. A violent squall came up. The boat began taking on water. They feared for their lives. They called out to Jesus and they were saved. Jesus then asked them "where is your faith?" (Luke 8:22-25). This question is as relevant for us today as it was then. Where is OUR faith?

None of those men in that boat considered jumping ship, instead they called on the Lord. We can do the same. This Church has been under attack since the day of Pentecost. Sources, both external and internal, have been battering this boat for two thousand years. We need not fear, Jesus promised to be with us until the end of the age (Matthew 28:20).

We are free to disagree with bishops and popes. We are not free to undermine their authority. We did not put these men in office, God did. These men do not answer to us. They answer to God. We do not know the Lord's plan, but rest assured he has a perfect plan. History is replete with examples of God turning sorrow into joy and anxiety into peace, even death into life. Jesus told his followers that although the scribes and Pharisees were hypocrites, they sit on the Chair of Moses, obey them. (Matthew 23:1-3)

We understand that it would have been foolish for the disciples to have climbed overboard into the sea's abyss. It would be equally foolish for us to abandon ship. As thousands of followers were walking away from Jesus he asked the twelve if they were leaving too. Peter answered: "where would we go, you have the words of life" (John 6:68). Where have our AWOL parishioners gone? Into what abyss have they jumped? What do they risk losing for all eternity? Who might they be dragging along with them?

Scripture records that "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever." (Hebrews 13:8) This same Jesus is just as much present in his Church today as he was in that boat 2,000 years ago. The sacraments are still as effective today as ever. Anyone who leaves the Church, for any reason, is risking grave eternal consequences. However, to leave because you disapprove of the man God has placed in the Chair of Peter may be especially dangerous. Let God be God as he works to accomplish his purpose. In the meantime, we should earnestly pray for those that God has placed in authority, whether or not they have our personal approval. In these turbulent times we need to double down on receiving the Eucharist, not walk away.

See you in Church. Bring a friend!

Send your questions to: **George@CatholicIssues.org**

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enemy in a dog fight, don't think of it as a problem, think of it, rather, as being given plentiful targets!" My friends, let's not look at the world or each other as "enemy territory," but as potential Christian family member territory! Let's boldly go out and, in a normal and approachable way, invite people to consider believing in Christ and his Church, whether that's at the St. Augustine festival, the Armada Fair, an upcoming event at Holy Family, Kroger, or wherever!

I want to challenge you this week to say "God bless you" to someone in a public place, or invite someone to church with you, offer to pray for/with someone on the spot, or even talk to a person about Jesus. We're all in different places with different comfort levels because of our temperaments and other factors. But let's never be afraid to say the name of Jesus in public and to invite others to try to get to know and love him too. There is plenty of room at the Lord's table; no one needs to beg for scraps.

God bless you and thank God this week for his gift of conversion.

Fr. Mark

SCAM EMAIL/TEXT ALERT

Scam email and text messages that claim to be from Fr. Mark Livingston have been reported by several of our parishioners. As a reminder, please always double check the email address the correspondence came from. If it is not from Fr. Mark's email, it is not from Fr. Mark (though the address may be similar). Please also remember that Fr. Mark will never ask anyone for money, gift cards, anything "off the record," nor will he ever ask to meet someone at a location other than our parish offices.

If you receive any messages of this nature, please block the email/text message sender.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



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Save the Date!

Advent Tea

HOPE. PEACE. JOY. LOVE.

Sunday, December 3, 2023 1:00 pm St. Mary Mystical Rose

Space is limited!
To host a table,
please contact:
Heather Agee 586.360.9524
or
Julie Shanks 586.453.1753

St. Mary Mystical Rose is looking for a few people to join our Liturgical Team



The Liturgical Environment Team is responsible for decorating the church to reflect both the liturgical season and scriptural readings for the season. Creativity is the key for the success of this ministry. If you have a natural gift for making things look good, please give it some prayerful thought and call the Parish Office at (586) 784-5966. We would be happy to answer any questions you might have. There is a resource book to guide you through the Liturgical Church Year. Times that you decorate are mutually set by your team members.



Calling All Campers!

Are you looking for an "in-tents" experience?

The Merciful Love of Jesus Family of Parishes is planning to hold a unique, fun, family friendly event – our **second annual**...

Christian Campout!

When: September 8-9

Where: St. Mary Mystical Rose Parking lot

What to bring: A tent, a camper or even a blanket or a bag to

sleep out under the stars

Why: For the fun of it! Gas is expensive, campsite reservations are hard to get and who likes driving for hours towing a camper?

