# St. Augustine Parish

### Seventh Sunday of Easter – May 13, 2018

"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.

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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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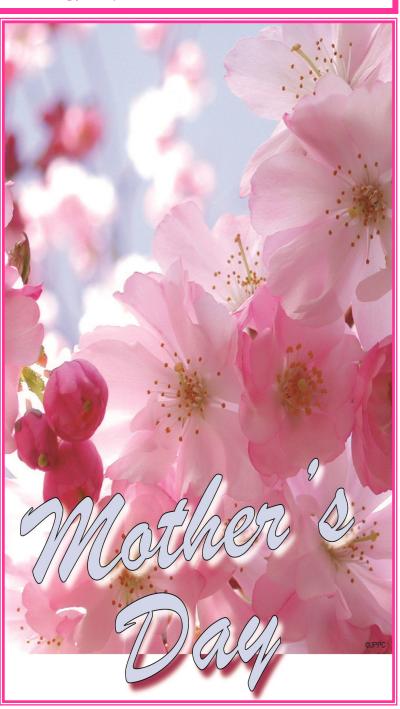
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### Snow Removal → Second Collection

We had budgeted \$3,600 for snow removal this past winter but the actual cost was \$7,830. You can appreciate that this difference of budgeted vs. actual of over \$4,000 has a tremendous effect on a balanced budget. Because of this.



our Parish Finance Commission has recommended that we have two special second collections to help make up this difference. These special collections will be the **weekends of May 12 & 13** and **May 26 & 27**. Obviously, your understanding of this situation and your generosity will be greatly appreciated and a tremendous help to our parish finances.





SAVE THE DATE!

— SUMMER SINULOG — Sunday, August 19, 2018 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.



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

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## Please remember our sick and homebound brothers and sisters in your prayers....

Daniel Roarty, Rose McCormick, Heather Chiaradonna, Ed Mylett, Desmond King, Fr. Michael Scuderi, O.S.A., Steve Dolan, Cecilia Borres, Bryan DeFoney

## Phillies

### Catholic Charities Appeal Night at the Phillies • Monday, June 25th

Catholic Charities Night with the Philadelphia Phillies. The game will take place on Monday, June 25, 2018 as the Phillies take on the New York Yankees at 7:05 PM in Citizens Bank Park. Tickets range from \$23 to \$43 and a portion of all proceeds will directly benefit the CCA. For more information on how to purchase tickets please visit the Phillies website: www.phillies.com/catholiccharitiesnight.



### Saturday & Sunday, May 12 & 13, 2018

5:15 PM † Charlotte Michel 9:00 AM Mother's Day Novena 11:00 AM † Constantina Basio 7:00 PM The Parish Community

Monday, May 14, 2018 12:05 PM Mother's Day Novena

Tuesday, May 15, 2018 12:05 PM Mother's Day Novena

Wednesday, May 16, 2018 12:05 PM Mother's Day Novena

**Thursday, May 17, 2018** 12:05 PM Mother's Day Novena

**Friday, May 18, 2018** 12:05 PM Mother's Day Novena

Saturday, May 19, 2018 5:15 PM Mother's Day Novena

† = Deceased

### **Electronic Giving**

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Just log on to our website,

www.st-augustinechurch.com and click on:

"Sign Up For Electronic Giving"



### Sacrificial Giving May 05 & 06, 2018

Number of Envelopes Used: 79
Amount in Envelopes: \$2,286.00
Average \$/Envelope: \$28.94
Electronic Giving: 52
Amount Electronic: \$1,625.00
Average \$/Electronic: \$31.25
Loose Money: \$641.00
Total Collection: \$4,552.00



Seventh Sunday of Easter Sunday, May 13, 2018 4:00 PM Gift of Life Family House Dinner

Monday, May 14, 2018

**Tuesday, May 15, 2018**4:00 PM Gift of Life Family House Dinner 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Wednesday, May 16, 2018 8:00 PM Fiat Prayer Group

**Thursday, May 17, 2018**5:00 PM Powers-Perri Wedding Rehearsal 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

**Friday, May 18, 2018**4:00 PM Powers-Perri Wedding
6:00 PM Callahan-Raus Rehearsal

Saturday, May 19, 2018 2:00 PM Callahan-Raus Wedding 7:00 PM N.A. Meeting in CHB



### A word from Fr. Bill....

#### Dear Parishioners:

Happy Mother's Day to all mothers, grandmothers, mothers-in-law, Godmothers, stepmothers, foster mothers, adopted mothers, expectant mothers and everyone (single or married) who is a mother figure to another. We all need nurturing in our lives. Although both male and female are responsible to nurture others, this weekend we especially honor our mothers and all those who have nurtured us. I understand nurturing as giving care and attention so that someone (or something as a plant) can grow and develop.

From the beginning of time God had been the epitome of nurturing. It is clear in Genesis that God is the source of all creation. Isaiah (49:15) reminds us that God is the perfect example of compassionate nursing when he asks if a woman can ever forget her nursing child, and then states that even if she did, God will never forget us. Isaiah (66:13) also reminds us that as a mother comforts her child, God will comfort us.

Thank you to all those women who have reflected God to us by nursing us to grow, and by showing us compassion and care. In a special way (in particular in our novena of Masses) we give thanks to God and honor you this weekend.

In a special way Catholic Social Services of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia wants to reach out to mothers (and fathers) who are thinking about making an adoption plan for their unborn child. They will help expectant parents who are considering this possibility to explore options that are in the best interest of all involved. If someone is interested in learning more information about this, you are encouraged to call the Adoption Department of Catholic Social Services at 267-331-3455.

As we have been announcing, one of the outcomes of our Lenten program concerning drug awareness and education is that our 4th and last Theology on Tap for this year (academic year) will be a panel discussion concerning drugs after the 7:00 PM Mass next Sunday, May 20th. The panel will consist of two agents from the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and two recovering addicts. There will certainly be time for questions and discussion. Adult beverages will be provided.

As an FYI concerning our follow up on our Lenten Drug Awareness and Education program, we thought you might be interested in knowing that 42,676 pounds of prescription drugs were collected across Pennsylvania and Delaware by the DEA and its partners during the Prescription Drug TakeBack event on April 28th. Keep an eye here to see when and where future similar events will take place.

Have a great week.

Fr Bill



The Opioid Forum: We Can All Help

"Join **Philadelphia Media Network** and presenting sponsor **Independence Blue Cross**\_and for an educational program featuring a panel of experts discussing the impact of opioids in our community, directly in our family, and in the workplace."

When: Thursday, May 17, 7:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Where: Sky Philadelphia, 1717 Arch St., 51st Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103
Individual Ticket Price: \$55.00 Includes plated breakfast

https://pmnevents.philly.com/e/the-opioid-forum-an-rx-for-the-workplace-2