

Saint Augustine R. C. Parish

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time ♦ August 11, 2019

"Creating A Community Of Involvement And Evangelization"

Served by the Augustinian Friars since 1796



National Shrine of
Santo Niño de Cebú

St. Augustine parish is an open, diverse, and active Roman Catholic community rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and founded in the Augustinian Tradition. We invite all to participate in our worship, service to others, and our faith development. These endeavors allow us to grow in the knowledge of God present in ourselves and each other. Our community joyfully welcomes all who are searching for a spiritual center to call home.

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Website: www.st-augustinechurch.com

Office Hours:
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Monday to Friday



Mass Schedule:

Monday - Friday: 12:05 PM
(10:00 AM on Legal Holidays)
Saturday Vigil: 5:15 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM

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Sacramental Celebrations

Sacrament of Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on a regular basis, except during Lent. It is usually celebrated within Mass. Arrangements must be made in advance. The parents of the child to be baptized meet personally ahead of time with the priest celebrating the sacrament. Contact the parish office for further information.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Weddings are arranged by appointment at least eight months in advance of the desired wedding date. Contact the parish office for more information.

Ministry to the Sick & Sacrament of the Sick

If anyone in your family is seriously ill, preparing for surgery, or in a nursing home and they would like a visit from the pastor, please call the parish office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:30 PM to 5:00 PM
Anytime by appointment.

Parish Registration

Please call the parish office or visit the parish website for a registration form or more information. Forms are also available in the back of the Church.

Parish Committees

The Parish Council, Filipino Sub-Council, and Finance Committees assist the staff in serving the parish. Please contact the parish office or see Fr. Bill for information about serving on these various committees.

Novena to the Santo Niño

Each Sunday, after the 11:00 AM Mass there is a novena in honor of the Santo Niño.



SUMMER SINULOG 2019

Our Summer Sinulog celebration honoring the SANTO NIÑO, will be on **Sunday, August 18th**. The **Most Rev. Bernardito Cleopas Auza, Papal Nuncio, Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations** will be the Principal Celebrant. **Mass will be at 11:00 AM** followed by a procession of the image of Santo Niño through the streets of Old City Philadelphia followed by a light lunch.

All are welcome to attend!

If you are interested in helping with the event preparation, you can contact any of the following coordinators: **Elgene Morales, 267-307-8145, Bel Lopena, 215-676-3159, Ferdie Luyun, 267-625-8958 or Dr. Lita Manguba, 267-538-8042**. Donations of canned soda (Pepsi, Coke, Sprite or 7UP), and bottled water are greatly appreciated. Please drop these items off at Carr Hall any Sunday before August 18, 2019.



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Assumption is a major Feast Day celebrated in the Church on **Thursday, August 15th**. Holy Day of Obligation.

Mass will be celebrated on:

- **Wednesday, August 14th, Vigil Mass, 7:00 PM**
- **Thursday, August 15th, 12:05 PM**

There will be **NO 7:00 PM Mass** this year on the Holy Day, Thursday, August 15th.



Reminder that there is NO 7:00 PM Mass on Sunday, August 18, 2019 after the Sinulog Festival.

Padre Pio Prayer Center

Our next scheduled date to minister to and serve lunch to those living in the streets of Kensington is **Sunday, September 29th**.

We usually attend the Sunday 9:00 AM Mass here at the parish and then carpool over to the Padre Pio Prayer Center (1509 Church Street, 19124). We are typically finished with volunteering by 1:00 PM.

If you are interested in joining us, please call Jacob in the Parish Office, 215-627-1838.



Mass Intentions

Saturday & Sunday, August 10 & 11, 2019

5:15 PM ~~~~~
9:00 AM ~~~~~
11:00 AM † Maurita Delfine
7:00 PM ~~~~~

Monday, August 12, 2019

12:05 PM ~~~~~

Tuesday, August 13, 2019

12:05 PM ~~~~~

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

12:05 PM † Nicholas & Philomena Georeno
7:00 PM VIGIL ~~~~~

Thursday, August 15, 2019

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION of the BVM
12:05 PM Deceased Members of OSA
7:30 PM SINULOG — Tagalog Mass

Friday, August 16, 2019

12:05 PM † Alfanso Georeno
7:30 PM SINULOG — Cebuano Mass

Saturday, August 17, 2019

5:15 PM The Parish Community
7:30 PM SINULOG — English Mass

† = Deceased

Sacrificial Giving July 27 & 28, 2019

Number of Envelopes Used: 50
Amount in Envelopes: \$2,181.00
Average \$/Envelope: \$43.62
Electronic Giving: 36
Amount Electronic: \$702.00
Average \$/Electronic: \$19.51
Loose Money: \$444.00
Total Collection: \$3,327.00



Capital Campaign News

Capital Campaign (Phase 1) To date:

