## SAINT AUGUSTINE PARISH MARCH 3, 2024 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



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 at St. Augustine.

#### **PARISH STAFF**

Msgr. Brian A. Mee, Pastor Richard Borda, Deacon Heather Fuller-Johnson, Music Director Robin Sparrow, Hospitality Coordinator Tom Bro, Plant Manager Teresa Reuter, Director of Communications & Programming Zack Cunningham, Cataldo at St. Augustine 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**

M, W, Th, and F: 8:00 a.m. Tue: 9:00 a.m. with Cataldo at St. Augustine Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday: 3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

#### **ROSARY**

M, W, Th, and F: 8:30 a.m, Tuesday on ZOOM: 8:00 a.m.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

First Friday of the Month: 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

#### CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 2 Vigil Mass 4:30 PM †Nancy Hughes

> Sunday, March 3 Third Sunday of Lent

Mass 9:00 AM †Nancy Jones Mass 11:00 AM *Pro Populo* 

> Monday, March 4 Mass 8:00 a.m.

**Tuesday, March 5**Mass 9:00 AM with the School

Wednesday, March 6 Mass 8:00 A.M.

Thursday, March 7 Mass 8:00 AM

Friday, March 8
Mass 8:00 AM For the Protection of the Unborn and the Sanctity of Life
Stations of the Cross 5:30 PM
Soup Supper 6:00 PM



#### Please Keep the Following in Your Prayers

Janie Alsup, Kristen Baxter, Althea Beaver, James
Bennett, Ray Birgenheier, Scott Brockway, Isabel
Brunkan, Pat Campbell, Maurice Carrier, Margaret
Chastek, Frank Culhane, David Dankovich, Brooke
Dowell, Betsy Elliott, Riva Grant, Caitlin Levernier
Graves, Donna Harris, René Heidt, Jorgi Herron, Robert
Hunton, Mike Keegan, Kathy Korth, Mary Lenoue,
Tracy Provinsal Liebhart, Katherine Eagan May,
Maureen McClarity, Shawn McGowan, The Nelson
Family, Naydene Oechsnerl, Greg Renner, Beau
Richardson, Jason Rocks, Erika Schearman, Mark
Schubert, Dan Sheldon, Amy Shook, Karen Stahl, Joel
Stavana, Craig Stucky, Ashley Sutch, Shelley Szambelan,
Eley Vann, Wilson Webb

If you would like to add a name to the prayer list or request a Mass intention, please contact the parish office.

#### 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Novena of Grace ~ St. Aloysius Monday, March 4 - Tuesday, March 12

The Annual Novena of Grace culminates on the anniversary of the canonization of Sts. Francis Xavier and Ignatius Loyola. Visit stalschurch.org for details and schedule.



# Monthly Blessing of Married Couples

On the final Sunday of each month, at the conclusion of each Mass, there will be a blessing of couples celebrating their wedding anniversary in that given month. Couples will be called forward after the final prayer. The following blessing will be used:

Almighty and eternal God,
You blessed the union of married couples
so that they might reflect the union of Christ
with his Church:
look with kindness on them.
Renew their marriage covenant,
increase your love in them,
and strengthen their bond of peace
so that, with their children,
they may always rejoice in the gift of
your blessing.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

#### The Organ Music in Today's Liturgy

The first consideration for registration (the process of combining pipes to create a composite sound) is the type of pipe to choose: principal, flute, string, or reed. The second consideration is the pitch level. The "stops" of an organ each control a set of pipes (a "rank") of a type and pitch level. An 8' rank sounds at unison; so, for instance, the key A around the middle of the keyboard has a frequency of 440 cycles per second in an 8' rank. For a 4' rank, that same A would have a frequency of 880 cps; that A with a 2' rank would sound a 1760 cps, and for a 16' rank would sound at 220 cps. 4' and 2' ranks add brightness to the sound, and during Lent, to create a more somber sound, the 2' pipes and certain 4' pipes are being excluded from registrations. If you would like to know more, please ask Joseph Schubert, the organist.

#### **Pilgrimage to the National Eucharistic Congress**

*July 17 - 21, 2024 ~ Indianapolis, IN With Bishop Daly & the Diocese of Spokane* 



Participate in this pivotal moment in the Church and draw into a deeper intimacy with our Lord. Join our diocese by registering today!

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# • Lenten Video Series ~ From the Archives • With Msgr. Brian A. Mee

Msgr. Mee's video series on Lent offers historical background on many aspects of Lent, from why Lent is forty days to the Easter Triduum - and much in between. The Lenten series is educational, with a little humor tossed in. Videos can be accessed on the parish website or through the parish Vimeo page. A link to the Vimeo page can be found on the parish website.

#### **Bach-a-thon Organ Performance**

Sunday, April 7, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.



St. Augustine will host one of the four performances of Bach-a-thon 2024. The Bach-a-thon is a yearly event sponsored by the Spokane Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. It is scheduled to take place on or near the birthdate of Johann Sebastian Bach, and features four performers playing organ music by this great composer. This year's performers are Jim Tevenan (former organist at St. Augustine), Dr. Janet Ahrend (Professor of Organ at Gonzaga and WSU), Matthew Johnson (freelance organist), and Dr. Joseph Schubert (St. Augustine's organist). Stay tuned for more information!

#### Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, April 14, 10:00 a.m.



Come join us for a scrumptious breakfast immediately following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. We will need volunteers to help flip pancakes and fry up some bacon! We also need people to help set up and clean up. We hope you and your family will join us for this fun parish event!

#### **Senior Brunch**

Sunday, April 28, 12:30 p.m.



The parish holds an annual Senior Brunch to honor and show appreciation for our senior members. Brunch follows the 11:00 a.m. Mass and includes a tasty meal and fun conversation with others. There is no need to RSVP for this event, just show up! We are looking for adult volunteers and children to help serve the meal. Please reach out to the parish office if you or your children are interested in assisting.

#### **Lenten Collection for Second Harvest**



2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest supplies partner food banks in 21 counties of Eastern Washington and 5 counties in North Idaho. The following items will be collected during Lent:

#### March 9 & 10 ~ Whole Grain Pasta, Rice & Cereal

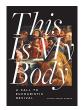
March 16 & 17 ~ Canned Fruits & Vegetables March 23 & 24 ~ Peanut Butter & Other Nut Butters

#### Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper

Fridays during Lent ~ 5:30 p.m.

Stations of the Cross will be prayed the Fridays of Lent at 5:30 p.m. with a soup supper immediately following in Pearson Hall. Volunteer to bring soup by signing up on the sheet in the vestibule or by contacting the parish office.

#### This is My Body: A Call to Eucharistic Revival Book by Bishop Robert Barron



As you know, we are in the midst of the Eucharistic Revival. For your reading during Lent, Bishop Barron's book on the Eucharist may be worthwhile. Books can be found on the table in the vestibule.

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

February 25, 2024

Offertory: \$9,880

Month to Date: \$30,755 Fiscal Year to Date: \$293,081

Poor: \$2,759

Month to Date: \$3,276 Fiscal Year to Date: \$10,332

#### **Guatemala Mission \$60**

Month to Date: \$335 Fiscal Year to Date: \$2,327

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# **End of Life Workshop**

Planning for Your Spiritual & Corporal Needs

Saturday, April 13 • 9:00 a.m. - Noon St. Joseph Cemetery Chapel

(17825 E. Trent Ave., Spokane Valley, WA 99216)

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