

HOLY FAMILY ST. AUGUSTINE ST. MARY MYSTICAL ROSE

4th Sunday of Advent/Christmas

December 24, 2023

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St. Augustine Parish

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Armada, Michigan 48005 stmarvmvsticalrose.org (586) 784-5966

St. Augustine Catholic School

67901 Howard Street Richmond, MI 48062 (586) 727-9365 staugustinecatholicschool.com

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:

Contact the parish office for hospital or home visits.

Bulletin / website submissions:

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

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

Flyer/insert deadline: Thursdays by noon

Announcement deadline: Fridays by noon

Introducing

Faith and Mercy Nights

Please join Fr. Mark and other members of the Merciful Love of Jesus Family of Parishes twice monthly for Faith and Mercy Nights. These events will take place on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month for six months, from January to June 2024, beginning



On the 1st Wednesday of the month, Fr. Mark will lead a teaching on a topic. There will be a presentation followed by table discussion. Then we will have an open format period for question and answer. Any question is fair game! These evenings together are meant to be fun, uplifting and educational. They will take place on a rotational basis at the sites in our family of parishes in the social hall or gathering area. Light refreshments will be served.

On the 3rd Wednesday of the month, Fr. Mark and other clergy members will lead a prayer experience in the church. A typical evening will include Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, inspirational music, guided prayer, and Confession. We will meet for roughly one hour in the church beginning at 7 PM for this wonderful time of rest.



This will take place at a different location in our Family each month. Here is the schedule:

January	St. Augustine	Talk on Wed, Jan 3 (Kerygma) Prayer on Wed, Jan 17
February	Holy Family	Talk on Wed, Feb 7 (Lent) Prayer on Wed, Feb 21
March	St. Mary Mystical Rose	Talk on Wed, Mar 6 (TBD) Prayer on Wed, Mar 20
April	St. Augustine	Talk on Wed, Apr 3 (TBD) Prayer on Wed, Apr 17
May	Holy Family	Talk on Wed, May 1 (Mary) Prayer on Wed, May 15
June	St. Mary Mystical Rose	Talk on Wed, Jun 5 (Eucharist) Prayer on Wed, Jun 19

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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 Wednesday Thursday	8:15 am Mass at St. Augustine 6:30 pm Confessions 7:00 pm Mass at Holy Family 9:00 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose followed by Adoration and Confessions 8:15 am Mass at St. Augustine followed by	Saturday	9:00 am Confessions at St. Mary Mystical Rose 3:00 pm Confessions at Holy Family 4:00 pm Mass at Holy Family 6:00 pm Mass at St. Augustine 7:00 pm Confessions at St. Augustine
Friday	Confessions First Fridays: 8:15 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	Sunday	7:00 am Mass at St. Augustine 9:00 am Mass at St. Augustine 10:00 am Mass at St. Mary Mystical Rose 10:30 am Mass at Holy Family 5:30 pm Mass at Holy Family

From Fr. Mark Livingston

For the weekend of Saturday, 12/23, and Sunday, 12/24, we celebrate both the 4th Sunday of Advent and Christmas Eve. We are obligated as beloved children of God, out of mutual love and respect, to attend Mass for both Solemn occasions. There are no "2 for 1 specials" on Sunday. Here is the Mass schedule:

1st Obligation: 4th Sunday of Advent

Saturday, December 23:
4 PM Mass, at Holy Family
(4th Sunday Advent)
6 PM Mass, at St. Augustine
(4th Sunday Advent)

Sunday, December 24:
7 AM Mass, at St. Augustine
(4th Sunday Advent)
9 AM Mass, at St. Augustine
(4th Sunday Advent)
10 AM Mass, at St. Mary Mystical
Rose
(4th Sunday Advent)

(4th Sunday Advent) 10:30 AM Mass, at Holy Family (4th Sunday Advent) No 5:30 PM Mass

2nd Obligation: Christmas

Sunday, December 24:
4 PM Mass, at all three sites
(Christmas)
6 PM Mass, at Holy Family
(Christmas)
10 PM Mass, at St. Mary Mystical
Rose (Christmas)

Midnight Mass is technically a new day, see below.

