

St. Augustine Parish

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time – September 30, 2018

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Gift of Life Family House ♥ "Home Cook Heroes" from Saint Augustine Parish



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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

Parish Staff:

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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.



Post-Abortion Healing Retreat

October 12, 13 & 14, 2018
Malvern-Frazer, Pennsylvania

For information call: Lauren at: 215-720-5828 or
Priscilla at 215-906-6337

www.rachelsvineyard.org

All inquiries are strictly confidential.
Financial aid is offered if needed.

Please visit our Parish Website for news
and what's happening at the parish:

www.st-augustinechurch.com



Environmental Corner

Home: Leave the shoes at the door: this is the equivalent of washing your hands when you come home. It's easy, and prevents car exhaust, chewing gum and pesticides from being tracked inside.

Office: Look for and purchase products that are made from post-consumer content (materials have been collected back from pervious products and remade into new ones) such as paper and plastic products. Even paper clips with post-consumer metals content are now available.

Outside: Eating GreenCalculator can help you learn about the effect your diet is having on the environment and climate change.



Roman Catholic High School Job Openings

Maintenance Position - Full-time, 12 month, 2PM-10PM shift. Candidates should be reliable, self-motivated and possess a familiarity with painting, electric, plumbing, etc. Attention to detail required. **Custodial Position** - Part-time, 12 month, shift negotiable. Responsibilities include cleaning of classrooms, bathrooms, corridors, etc. Reliable, self-motivated candidates preferred. Interested candidates should forward their resume to Mrs. Ann Vassallo Trost at: avassallo@romancatholichs.com.



Alternatives to Treating Pain

Research is being conducted to find chronic pain treatments other than opioids. One such researcher is pharmacology associate professor Jelena Janjic from Duquesne University. Her research involves nanotechnology and a patient's own immune system delivering non-opioid pain medication to cells. The hope is that advances in alternative pain treatment would mean a reduced use of opioids and fewer opportunities for addiction.

For the full article, visit the following link:

<https://www.npr.org/sections/health-shots/2018/09/05/636860122/inspired-by-her-own-pain-a-researcher-explores-alternatives-to-opioid-treatments>



Mass Intentions

Saturday & Sunday,
September 29 & 30, 2018

5:15 PM † Darlene Mae Riehl
9:00 AM † Connie Radziewicz
11:00 AM Angelina Young
7:00 PM Deceased Members of the
Georeno Family

Monday, October 01, 2018

12:05 PM The Parish Community

Tuesday, October 02, 2018

12:05 PM Deceased Members and
Benefactors of the OSA

Wednesday, October 03, 2018

12:05 PM † Joan McConomy

Thursday, October 04, 2018

12:05 PM † Julia R. Baumann

Friday, October 05, 2018

12:05 PM † Aloysius Gallagher

Saturday, October 06, 2018

5:15 PM † Darlene Mae Riehl

† = Deceased

Sacrificial Giving

September 22 & 23, 2018

Number of Envelopes Used: 53
Amount in Envelopes: \$1,586.00
Average \$/Envelope: \$29.94
Electronic Giving: 35
Amount Electronic: \$793.00
Average \$/Electronic: \$22.66
Loose Money: \$805.00
Total Collection: \$3,184.00

Electronic Giving

It's simple!

It's secure!

It's convenient!

Just log on to our website,

www.st-augustinechurch.com

and click on:

"Sign Up For Electronic Giving"



The Bulletin Board

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 30, 2018

2:30 PM Wedding Music Open House
8:00 PM 7 PM Mass Monthly Social

Monday, October 01, 2018

Tuesday, October 02, 2018

7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Wednesday, October 03, 2018

6:00 PM Steering Committee Meeting
8:00 PM Fiat Prayer Group

Thursday, October 04, 2018

6:00 PM Curcio-Kaltenbach Rehearsal
7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Friday, October 05, 2018

4:00 PM Curcio-Kaltenbach Wedding
6:00 PM Scott-Davies Rehearsal
7:00 PM First Friday Celebration

Saturday, October 06, 2018

3:00 PM Scott-Davies Wedding
7:00 PM N.A. Meeting in CHB



FIRST FRIDAYS AT ST. AUGUSTINE

Faith, Art, Music & History

Tour the oldest frescoes in any religious building in the United States.



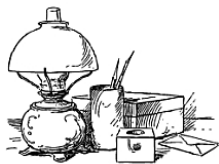
We'll provide the wine, cheese & fun

4th and Vine

Old City Philadelphia

Friday, October 05, 2018 ♦ 7:00 PM

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A word from Fr. Bill.....

Dear Parishioners:

You will see on the cover of this bulletin pictures of members of our parish community who represent us at the Gift of Life Family House which serves as a "home away from home" for transplant patients and their families by providing temporary, affordable lodging, meals, and supportive services to those who travel to Philadelphia for transplants. We have about 35 parishioners who volunteer there once a month ---one group on the third Tuesday of the month and another group on the second Sunday of the month. Members of the team prepare menus, shop, cook and serve the meals. The guests are often at a hospital or at a doctor's office during the day and really value having a home cooked meal at the end of the day. About fifteen of the volunteers met on September 19th to share their experiences and insights into their service there. A sincere thank you to the "Home Cook Heroes" for representing us there.

I am tremendously grateful to Ed Riehl, Fran Richards, Zac Lowder, Ruth and Ferdi Luyun for speaking at the Masses last weekend about the Capital Campaign. They provided a tremendous service to us by educating us about the campaign and inviting us to participate in it. I am happy to report to you that 15 people passed in forms: two made pledges, two asked to have a parish representative contact them, and eleven took pledge forms and said they would return them. This will be a significant help as we now have \$543,000 pledged. Thank you to all who presented and to all who responded as we "Celebrate our past and cultivate our future."

This was a busy week in the parish. As I informed you last week, a scene in a movie entitled "17 Bridges" was filmed here. I now know why they call such an enterprise "a production." It truly was. It is amazing all that goes into one scene. They were in the church on Monday preparing. Tuesday was the actual filming and they spent most of the day on Wednesday cleaning up. They used the friary parking lot, the parish parking lot, Carr Hall, and of course the church. In all, there were several hundred people here participating in one way or another. It was a great exposure to the parish. We will let you know when the movie will be released which may be another year. This was only the second day of filming.

Once again, I remind you that we are in need for more Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and Lectors. We gather to hear the Word and to be nourished by the Eucharist. Being a Lector or an Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister is a tremendous way to serve the parish. There will be a preparation gathering for new Lectors on Thursday, October 11 at 7:00 PM and Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers on Wednesday, October 17 at 7:00 PM. If you are interested, please sign up in the back of the church

Have a great week.

Fr. Bill