ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH OCTOBER 3, 2021 TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Let the Little Children Come to Me - Painting by Hubert Maurer

St. Augustine Catholic Church sits between Cannon Hill and Manito Parks in the heart of Spokane's historic South Hill neighborhood. It has provided a place of worship for generations of Catholic families and serves the students of Cataldo Catholic School.

PARISH STAFF

Msgr. Brian A. Mee, Pastor
Fr. David Kruse, Priest in Residence
Allen Peterson, Deacon
Heather Fuller-Johnson, Music Director
Robin Sparrow, Hospitality Coordinator
Tom Bro, Plant Manager
Teresa Reuter, Director of Communications & Programming
Zack Cunningham, Cataldo Catholic School Principal

BAPTISM AND HOLY MATRIMONY

Parents seeking Baptism for their child and couples seeking marriage should contact the parish office at least four months prior to the intended dates for preparation. It is expected that you are registered and have been active in the parish for at least six months, be a regular contributor financially to the parish, and be taking part in the liturgical life of the Church - which includes attendance at Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation.

MASS TIMES

Monday through Friday: 8:00 am

Thursday: 9:00 am Cataldo School Mass

Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

(or by appointment)

ROSARY

Mondays: 8:30 am

Tuesdays on ZOOM: 9:00 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of the Month: 8:30 am - 9:00 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

All the Darkness in the world cannot extinguish the light of a single candle. ~St. Francis of Assisi~

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2 THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS

CONFESSIONS 3:15 PM - 4:00 PM Mass 4:30 PM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3 RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

Mass 9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Pro Populo

MONDAY, OCTOBER 4 St. Francis of Assisi

Mass 8:00 AM [†]Gloria Gardner Wilkinson Rosary 8:30 AM

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5 **BLESSED FRANCIS XAVIER SEELOS**

Mass 8:00 AM † Richard Thomas Brockway ROSARY 9:00 AM ON ZOOM

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6 St. Bruno

Mass 8:00 AM Wilbur Hasenoehrl

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7 OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

MASS 8:00 AM [†]LEILA WILKINSON SCHEYD

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8 Mass 8:00 AM

Please keep the following in your prayers



Sandy Alderman, Kristen Baxter, Althea Beaver, James Bennett, Margie Weller Berard, Isabel Brunkan, Bill Campbell, Pat Campbell, Margaret Chastek, Frank Culhane, Ned Fox, Riva Grant, Donna Harris, Robert Hunton, Anita Kernie, Kathy Korth, Mary Lenoue, Maureen McClarity, Janet McCullough, The

Nelson Family, Antoinette O'Neal, Greg Renner, Beau Richardson, Jason Rocks, Erika Schearman, Danette Schroer, Rick Schroer, Dan Sheldon, Megan Simpson, Tiffany Simpson, Karen Stahl, Joel Stavana, Craig Stucky, Ashley Sutch, Eley Vann, Doug Ward, Wilson Webb, Paula Willette

If you would like to add a name to the prayer list or a Mass intention, please contact the parish office. (509)747-4421

The Angelus Prayer



Do you hear the bells ringing in the morning, at noon, and in the evening? Before watches, the bells served as a call to stop what you were doing and pray the Angelus. This prayer offers an opportunity to meditate for a few moments midday on Mary's discipleship and radical obedience to God's will. The Angelus is yet another beautiful tradition of our Church. It is a simple yet powerful means of dramatically opening your heart up to receive God's grace.

V/. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary,

R/. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. Hail Mary...

V/. Behold the handmaid of the Lord,

R/. Be it done unto me according to your Word. Hail Mary...

V/. And the Word was made flesh,

R/. And dwelt among us.

V/. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God,

R/. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord, your grace into our hearts: that we, to whom the Incarnation of Christ your Son was made known by the message of an Angel, may by his Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of his Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

The students and staff at Cataldo Catholic School are praying the Angelus each day at Noon. We invite all parishioners to stop what you are doing, wherever you may be, and pray the Angelus at Noon as well.



"Catechesis in Stone" Video Series with Msgr. Mee Description & Theology of the Baptismal Font



Beginning in October, the parish will be featuring "Catechesis in Stone," a video series giving a description and theology found within the St. Augustine baptistry. Msgr. Mee will be presenting the series. Videos will be sent by Flocknote email to those parishioners who receive emails from the parish. If you do not currently receive the parish emails, you can sign up to do so by registering for Flocknote at www.staugustinespokane.com/regsiter and enroll at the bottom of the page. Please contact the parish office if you need any assistance viewing the videos.

Watch your email inbox for this exciting program!

Religious Education Challenge Question!

Each week during our Religious Education classes, we will focus on a specific topic and will pose a question or two that the children should be able to answer at the end of the class. We challenge all in the parish to see if they can answer the questions of the week!

Where in and around the church can you find two images of our patron, St. Augustine?

Who baptized St. Augustine and where in the church is his Baptism depicted?

2021 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Annual Catholic Appeal

The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal has begun. The theme for this year is *Restore Our Hope*. You should have received information from the diocese in the mail his past week. St. Augustine Parish has a long history of supporting the works of the diocese through reaching its ACA goal and we hope this year is no different. Donations can be made online to the diocesan website. A link is provided on the St. Augustine website. You will also find envelopes in the pews. You can return these through the mail or place in the collection basket at Mass.

Your generosity is appreciated!

Stained-glass at St. Augustine Feast of St. Francis of Assisi - October 3



St. Francis is one of the best loved saints. His all-consuming love for Christ and redeemed creation burst forth in everything he did and said. Born into a wealthy Italian family, he chose to imitate Christ by living a life poorer than the poor he served. He founded the Friarts Minor (Franciscans) who with Francis loved people for Christ's sake and reminded them of His life and teachings.

Red Mass for the Legal Profession

Thursday, October 7 at 5:30 p.m. - St. Aloysius Catholic Church

The Red Mass is celebrated annually in the Catholic Church for all members of the legal profession, regardless of religious affiliation: judges, prosecutors, public defenders, attorneys, law school professors and students, and government officials. Fr. Bryan Pham and the Gonzaga University Law School community invite all government workers, members of the legal profession, and all faithful of the diocese to join us in prayer on Thursday, October 7, at the 5:30 pm Mass.

Religious Education - It's not too late to join. Kindergarten through 6th/7th grades. Classes meet immediately following he 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. Register online.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) - Are you a Catholic who wishes to know more about the Catholic faith? While the RCIA program introduces those wishing to join the Church to the tenets of the Faith, it is also well suited for anyone who is already Catholic, but would like to learn more. The RCIA program is led by Msgr. Mee and meets Wednesday evenings for one hour. Contact the parish office if you have questions or register online to get started.

ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The parish welcomes the return of the Sunday Adult Basketball league! They play each Sunday at 4:00 p.m. in the gym. All are welcome to join in! Please reach out to the parish office if you have any questions.

Stewardship - Week of September 26

Offertory: \$4,714

Month to date: \$23,139

Fiscal year to date: \$79,766

Poor: \$10

Month to date: \$575 Fiscal year to date: \$2,355

Guatemala Mission

Month to date: \$325 Fiscal year to date: \$995

Thank you to all who have signed up for regular weekly or monthly online giving. It's easy to do! Simply register on the parish website or contact the parish office for assistance.

The parish is grateful for your generosity!