Monday, December 25:
12 AM Mass, at St. Augustine
(Christmas)
8:15 AM Mass, at St. Augustine
(Christmas)
10 AM Mass, at St. Mary Mystical
Rose (Christmas)
10:30 AM Mass, at Holy Family
(Christmas)

Please plan accordingly and determine what is best for you and your family. I write this out of loving concern for you, your relationship with God, and how you teach your children and grandchildren the Faith.

For Sunday, 12/31, the **Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**, the evening Mass (5:30 PM) applies to Sunday (a holy day of obligation every week) and is not treated as a vigil Mass for the **Solemnity of Mary Mother of God**, on Mon 1/1. Here is our Mass schedule for Monday, January 1, Mary Mother of God. Though not obligatory this year, it is still strongly advised to attend.

Monday, January 1 Mary Mother of God

8:30 AM, St. Augustine 9:00 AM, St. Mary Mystical Rose 7:00 PM, Holy Family Merry Christmas! I'm so happy to celebrate this first Christmas together as a Family. You have all been together for a while. I am new. Welcome to all of our new parishioners and families this year. You are cherished and you belong here.

Jesus loves each of you (us) so He couldn't wait any much. longer to come and help us, teach us and set us free from slavery to sin and death. So many people today are enslaved to darkness, even thinking that their particular brand of darkness in their life is truly light. I was there for a good period of time in my life myself. It's alluring and intoxicating to be immersed in darkness and think you have found true light. Yet, in that darkness, we desire something more. If we're honest with ourselves, we are not really happy apart from God. We were made by him, for him, and, as St. Augustine said, "My heart was restless until it rested in you [God]." Rest is the deepest longing of our hearts—true peace, stillness, and security. These fruits of the heart

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only come from a life lived with God, persevering to the end in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health, to love and to honor each other all the days of our lives. He chooses to be held by you and to hold you. He wants to give you his transforming grace. Will we try again? Will we let him in? Will we care for him in our hearts and lives as much as we would care for a newborn child?

Jesus' vulnerable comings, as baby and as bread (Eucharist), tell us that he wanted to make himself utterly approachable for you and me. He wanted to be held and treated with love and care. He did not want us to be afraid of him. Let's approach him with confidence and reverence. Receive the newborn King of the Universe, Jesus, meek and gentle, waiting for us to lift him to our hearts and hold him close forever.

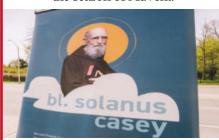
I have been writing about the Eucharist. I hope you will like our gift book to you this year, *Beautiful Eucharist*, by Matthew Kelly and the wonderful people of Dynamic Catholic. This book is meant to help us understand more fully the great mystery of divine love that is the Eucharist (Jesus really present with and in us), especially as we prepare for the 10th National Eucharistic Congress, at Lucas Oil Stadium, in Indianapolis, Indiana, from July 17-21, 2024.

Merry Christmas and God bless you! Fr. Mark



Walk Among the Saints

We are all called to be saints! What better way to realize this calling and prepare for Christmas than by taking a walk among them? This November and December we will have displays at each of our parishes that offer an opportunity for each of us to participate in a reflective walk. In this self-paced Walk Among the Saints, learn what it takes to become a Saint, Blessed, Venerable, and Servant of God. This is a great opportunity to reflect on our saintly calling as we enter and participate in the season of Advent.



Location and dates of where to find the banners:

Banners available for viewing during normal business hours and special viewing times.

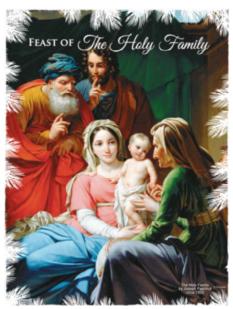
Holy Family

December 21 - January 2

Last Chance! Don't Miss Out:
Sunday, December 31; 11:30 am—2pm



Feast of the Holy Family



December 31st Holy Family Parish

Fr. Mark invites the members of the Merciful Love of Jesus Family to join him on December 31st at 10:30 a.m. to celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. Immediately following Mass will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Weather permitting there will be a procession on the grounds of Holy Family. After Reposition, he invites you to join him in the parish hall for coffee and donuts.

