Saint Augustine R. C. Parish

Third Sunday of Easter • May 5, 2019



"Creating A Community Of Involvement And Evangelization"

National Shrine of Santo Niño de Cebú

Served by the Augustinian Friars since 1796

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.

243 North Lawrence Street Philadelphia, PA 19106

(GPS Address: 250 N. 4th Street)

Phone: 215-627-1838 FAX: 215-627-3911

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

Parish Staff:

Rev. William Donnelly, O.S.A. Parochial Administrator (Ext. 110) pastorstaugustine@gmail.com

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Accountant (Ext. 116)

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In Residence:

Rev. Paul Morrissey, O.S.A., Prison Chaplain

Rev. James Keating, O.S.A.

Rev. James Paradis, O.S.A., Prior

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.

Hors d'oennres

SAVE THE DATE!

Live Auction

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Saint Augustine Church
Capital Campaign Gala at Villanova University Finneran Pavilion
June 1, 2019 ◆ 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Phillies

Open Bar

Catholic Charities Appeal Night at the Phillies + Friday, June 21st

Join us on June 21, 2019 for Catholic Charities Night at Citizens Bank Park to watch the Phillies versus the Miami Marlins and celebrate our faith! If 500 tickets are sold, members of the Archdiocesan community will be able to represent the Church in throwing out the First Pitch and performing the National Anthem!

For more information on how to purchase tickets, please visit the Phillies website:

www.phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight



"Home Cook Heroes"

The parish is in need of additional parishioner volunteers to help cook, purchase food items and support where needed on the **second Sunday**

of the month. You would volunteer to help at the Gift of Life <u>according to your Sunday afternoon schedule availability</u>. If interested, please call Jacob in the Parish Office at 215-627-1838.



Mother's Day Offering & Memorial Envelopes are available on the tables in the rear of the church for you to remember both Living and Deceased Mothers on this special day. What a great "Thank You" for your mother to have her remembered at Mass during our Mother's Day Novena!



Saturday & Sunday, May 04 & 05 2019

5:15 PM Rev. William Waters, OSA 9:00 AM Nadene Shearstone & Family 11:00 AM † Helen Manguba

7:00 PM † Catalina Lim Yang

Monday, May 06, 2019

12:05 PM † James Barbaretta

Tuesday, May 07, 2019 12:05 PM † Nancy Catelli Frasca

Wednesday, May 08, 2019
12:05 PM † Christopher Mermer and
Rev. William Waters, OSA

Thursday, May 09, 2019 12:05 PM Arevalo Family, In Thanksgiving

Friday, May 10, 2019 12:05 PM † Mary Dempsey Flanagan

Saturday, May 11, 2019 5:15 PM Rev. William Waters, OSA

† = Deceased

Sacrificial Giving April 27 & 28, 2019

Number of Envelopes Used: 46
Amount in Envelopes: \$1,341.00
Average \$/Envelope: \$29.15
Electronic Giving: 37
Amount Electronic: \$732.00
Average \$/Electronic: \$19.79
Loose Money: \$661.00
Total Collection: \$2,734.00

Capital Campaign (Phase 1) To date:

Pledges: 153 Percentage: 84.29% Amount Pledged: \$632,212.50 Cash Received: \$318,222.64

Electronic Giving

Just log on to our website,
www.st-augustinechurch.com
and click on:
"Sign Up For Electronic Giving"



Bulletin Board

Third Sunday of Easter Sunday, May 05, 2019 11:00 AM First Holy Communion

Monday, May 06, 2019

Tuesday, May 07, 2019 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Wednesday, May 08, 2019
6:30 PM Parish Finance Council Meeting
7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB
8:00 PM Fiat Prayer Group

Thursday, May 09, 2019 6:00 PM Franklin Bridge Neighbors Mtg. 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Friday, May 10, 2019 6:30 PM Carroll-McIntyre Rehearsal

Saturday, May 11, 2019
11:00 AM Carroll-McIntyre Wedding
7:00 PM N.A. Meeting in CHB



The month of May is Mary's month. Pray to her always for her help.

O Brilliant star of purity, Mary Immaculate, Our Lady of Lourdes, be our comfort, hope, strength and consolation.

Amen.



