

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
AUGUST 24, 2025
TWENTY-FIRST 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 *(Sept 1, 2025 through June 12, 2026)*

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:15 AM
Tuesday: 9 AM with Cataldo at St. Augustine
Saturday: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 9 AM & 11 AM

HOLY DAYS

9AM with Cataldo & 5:30 PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:15 PM – 4 PM

ROSARY

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 7:40 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of the month following the 8:15 AM Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9 AM – 12 PM

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 23

Vigil Mass 4:30 PM

Sunday, August 24

Mass 9 AM

Mass 11 AM *Pro Populo*

Monday, August 25

No Mass

Tuesday, August 26

Mass 8:15 AM

Wednesday, August 27

Saint Monica

No Mass

Thursday, August 28

Saint Augustine, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

Mass 8:15 AM Deceased Priests of the Diocese

Friday, August 29

The Passion of John the Baptist

No Mass

Please Keep the Following in Your Prayers

Janie Alsup, 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 Stavara,
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 see the sign up sheet in the vestibule.** 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!

Religious Education & Sacramental Prep

Begins Sunday, September 21

Religious Education (RE): All parish children in K-6th grades are encouraged to attend. Classes will be held in the parish hall on Sundays following the 9AM Mass and will run approximately 35-40 minutes.

Sacramental Prep: Parish youth who have not yet celebrated the Sacraments of Penance, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion, and are in 2nd grade or older, are encouraged to register for Sacramental Prep. The Sacramental Preparation program will run concurrently to RE during the fall and spring sessions.

An informational meeting will be held on Sunday, 9/14, following the 9AM Mass during Coffee & Donuts in Pearson Hall. Audra Keyes and Tess Wyborney will be giving a brief overview of the programs and answer questions as well.

If you are interested in registering your child, please contact Carol at saintaugustine@dioceseofspokane.org or call 509.747.4421.

Registration forms for both programs will be forthcoming on the parish website; if you have any questions, please contact Audra Keyes at audruth@icloud.com or call 206.349.3355.

The Exaltation of the Cross

Blessing with Relic of the True Cross

September 13

Sts. Cyril & Methodius Byzantine Church

4315 N Evergreen Rd, Spokane Valley

The Relic Project is dedicated to preserving and promoting the veneration of sacred relics in today's world. Join us for a Divine Liturgy at 5 PM followed by a special blessing for mercy and protection with the Relic of the True Cross of Jesus Christ. For more information, visit therelicproject.org, or contact Anthony Di Mauro at 509.263.6044.



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.

CHANGE IN VENUE!

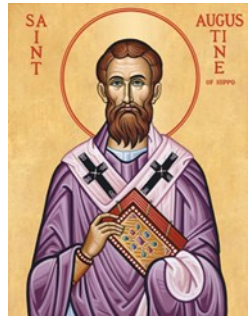
Feast of St. Augustine

Parish Pizza Party

Sunday, August 24, 4PM—6PM

Due to the hot weather, the party will be moved to the **gym** so we will all be more comfortable. The first pizzas will be served at 4:15!

Come hungry and enjoy the fun and fellowship!



The Feast of Saint Augustine of Hippo

Thursday, August 28

Saint Augustine is one of the prominent 'Fathers' of the Catholic Church. He is the patron saint of theologians and was a prolific writer and philosopher, whose theological works have significantly shaped Western thought and Christianity. He is also the patron saint of brewers, printers, and those who have struggled with or are seeking spiritual conversion, particularly those who have lived a "wayward life."

The Feast of Saint Monica

Wednesday, August 27

Saint Monica was the mother of Saint Augustine, and the patron saint of mothers, wives, and those seeking conversions, particularly for their children. Her feast day is a time to remember her example of steadfast faith and love, and to pray for similar graces in our own lives. It also offers an opportunity to reflect on the power of prayer, patience, and perseverance in the face of adversity.



The Organ Music in Today's Liturgy

Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937) was organist at Saint Sulpice, Paris, for sixty-four years, professor of music at the Paris Conservatory, and a prolific composer. He can be credited with elevating the art of organ playing in France to its current virtuosic level, with an emphasis on literature, composition, and improvisation. He also innovated what has become known as the symphonic style of organ playing, and wrote ten organ symphonies for solo organ. Today's prelude is the lovely "Adagio" from his Symphonie No. II. Healy Willan (1880-1968), eminent Canadian organist, composer, and professor of music at the Royal Conservatory of Music, Toronto, gives us today's postlude, simply titled Postlude in D major.



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.



Congratulations on your Baptism

~ Jordan Manuel Vejar-Johnson ~

Jordan Manuel Vejar-Johnson, son of Isaac Johnson and Lesly Vejar Johnson, and grandson of parishioners Craig and Heather Johnson, was recently baptized at St. Augustine Parish. We wish Jordan and his entire family all the best on this most blessed occasion.

STEWARDSHIP

August 17, 2025

Offertory: \$6,794

Month to Date: \$25,098

Fiscal Year to Date: \$52,771

Poor: \$105

Month to Date: \$885

Fiscal Year to Date: \$2,597

Guatemala Mission: \$75

Month to Date: \$190

Fiscal Year to Date: \$676

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Planning for Your Spiritual & Corporal Needs

Saturday September 20th - 9 a.m. - Noon

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

St. John Vianney Parish

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