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Location	Date	Times
Holy Family	1/1/24	7:00 pm
St. Augustine	1/1/24	8:15 am
St. Mary Mystical Rose	1/1/24	9:00 am

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St. Augustine Catholic School spreads the Good NEWS by Navigating a Christian course, Educating body, mind and spirit, $\overline{\mathbf{W}}$ orshiping the Lord, and Serving others.



Gift Without Cost

Emily Lenn School Principal

A major focus of the Christmas season is on the gifts. We get caught up in the business of shopping for the perfect gifts for our loved ones and friends. The students at St. Augustine recently had an opportunity to shop at our school's Santa Shop, which is sponsored by our PTC (Parent Teacher Club). They were eager to search for the perfect gift for each person on their list. Giving gifts is one way to show others our love and gratitude. strive to build gratefulness in our St. A's students so that their eyes are opened to the blessings from God in their lives.

The final Sunday of Advent should give us pause to reflect on the gifts of the Lord in our lives. Our reflection should include the spiritual gifts that He has bestowed upon each of us. Spiritual gifts are most meaningful since they come through God's grace. They include gifts of the Holy Spirit such as wisdom, understanding, counsel, knowledge, fortitude, piety, and fear of the Lord. The Catechism of the Catholic Church states, "They complete and perfect the virtues of those who receive them. They make the faithful docile in readily obeying divine inspirations." (CCC, 1831)

When we consider all of the gifts that Jesus has blessed us with, we may then begin to wonder, what can we give Him? We can give Him our time in prayer, our presence in Adoration, our attendance and attentiveness at Holy Mass, the gift of our repentance, and our offering of sacrifices. Most of all, we can use the gifts he has given us to glorify God, but how?

Our Blessed Mother gives us the most perfect answer in the Joyful Mysteries of the rosary. Here are a few questions for reflection with each mystery:

- The Annunciation Do we accept the gifts that God gives us and also how he calls us to use them? Do we answer with a "Yes", like Mary?
- The Visitation Do we bring those gifts to others and offer our gifts in service to them?
- The Nativity Do we view our gifts as the hands and feet of Christ on earth? Do we also offer how we use them as a gift to God?
- The Presentation of our Lord -Do we accept the crosses that we have to bear when we serve God and do His will? Are we willing to take on those crosses and follow Him?
- The Finding in the Temple -When we lose sight of our gifts and lose sight of our Lord, do we go back and search for Him? Do we continue searching until we find Him?

Our Blessed Mother will lead us to her Son who can show us how to use our gifts for His glory. Jesus said it best when he told His disciples, "Without cost you have received, without cost vou are give." (Matthew 10:9) Give Him your gifts this Christmas by glorifying God in service to others.

Knights of Columbus Free Throw

Championship

Boys and Girls ages 9-14

WHERE: Holy Family Gym DATE: January 6, 2024 TIME: 9:30 am—11:00 am

CONTACT:

Phil Lenn (810) 650-3774 or Shaun Rapske (586) 612-3646 for more information

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Join us as we lift our voices in worship and praise! St. Augustine Church **Christmas Eve December 24, 2023** 11:40 p.m. Choir Prelude **December 25, 2023**

THANK YOU for your continued 12:00 a.m. Midnight Mass

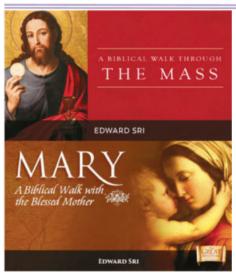
SCHOOL ROOF UPDATE

To date, we have raised

121,312.54

of \$195,000.00 for the new roof on St. Augustine School.

support of this much needed project.



Join us for Women's Bible Study 2024

Do you desire to grow (or continue to grow) in your Catholic faith? Do you seek connection with other women in our parish community? We invite you to join us for our continuing series of Women's Bible Study.

We will be offering two separate studies:

A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

(5 weeks, Jan—Feb)

&

A Biblical Walk With Mary

(8 weeks, Feb—Mar)
both by Ascension Press.
Join us for one or both of these short
studies that's perfect for people that want
to have a better understanding of the
Mass and get to know our Blessed
Mother more intimately.