Why not enjoy the great outdoors <u>and</u> your parish family at the same time? Holy Family, St. Augustine and Mystical Rose parishioners are invited to our <u>second-annual</u> parish campout in the St. Mary Mystical Rose parking lot. Lots of fun events and activities are planned including:

- Volleyball
- Cornhole games
- Movie night for the kids
- A talk by Deacon Alan
- A blessing of tents and campers
- Potluck dinner
- Stations of the cross
- Stump the clergy challenge
- Evening bonfire and storytelling
- Breakfast available Saturday morning

For more details, contact John Kowalski at (248) 841-7502 or email him at farmall h@yahoo.com

Itinerary:

Friday September 8th

Arrive any time after noon - parking is on a first-come-first-served basis.

- 5:00pm outdoor stations of the cross
- 6:00pm: potluck dinner
- 8:00pm movie night for the kids
- 8:00pm talk by Deacon Alan for the adults
- 10:00pm bonfire, storytelling and socializing

Saturday September 9th

- . 8:00am mass
- 9:00am breakfast
- 10:00am blessing of campers and tents
- 11:00 stump the clergy! (Q&A with our priests and deacons)
- 1:00 Break camp
- 3:00 parking lot cleared

Other notes: No water or electrical hookups are provided but you may bring a generator. Free will donations are accepted. Bathroom access will be provided. No outside alcohol is allowed. You DO NOT need to camp overnight to participate –

come and socialize!

ALL CAMPERS: You MUST RSVP for this event by emailing John Kowalski at

farmall_h@yahoo.com



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Holy Family Mass Intentions

Monday, August 21, 2023 No Mass Scheduled Tuesday, August 22, 2023 7:00 PM

· For the Parishioners

Wednesday, August 23, 2023 No Mass Scheduled Thursday, August 24, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Friday, August 25, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Saturday, August 26, 2023

4:00 PM

- ♣ Monica Coccimiglio by the Wullaert Family
- [↑] Theresa Brohl (17th anniv.) by Rich & Marge Brohl
- For Leo & Lori Gaffney by John & Hedy Smalenberg

Sunday, August 27, 2023

10:30 AM

- ⊕ Bob Schultz by Betty Burns
- [⊕] Genevieve Siudym by Mr. & Mrs. Randy Goniwicha
- † Chuck Brickel by Ron & Connie Schweiger
- P Sandy Aguilo by Mitch Marcinkowski
- Deceased members of the Bradley & Kowalski Families by John & Leslie Kowalski
- For the Bradley & Kowalski Families by John & Leslie Kowalski
- For Debbie Plaut by the Gillis Family

5:30 PM

† Fran Marcinkowski by Chris & Tammy Austin

To request a Mass, please contact one of our parish offices:

Holy Family

(810) 392-2056

St. Augustine

(586) 727-5215

St. Mary Mystical Rose

(586) 784-5966



St. Augustine Mass Intentions

Monday, August 21, 2023 Mass 8:00 AM

 For Our Country req. by Ron & Connie Schweiger Tuesday, August 22, 2023
 No Mass Scheduled
 Wednesday, August 23, 2023
 No Mass Scheduled
 Thursday, August 24, 2023
 Mass 8:00 AM

 [⊕] Souls in Purgatory req. by Ron & Connie Schweiger Friday, August 25, 2023

 No Mass Scheduled Saturday, August 26, 2023

 Mass 6:00 PM

- [†] Margaret Wolf req. by Sparby & Rhein Family
- [⊕] Dee Franz req. by Ken & Kathy Fisher Sunday, August 27, 2023
- Mass 7:00 AM

• Our Parishioners *Mass 9:00 AM*

- [⊕] John Sharpe req. by Pat Neaton
- Deceased Members of The Shinska Family req. by Dan & Claire Manchik
- ⊕ Jeff Hawkins
 Birthday Remembrance req. by Family
- [⊕] Jean Perkins req. by Rose & Bob
- ➡ Bill & Aggie Esper Wedding Anniversary Remembrance req. by Esper Family
- Deceased Members of the Altar Sodality req. by St. Augustine Altar Sodality
- [♣] Cy Dheygere req. by Martha King
- [†] Dan Schultz req. by Jerry & Cindy Thorne
- ⊕ Sylvia Shinska
 Death Anniversary Remembrance
 req. by Dan & Claire Manchik
- ⊕ Beatrice Burden req. by Mike & Janet Madaus
- Frances Orzel
 73rd Wedding Anniversary
 Remembrance
 req. by Family
- [†] Charles Brickel req. by Dan & Claire Manchik
- [†] James Riedel req. by Don & Cheryl Riedel
- Healing Prayers for Bob & Lana Johnston req. by John & Judi Rhoades