SAVE THE DATE!

— SUMMER SINULOG — Sunday, August 18, 2019 11:00 AM Mass & Procession

"Travelers," to find a Mass while you are on the road this summer, go to the website: www.MassTimes.org or call 734-794-2100.



May 2019 Intention of the Holy Father Pope Francis

The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.



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www.facebook.com/St.AugustineChurchPhiladelphia

PLEASE VISIT OUR PARISH WEBSITE www.st-augustinechurch.com

PLEASE VISIT OUR INSTAGRAM PAGE

www.instagram.com/st.augustinechurchphiladelphia

Friday and Saturday, May 10 & 11 Unbound: Freedom in Christ Conference

Come learn about the Unbound model of healing and deliverance, a simple process of prayer that will help set you free from the things that bind you. This conference is for those who wish to find freedom for themselves or want to learn how to help others find freedom.

Speakers: Neal, Matt and Janet Lozano, Heart of the Father Ministries

Location: St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, Media. PA

Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers retreat for Men and Women ◆ June 7-9, 2019

A dynamic, life-changing retreat entitled "Encountering the Joy of the Lord" with this world-renowned speaker, author and preacher as seen on EWTN.

Location: Malvern Retreat House, Malvern, PA **Speaker:** Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers

To learn more: www.malvernretreat.com or call

610-644-0400



We share your faith! Jesus says, "Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do." Consider joining us on a pilgrimage of hope and renewal, as we share in the Passion of Christ and learn of His merciful love. Rev. Augustine Esposito, O.S.A, will lead us on this 12-day European tour throughout Poland, the Czech Republic and in Oberammergau, Germany, where we will see the world renown Passion Play. We include both the sacred and the secular on our

pilgrimage to give pilgrims the ultimate cultural experience. We will visit the main Marian shines in Germany and Prague. In Poland, we will tour the World War II concentration camp and UNESCO Heritage sites, celebrate the 100th Birthday Anniversary of St. John Paul II, visit his birthplace in Wadowice, the Divine Mercy Sanctuary in Krakow and the Marian shine in Czestochowa. In Prague, we will visit the Infant Jesus of Prague and stop at a local winery and the Pilsner Urquell Brewery. For those interested an optional extension to Bratislava and Budapest is planned. Tour includes daily Mass and awesome reflections with Fr. Gus, round trip airfare, 1st class hotels, daily breakfasts, 3 lunches, 7 dinners, including special dinners and lunches with beer and wine. Tour with us July 17–July 28, 2020 for a once in every 10 years pilgrimage. "Embrace the unknown and discover more!" Cost: \$4599.00. Now \$200 off original price of \$4799 until December 31, 2019. Join us for a meet and greet at New Horizons in Norwood on Wed., May 15th @ 7PM. Call Helen for address @ 610-213-414 and to reserve your spot. Refreshments provided.

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

GIVE A GIFT OF HOPE

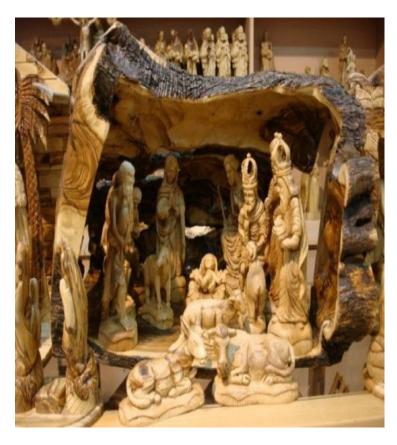
The tragic violence in the Middle East and the highly restrictive policies imposed on Palestinians has created severe economic instability for Palestinian Christians who live in the area of Bethlehem, a name which means "House of Bread."

In the neighboring village of Beit- Sahour, from where the shepherds most likely came to be the first people to worship the Christ Child, Palestinian Christian families have carved exquisite olive wood religious works for generations. Current travel restrictions imposed on Palestine have dramatically reduced both pilgrimages and tourism. The livelihood of these Christian families is severely threatened.

Mr. Rafat Hilal is part of a group of Palestinian Christians traveling around our country selling these superb carvings. The revenue generated helps to restore justice to an oppressed Palestinian Christian minority, supports over 300 families of skilled carvers and helps in keeping a Christian presence in the Holy Land.