Weekly sessions will be held Tuesday mornings in the St. Augustine old school classrooms from 8:00am - 9:30am beginning Tuesday, January 2, 2024 AND

Thursday evenings at St. Augustine in the Parish Hall from 6:30pm - 8:00pm beginning Thursday, January 4, 2024

Have Questions?

Contact Lexi Schweiger at (586) 382-8822

or

lexi.schweiger@gmail.com

Online registration is **NOW OPEN!**We hope to see you!



THE ACTS OF THE APOSTOLES



Please join us as we take a look at the birth, and miraculous growth, of the Church that Jesus had promised to establish and was then recorded in the Book of Acts

Date:

Thursday mornings beginning January 11, 2024

Place:

St. Augustine Faith Formation Building, Room 3

Time:

9:15 am-10:45 am

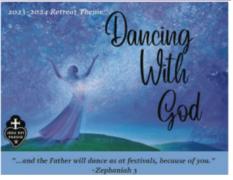
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- 1. SCAN THE OR CODE
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- 3. FIND AND SAVE YOUR PICTURES



Thank you again to
Lisa Hoppe with
Hoppe Photography
for taking these pictures for
us! We hope to see you all
next year!



Calling All Men... Join Us for Our Annual Men's Retreat February 23-25, 2024 St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center, Detroit

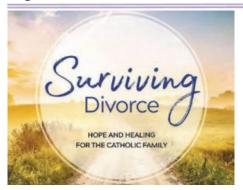
During this weekend you can experience God's love, healing, peace, and forgiveness. Join other men in our family of parishes on the weekend of February 23-25, 2024 for an experience of spiritual and physical renewal.

Looking for more information?
Contact Andy Gillis at
(586) 855-6196
or Joe Stevens at (810) 543-1838
or visit **stpaulretreat.org**to make a reservation.

THANK YOU!

I am in awe once again by the generosity of my Holy Family parish. I would like to thank everyone who took a tag from the Giving Tree and purchased gifts. Many of the families were speechless by your generosity and one mom was brought to tears. YOU make a difference in the lives of these families. I also want to thank the Knights of Columbus for hosting the Food Drive and each of you who donated a ham, turkey, potatoes, non perishable items or a monetary contribution. Last, but not least, thank you to the amazing people who came out to sort gifts, pack boxes, deliver boxes, and for the muscles to carry everything. I am blessed beyond words for all of you. Thank you and I pray you have a very Merry Christmas.

Marlene Brown Christian Service Coordinator Page 6 December 24, 2023



Surviving Divorce Workshop

All are Welcome!

Wednesdays, January 17 – April 10 6:30pm

Light hospitality 6:00-6:30pm Immaculate Conception Ira Township In the Parish Hall

Would you or someone you know, who has recently gone through a divorce, like to meet for twelve sessions of healing?

The session will include:

- Working through the emotional upheaval of separation and divorce:
- Finding personal healing and hope;
- Discovering a deeper understanding of God's love for you;
- Gaining wisdom and comfort from experts and others who share your experiences;
- Navigate new concerns like custody, court hearings, and finances.

Please call the Faith Formation office at (586) 725-1762, to register before January 10th so that we may order your workbook and materials.

Cost is \$25 per person.

SAVE THE DATE

for Holy Family's

Vocation Italian Dinner

in support of seminarians Saturday, January 13, 2024



4pm—7pm Holy Family Life Center 100% Free Will Donation

Dine in or carry out
Dinner includes Manicotti, Italian Sausage, tossed salad, Normandy blend
veggie, dessert and beverage.



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3rd Annual Women's Tea Women's Spiritual-i-Tea

Saturday, February 3, 2024 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Doors open at 9:30 am



Topic: Who, Really, Is Mary? To Know Jesus, is to Know Mary No Mary = No Jesus

Speaker: Keri Tarrant Marian Consecration for the Evangelization

Cost: \$10 each

Register early, as seating is limited.

Location:

Holy Family Life Center, 79780 Main Street, Memphis, MI 48041

Register:

Purchase tickets in advance by January 29, 2024. Fill out the slip below and return with your \$10 fee to any parish office.