Pledges: 186 Percentage: 85.526%
Amount Pledged: \$641,447.50
Pledges Received: \$361,775.62
June 1st Gala Revenue: \$40,250.00
Campaign Total Rec'd: \$402,025.62

Sacrificial Giving August 03 & 04, 2019

Number of Envelopes Used: 75
Amount in Envelopes: \$2,307.00
Average \$/Envelope: \$30.76
Electronic Giving: 37
Amount Electronic: \$967.00
Average \$/Electronic: \$26.14
Loose Money: \$423.00
Total Collection: \$3,697.00



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4:00 PM Dinner Gift of Life Family House

Monday, August 12, 2019
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**Tuesday, August 13, 2019**

7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

**Wednesday, August 14, 2019**

7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB  
8:00 PM Fiat Prayer Group

**Thursday, August 15, 2019**

5:00 PM Plasha-Colancecco Rehearsal  
7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

**Friday, August 16, 2019**

3:00 PM Plasha-Colancecco Wedding  
6:00 PM Feriozzi-Gerlach Rehearsal

**Saturday, August 17, 2019**

2:45 PM Feriozzi-Gerlach Wedding  
7:00 PM N.A. Meeting in CHB



## Sinulog Parking

Unfortunately, this year we will NOT be able to park underneath the Ben Franklin Bridge as we have done in previous years during our Sinulog Festival Celebration.

We have however, been able to secure limited FREE parking in the lot located at:

**499 North 5th Street (5th & Spring Garden Streets)**

*Listed below are some parking garages in the neighborhood that you might use during Sinulog. These are "For Pay Hourly" Garages:*

- **Wyndham Hotel** at 400 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106
- **Safeparc** located at 304-310 Race Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106
- **Old City Parkominium** at 231 N 2nd St., Philadelphia, PA 19106
- **National Constitution Center** at 525 Race St., Philadelphia, PA 19106

Also, if you visit the "Information" page on our parish website, other parking lots/garages are listed in the area at the bottom of the page.

[www.st-augustinechurch.com/contact-us](http://www.st-augustinechurch.com/contact-us)

## Fourth Annual Padre Pio Festival St. Bede the Venerable Parish September 14, 15, 2019

The priests and the parishioners of Saint Bede the Venerable Church, located in Holland, PA (Bucks County, Northampton Township), welcomes all to its Fourth Annual Mass and Festival to honor St. Pio of Pietrelcina, better known as "Padre Pio," on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 14 and 15. The two-day event will be highlighted by Saturday Vigil Mass and Sunday 12:30pm Mass celebrated by Fr. Pio Mandato, followed by a street procession with a statue of Padre Pio through the surrounding neighborhood. The festivities continue with a healing service with confessions, a children's pavilion, musical entertainment and several specialty food and craft vendors. Plenty of free parking is available, pilgrim buses are welcome. For more information, go online to:

[www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com](http://www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com)  
or call the St. Bede parish office at **215-357-5720**.

Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Augustine Parish:

Each July 4<sup>th</sup>, the United States celebrates the anniversary of its Independence, which is the birth date of our country. Like all births, there can only be one place listed as the city of one's birth. We know the birth date of Independence but not everyone is aware that the place of birth is the "City of Brotherly Love" – Philadelphia. The announcement proclaiming the Declaration was celebrated with the ringing of city's famous Liberty Bell, located a short walk from our historic parish of St. Augustine.

We Philadelphians can take for granted all the historic sites in Old City Philadelphia, familiarity tends to form cataracts that limit our vision and therefore an appreciation of what is around us. Visitors on the other hand have a fresh set of eyes and can more readily appreciate the historical significance of each building and pathway through Old City Philadelphia.

As we parishioners and friends gather to celebrate the **Summer Sinulog – Santo Niño Festival**, let us allow the spirit of the Christ Child to renew our eyes of faith. Our Filipino sisters and brothers have enriched our community with their devotion of Christ Child, the **Santo Niño**. The Child will become the one who will open the eyes of the blind, who will feed the five thousand, and who will greet his friends with the words – "**Peace Be with You.**" This is our Catholic Faith. This is the Filipino heritage that joins the faith heritage of the other immigrant communities who first settled in Philadelphia. For one day, allow your eyes to be that of a tourist discovering the rich tradition of the **Santo Niño Festival**.

What an honor it is to have the presence of **Archbishop Bernardito Auza**, the *Permanent Observer for the Holy See to the United Nations*, to be the celebrant and presider for the **Summer Sinulog**. Christ instructed the Apostles to bring the "Good News" to all peoples and nations. The Archbishop's presence at the United Nations more than fulfills that command. Where else can we give witness to all nations than at the United Nations?

To all, welcome to St. Augustine Church and welcome to the **Santo Niño Festival**.

Peace and Joy,

Fr. Bill Donnelly, O.S.A.  
Parochial Administrator