

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
AUGUST 17, 2025
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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

Rev. M. J. Nicks, Pastor
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BAPTISM & 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

Summer Schedule (June through August)

Tuesday & Thursday: 8:15 AM

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 9 AM & 11 AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:15 PM – 4 PM

ROSARY

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 7:45 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Suspended for the summer months.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday- Thursday: 9 AM – 12 PM

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 16

Vigil Mass 4:30 PM

Sunday, August 17

Mass 9 AM

Mass 11 AM *Pro Populo*

Monday, August 18

No Mass

Tuesday, August 19

Mass 8:15 AM

Wednesday, August 20

Saint Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

No Mass

Thursday, August 21

Saint Pius X, Pope

Mass 8:15 AM

Friday, August 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

No Mass

Please Keep the Following in Your Prayers

Janie Alsop, Kristen Baxter, Althea Beaver,
James Bennett, Ray Birgenheier, Cleo Brennan,
Scott Brockway, Isabel Brunkan, Pat Campbell,
Margaret Chastek, Frank Culhane, Cathy Dietrich,
Betsy Elliott, Cari Franklin, Riva Grant,
Caitlin Levernier Graves, Bob Hanson, René Heidt,
Jorgi Herron, Mike Keegan, Kathy Korth,
Mary Lenoue, Tracy Provinsal Liebhart,
Katherine Eagan May, Maureen McClarity,
The Nelson Family, Greg Renner, Beau Richardson,
Jason Rocks, Erika Schearman, Mark Schubert,
Dan Sheldon, 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.

Coffee & Donuts



~ Join us following the 9AM Mass ~

Starting September 7, the Coffee & Donuts social is back! If you would like to volunteer to host, please sign up at the table in Pearson Hall. Hosting includes picking up donuts at Rosauers, making coffee, and a quick clean up. If you are new to hosting or would like a refresher training, please contact the parish office!



Feast of St. Augustine

Parish Pizza Party

Sunday, August 24

4 PM—6 PM

Church Parking Lot

Join us for a parish pizza party featuring delicious David's pizza and salad, and an afternoon of **food, fellowship, and fun** as we celebrate the Feast of St. Augustine!

Thank you to those parishioners who have signed up to help with set-up and take-down of the tables and chairs on Sunday ~ your time and effort make a big difference! We also appreciate those who have volunteered to bring soda, desserts, ice, and ice chests.

Sign-up sheets can be found in the vestibule and at the transepts. If possible, please sign up by **Sunday, August 17th.**

Don't hesitate to call Carol in the parish office with any questions.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Mass
Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule Resumes

Effective September 1, morning Masses will be Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8:15 AM and Tuesday at 9 AM with the students of Cataldo at St. Augustine.

The rosary will be prayed on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, at 7:40 AM.

First Friday eucharistic adoration will resume Friday, September 5, from 8:45 AM to 11:10 AM. Benediction will be at 11:10 AM.





Celebrating Confirmation and First Holy Communion

"Let the children come to me." – Matthew 19:14

On Sunday, August 10th, we celebrated a sacred milestone in the life of **Shay McDonald** as she received the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion. This is a profound moment of grace as Shay was welcomed more deeply into the life of the Church—nourished by the Eucharist and strengthened by the Holy Spirit. Please keep Shay, whose patron saint is Helena, in your prayers.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.



Congratulations on your Baptism

~ **Frida Rose Flores** ~

Frida Rose Flores, daughter of parishioners Andres and Andrey Flores, and granddaughter of parishioners Todd and Teresa Reuter, was recently baptized at St. Augustine Parish. We wish Frida and her entire family all the best on this most blessed occasion.

The Organ Music in Today's Liturgy

In past eras, the organ and choir played different roles than they do today in the chanting of the Mass Ordinaries (Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Agnus Dei). Each of the Ordinary prayers was divided into sections, and the organ and choir would render them in *alternatim*—that is, the choir would chant a portion, and the organ would play a verset in response. Therefore, there is a wealth of organ music based upon portions of chants from the Mass Ordinaries, and although we no longer use them in their original context, still they are appropriate for use elsewhere. Today's prelude and postlude are taken from that repertoire: the prelude is the sixth couplet from the "Gloria" of François Couperin's *Messe pour les Paroisses* (Mass for the Parishes), and the postlude is the "Plein Jeu" and "Fugue sur le trompette" from his *Messe pour les Couvents* (Mass for the Convents), Couperin (1668-1733) was a acclaimed French Baroque composer, and was organist at the Church of Saint Gervais in Paris.



6th Annual POCO Run Pend Oreille County Motorcycle Pilgrimage

Saturday, August 30, 2025

Ride with us or follow behind in a car as we pray a decade of the most Holy Rosary at each of the five parishes of Pend Oreille county. The day begins with a bike blessing at 8:30AM at St. Anthony in Newport and ends with a Vigil Mass at St. Jude in Usk at 4PM. We will ride up one side of the Pend Oreille River and back down the other side on this 170 mile pilgrimage with stops at St. Bernard in Ione, St. Joseph in Metaline Falls (with lunch), and Our Lady of Sorrows in Cusick.

This ride is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. A suggested donation of \$30 is appreciated for the ASAP program. Questions? Please call Rick Sparrow at 760.715.4581 by Monday, August 25.

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, August 22



This Marian feast day celebrates Mary as the Queen of Heaven and Earth and is based her Assumption into heaven, where she was crowned by her Son, Jesus, the King of all creation.

STEWARDSHIP

August 10, 2025

Offertory: \$7,954

Month to Date: \$18,304

Fiscal Year to Date: \$45,977

Poor: \$135

Month to Date: \$780

Fiscal Year to Date: \$2,492

Guatemala Mission: \$55

Month to Date: \$115

Fiscal Year to Date: \$601

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 Mass at 8:30 a.m. (optional)
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