Hosted by the Merciful Love of Jesus Health Ministry

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Name	_ If more than one name, please list below.
Number of tickets X \$10 each	า.
Cash is accepted or checks made payable	
Additional names:	

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Holy Family Mass Intentions

Monday, December 25, 2023 *10:30 AM*

· For the Parishioners

Tuesday, December 26, 2023 7:00 PM

For the Parishioners

Wednesday, December 27, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Thursday, December 28, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Friday, December 29, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Saturday, December 30, 2023

4:00 PM

- P Monica Coccimiglio by the Wullaert Family
- 🕆 Fran Marcinkowski by a Friend
- P Judy Wullaert by Rose Coccimiglio
- Fred Esper by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Hennessey
- P Arthur O'Donnell by Lloyd Suess Family
- P Jerry Barton by Joann Pokrefky
- Souls in Purgatory by Doug & Karen Fournier
- For Deacon Alan Gwozdz & Family by the Wullaert Family

Sunday, December 31, 2023 *10:30 AM*

· For the Parishioners

5:30 PM

· For the Parishioners

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, December 25, 2023 Christmas Day

Mass 12:00 AM ~ Midnight Mass

For Our Family of Parishes

Mass 8:30 AM

· For Our Family of Parishes

Tuesday, December 26, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Wednesday, December 27, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Thursday, December 28, 2023

Mass 8:15 AM

For Christians who are being persecuted for their faith

Friday, December 29, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Saturday, December 30, 2023

Mass 6:00 PM

⊕ Deacon Harold L. Goodhue req. by St. Augustine Parish

Sunday, December 31, 2023

Mass 7:00 AM

Our Parishioners

Mass 9:00 AM

- [♣] Shirley & Gerald Mlot req. by Mlot Family
- ⊕ Daniel SchultzBirthday Remembrancereq. by Tom & Mary Jo Ballor
- [†] Dave Verbrugge req. by Jerry & Cindy Thorne
- ☆ Mark Woloszyk req. by Joann Scollon
- John & Monica Morgan
 5th Wedding Anniversary
 req. by Family
- ☆ Marie Ryan
 req.by Don & Jan Schmidt
- ⊕ Eugene & Mary Ann Brohl req. by Family



St. Mary Mystical Rose Mass Intentions

Monday, December 25, 2023 *10:00 AM*

For the Parishioners

Tuesday, December 26, 2023 No Mass Scheduled Wednesday, December 27, 2023 9:00 AM

- ☆ Maxine LeBeau
 - Req. by Mike & Carole Murphy
- ☆ Anthony Lewandowski

Req. by Karen Klapatch

Thursday, December 28, 2023 No Mass Scheduled

Friday, December 29, 2023

• For the Parishioners

Saturday, December 30, 2023

No Mass Scheduled

Sunday, December 31, 2023

10:00 AM

- Art Youston

 Req. by Jim Fulner
- [†] Jean Podrasky
 Req. by family

Readings for the week of December 24, 2023

- Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/
 Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29/Rom 16:25-27/
 Lk 1:26-38
- Monday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20Day: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
- Tuesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22
- Wednesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8
- Thursday: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8/Mt 2:13-18
- Friday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6/Lk 2:22-35
- Saturday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b -9, 10/Lk 2:36-40
- Next Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 orPs 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40

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

Alex A.

Rita Acchianoe Mary Alberty Bertha Allen Jerry Allen Dorothy Anderson Walter Ayotte Lee Baeyens **Kyle Bailey** Karen Berlinger-Dombrowski Mary Boyd Tom Breen Suzanne Brunson Katherine Bubel Nick & Alex Buffa Debbie Burrell Dave Camaj Cecelia Ann Clark Carrie Clubb Lisa Coccimiglio Nicole Coccimiglio Ed Cutlip Wilma Danielak Nikolas Dickson Linda Dubay Matt Dunsmore Bill Ensley Ann Marie Fraley Carolyn French Michael Fuller Leigh George Charlene Golembiewski Martha Gutowski Michelle Havan Donna Hayes Tonya Heuer Matthew Hill Marianna Hillock Joanna Husak Toni Jarvis Diana Jowett-Gutowski Linda Jurczyszyn Richard Jurczyszyn Marianne Kaminski Barbara Kesek William Ketelhut Amanda Kilpatrick Jesse Kilpatrick