St. Mary Mystical Rose Mass Intentions

Monday, August 21, 2023 No Mass Scheduled

Tuesday, August 22, 2023 No Mass Scheduled

Wednesday, August 23, 2023 9:00 AM

P Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, August 24, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Friday, August 25, 2023

9:00 AM

· Our Parishioners

Saturday, August 26, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Sunday, August 27, 2023

10:00 AM

The George Sparr, Sr. Req. by family

Readings for the week of August 20, 2023

- Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3,
 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/
 Mt 15:21-28
- Monday: Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/ Mt 19:16-22
- Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 19:23-30
- Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 20:1-16
- Thursday: Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Jn 1:45 -51
- Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/ Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mt 22:34-40
- Saturday: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Mt 23:1-12
- Next Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8 (8bc)/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20



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Please pray for **Holy Family Parishioners** at home or in the hospital...

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Holy Family Calendar

Monday 8-21-2023 NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday 8-22-2023

6:30 pm Confession 7:00 pm Daily Mass 8:00 pm AA Meeting

Wednesday 8-23-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Thursday 8-24-2023

NO DAILY MASS 8:00 pm AA Meeting

Friday 8-25-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Saturday 8-26-2023

3:00 pm Confession

4:00 pm Mass (*Fr. Kishore)

Sunday 8-27-2023

10:30 am Mass (*Fr. Mark) 5:30 pm Mass (*Fr. Mark)



St. Augustine Calendar

Monday 8-21-2023

8:00 am Daily Mass

8:00 pm AA & Al Anon—Parish Hall

Tuesday 8-22-2023

4:00 pm K of C Corn Roast

Wednesday 8-23-2023

NO DAILY MASS

6:30 pm Finance Council Meeting, Parish office

Thursday 8-24-2023

8:00 am Daily Mass

8:30 am Confession after Mass

Friday 8-25-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Saturday 8-26-2023

6:00 pm Mass (*Fr. Mark) 7:00 pm Confession

Sunday 8-27-2023

7:00 am Mass (*Fr. Kishore) 9:00 am Mass (*Fr. Sal)

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St. Mary Mystical Rose Calendar

Monday 8-21-2023

NO DAILY MASS

4:00 pm Food pantry distribution

Tuesday 8-22-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Wednesday 8-23-2023

9:00 am Daily Mass 9:30 am Adoration

10:00 am Confessions (after Adoration) 10:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

Thursday 8-24-2023

NO DAILY MASS

6:30 pm Lector meeting, church

Friday 8-25-2023

9:00 am Daily Mass 9:30 am Adoration

Saturday 8-26-2023

NO SATURDAY MASS OFFERED

Sunday 8-27-2023

10:00 am Mass (*Fr. Kishore)

* Due to frequent updates to our clergy schedule, presider information may change. Thank you for understanding.

Holy Family 2023 CSA Pledges As of August 15, 2023

Goal: \$48,692.00
Pledged: (66%) \$32,020.00
Paid on pledges: \$26,748.08
Number of gifts: 92
Anticipated refund
if all pledges are paid: \$0

St. Augustine 2023 CSA Pledges As of August 15, 2023

Goal: \$80,152.00
Pledged: (80%) \$64,265.00
Paid on pledges: \$48,209.83
Number of gifts: 146
Anticipated refund
if all pledges are paid: \$0

St. Mary Mystical Rose 2023 CSA Pledges As of August 15, 2023

Goal: \$19,778.00 Pledged: (111%) \$21,900.00 Paid on pledges: \$20,470.00 Number of gifts: 63

Anticipated refund

if all pledges are paid: \$2,122.00

Holy Family Parish Stewardship Sunday, August 13, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$6,725.00
Weekly Budget: \$7,273.00
Budgeted YTD: \$50,911.00
Collected YTD: \$46,188.95
Over/(Short) YTD: \$4,722.05)
of envelopes used/EFT's: 143
of Registered Families: 709

St. Augustine Parish Stewardship Sunday, August 13, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$12,461.26 Weekly Budget: \$12,212.00 Budgeted YTD: \$85,484.00 Collected YTD: \$84,893.83 Over/(Short) YTD: (\$590.17) # of envelopes used/EFT's: 217 # of Registered Families: 893

St. Mary Mystical Rose Stewardship Sunday, August 13, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$3,395.00
Weekly Budget: \$3,269.00
Budgeted YTD: \$22,883.00
Collected YTD: \$20,189.00
Over/(Short) YTD: \$2,694.00)
of envelopes used/EFT's: 64
of Registered Families: 427

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