May 18th and 19th

Rafat will display the carvings after the scheduled Masses. Your purchase, however small or big, will be an act of social justice as well as provide an opportunity to own or give as gifts original folk art from Bethlehem.







April 11, 2019



Dear Parishioners of St. Augustine Parish:

You are cordially invited to attend a Gala celebration on June 1st, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Villanova University's Finneran Pavilion in support of the Capital Campaign for St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church. The parish provides a vibrant and welcoming spiritual home, and has a rich, significant history:

- Founded in 1796 by the first Augustinian friars to reach America
- Villanova University grew into existence from the original St. Augustine Academy
- ◆ The first Philadelphia performance of Handel's Messiah was performed at the Church by the predecessors of the Philadelphia Orchestra
- ◆ An anti-immigrant mob burned the Church to the ground in 1844, ultimately resulting in a consolidation of Philadelphia City with Philadelphia County and the formation of the modern Philadelphia Police Department

The Capital Campaign Gala event at Villanova University will feature Villanova Men's Basketball Head Coach Jay Wright as the keynote speaker and Jim Murray, former Eagles General Manager, as the Master of Ceremonies and Auctioneer. The event includes an Open Bar, Hors d'oeuvres and Buffet Dinner, a behind-the-scenes tour of the new Finneran Pavilion and an auction of memorabilia from the Philadelphia Eagles, Villanova Basketball, Tom Brady signed items and more.

Individual tickets are \$100 each. We hope that you will be able to support our Capital Campaign. Restoration and repairs to our buildings and historical artwork are vital to preserving this unique Philadelphia landmark. Thank you very much for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Fr. Peter M. Donohue, O.S.A. President, Villanova University

Jacob A. Marquart, III, O.F.S. Director of Parish Services and Capital Campaign Administrator St. Augustine R. C. Church

Speak A. Marquart, TI, O.F.S.

St. Augustine Church Capital Campaign









Villanova University Finneran Basketball Pavilion 800 E. Lancaster Ave, Villanova PA 19085

June 1, 2019 at 5:00pm to 9:00pm

Special Guest Appearance by

Jay Wright

Villanova University Head Basketball Coach



Master of Ceremonies

Jim Murray

Former General Manager Philadelphia Eagles

Hors d'oeuvres, Buffet Dinner & Open Bar \$100 per ticket RSVP to staugustineparish09@gmail.com by May 15th



Celebrate the past. Cultivate the future.

Enjoy a live auction, door prizes and a tour of the new Finneran Basketball Pavilion!

Sponsored by Villanova University

Free parking across the street in parking lot M1 on Ithan Avenue

Attire: Smart Business Casual 215-627-1838 | www.st-augustinechurch.com



Payment Amount Enclosed: \$_____

St. Augustine Catholic Church GALA Sponsorship Form

Saturday, June 1, 2019 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Villanova University 800 Lancaster Ave, Villanova, PA 19085



| Sponsorships Level | <u>Includes</u> | | | Cost |
|---|--|--|--|--------------------|
| ☐ Platinum Sponso | r 12 tickets, Ful | l-Page Inside Cover Color Ad, | Recognition at Event | \$10,000 |
| ☐ Silver Sponsor | 10 tickets, Ful | l-Page Ad, Recognition at Ever | nt | \$ 7,500 |
| ☐ Bronze Sponsor | 8 tickets, Full- | Page Ad, Recognition at Event | t e | \$ 5,000 |
| ☐ Friars Sponsor | 6 tickets, Half | -Page Ad, Recognition at Even | t | \$ 2,500 |
| ☐ Wildcats Sponson | 4 tickets, Half | -Page Ad, Recognition at Even | t | \$ 1,000 |
| Ad Program | | Description | Cost | |
| | Inside Back Cover | 8 (H) x 5 (W), Color | \$600 | |
| | Full Page | 8 (H) x 5 (W), B&W | \$400 | |
| | Half Page | 4 (H) x 5 (W), B&W | \$250 | |
| | Quarter Page | 4 (H) x 2.5 (W), B&W | \$150 | |
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| | Individual Ticket | n/a | \$100 | |
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LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE

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I am unable to attend but would like to make a tax-deductible donation of \$