Lynn Krause Henry Kreger Cheryl Lisewski-LaDuke

Dan Lagan Stephanie Lawrence Heather Lauzon Paul Leple Bill Lisewski Billy Luckett Joyce Lyjak

Joyce Lyjak Amy Magvanua-Slagter Kevin Marnon Rick Marnon Deanna Masterson Ron McKiernan Joanne Meyers John Moilenen Kelly Moilanen Donna Montano Jason Najy Dan Neaton Gail Negrinelli Gabriel Nunez Max Nunez Brent O'Donnel Charlie Peace Larry Pfeifer **Greg Plemmons** Kimberly Riley Nancy Ruhana Sue Sagins Diane Schunk Georgine Siudym Hedy Smalenberg Mike Smerek Lina Sneed Paul Sulkowski Lenore Tank Diane Tange Lucus Taylor Amanda Teichow Lynn Teichow Samantha Teichow Susie Vandevelde Theresa VanTiem Mariann Ward Glenn Weidner Ellie Wessel John Wonsey Gary Wood

Wisdom of the Saints

James Wylin

Greg Knoche

"The most beautiful act of faith is the one made in darkness, in sacrifice, and with extreme effort."

- St. Padre Pio

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

Mike Ales Barb Armstrong Janet Barylski Alice (Esper) Battista Marie (Esper) Bertossi Martha Bradbury Mary Lou Brickel John Brodacki Marjorie Brohl Dave Camaj Jerry Caporuscio June Chene Bailey Ann Clapper Adam Dalia Wilma Danielak Gail Duetsch Joan Elam Nina Essenmacher Carol Fogal Linda Frank Noreen Gasparetto Carl Goerke Dave Gonczar Kathy Grande Denise Hagan Robert Hessell Rosann Holmes Carson Jones AnnMarie Kammer Daniel Kammer Charlene Karales William Ketelhut Connie Kinsey Dave Kisskalt Scott Kleinhans Glen Knoblock Betty Kolp Anna Kuntz James Kuntz Pam Lawson Pat Manchik Todd Manchik Dan Moomaw Kandy Murray Gail Negrinelli Tom Obee

Brent O'Donnell

Karon Ottenbacher

Mary Ottenbacher Donna Pack Angie Paschall Kathy Pavlik Bryan Pawlowski Carol Pollari Daniel Pridotkas John Pytleski Ann Rabine Ray Rabine Teresa Ranger Judith Remenchus Mary Rhein Sue Rhein Patricia Richer Jessica Ricketts Janet Riedel Agnes Rumenapp Frank Ryan Pat Scheuer Jan Schmidt Lisa Schmidt Shadeck David Schweiger Roy Schweiger Martin Sebastian Rose Segatti Bernadette Sharpe Jeri Sharpe Jerry Shavatoski Mary Smith Anthony Spana Joshua Stevens Lloyd Suess Sue Thomas Joyce Torres Eleanor Triece Carolyn Ulrich Bridget Urquhart Mary Valpredo Loreen Verwest Rosie Vass Nancy Walsh Brian Webster Joseph Wood Rebecca

To add or update our prayer list, please call one of our parish offices:

Wormsbacher

Joseph Yelencich. Jr.

Lisbeth Yaek

Holy Family (810) 392-2056 St. Augustine (586) 727-5215 St. Mary Mystical Rose (586) 784-5966

Please pray for **St. Mary Mystical Rose Parishioners**at home or in the hospital...

Bob Agius Mary Agius Henry Anderson Emma Beckham James Bieck Thomas Breen Marjorie Brohl Barbara Carl Donna Chumbler Linda Ermgodts Carol Fogal Joann Gazzarato Jacob Gordon David Grudzinski Peggy Havelt Dennis Hayden Bill Holloway Anita Jansen Colleen King Karen Klapatch Joe Kook

Rachel Landuvt Agnes Maa Eva Malcolm Camarritta Marshall Bonnie McNichol Richard McMurray Charlene Moore Matthew Moreton Maria Paukofe Rachel Pointer Mike Rajami Ray Rivard Jake Schmidt Steve Shore Marge Stelzer Donna Szyska William Theut Sharon Verlinde Josh Wardell Jan Vore

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Holy Family Calendar

Monday 12-25-2023 Christmas Day

10:30 am Mass (*Fr. Sal)

Tuesday 12-26-2023

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

Wednesday 12-27-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Thursday 12-28-2023

NO DAILY MASS 8:00 pm AA Meeting

Friday 12-29-2023

NO DAILY MASS

6:00 pm K of C #10501 Christmas Party in

the Life Center

Saturday 12-30-2023

3:00 pm Confession 4:00 pm Mass (*Fr. Mark)

Sunday 12-31-2023

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

NOTE: 5:30 pm Mass <u>IS NOT</u> a vigil mass for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of

God

Monday 1-1-2024

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

7:00 pm Mass (*Fr. Kishore)



St. Augustine Calendar

Monday 12-25-2023

Christmas Day

12:00 am Midnight Mass (*Fr. Mark) 8:30 am Mass (*Fr. Kishore) 8:00 pm AA & Al Anon—Hall

Tuesday 12-26-2023

NO DAILY MASS

7:30 pm K of C Meeting, Rm. 7

Wednesday 12-27-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Thursday 12-28-2023

8:15 am Daily Mass 8:45 am Confession

Friday 12-29-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Saturday 12-30-2023

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

Sunday 12-31-2023

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

Monday 1-1-2024

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

8:15 am Mass (*Fr. Kishore)



St. Mary Mystical Rose Calendar

Monday 12-25-2023

Christmas Day

10:00 am Mass (*Fr. Mark)

Tuesday 12-26-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Wednesday 12-27-2023

9:00 am Daily Mass 9:30 am Adoration 10:00 am Confession

10:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

Thursday 12-28-2023

NO DAILY MASS

Friday 12-29-2023

9:00 am Daily Mass

Saturday 12-30-2023

9:00 am Confession NO MASS OFFERED

Sunday 12-31-2023

10:00 am Sunday Mass (*Fr. Mark)

Monday 1-1-2024

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

9:00 am Mass (*Fr. Mark)



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Thank you for understanding.

Holy Family 2023 CSA Pledges As of December 12, 2023

Goal: \$48,692.00 Pledged: (78%) \$38,070.46 Paid on pledges: \$35,223.62 Number of gifts: 109

Anticipated refund

if all pledges are paid: \$0

St. Augustine 2023 CSA Pledges As of December 12, 2023

Goal: \$80,152.00 Pledged: (86%) \$68,640.00 Paid on pledges: \$62,431.18 Number of gifts: 158

Anticipated refund

if all pledges are paid: \$0

St. Mary Mystical Rose 2023 CSA Pledges As of December 12, 2023

Goal: \$19,778.00 Pledged: (138%) \$27,270.00 Paid on pledges: \$27,270.00 Number of gifts: 69

Anticipated refund

if all pledges are paid: \$6,842.00

Holy Family Parish Stewardship Sunday, December 10, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$8,176.00
Weekly Budget: \$7,273.00
Budgeted YTD: \$174,552.00
Collected YTD: \$167,575.32
Over/(Short) YTD: \$6,976.68)
of envelopes used/EFT's: 184
of Registered Families: 708

St. Augustine Parish Stewardship Sunday, December 10, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$15,931.95
Weekly Budget: \$12,212.00
Budgeted YTD: \$293,088.00
Collected YTD: \$294,834.66
Over/(Short) YTD: \$1,746.66
of envelopes used/EFT's: 328
of Registered Families: 888

St. Mary Mystical Rose Stewardship Sunday, December 10, 2023

Total Sunday Collection: \$2,500.00
Weekly Budget: \$3,269.00
Budgeted YTD: \$78,456.00
Collected YTD: \$73,908.00
Over/(Short) YTD: (\$4,548.00)
of envelopes used/EFT's: 52
of Registered Families: 430

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