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St. Augustine

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S T . A U G U S T I N E



August 25, 2024

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One."

Jn 6:67-69

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Saturday Vigil: 4:15 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am and 11:00 am

All Masses are Interpreted for the Deaf

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday: 5:30 pm

Civic Holidays: 10:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm
or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

SACRAMENTS

Call the parish office to prepare for sacraments such as baptisms, weddings, first communion and confirmation.

Welcome!

We are "A Samaritan Church with a Missionary Heart"



Welcome to St. Augustine!

No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church, no matter your personal history, age, income, background, gender, disability, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, or spirituality, or marital situation. No matter your own self-image or holiness or virtue. You are invited, accepted, and respected here at St. Augustine Parish.

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Loving God,

For all who feel on the margins,

But who are at the center of your heart,

We ask you to open our hearts.

Help us to become a church and a nation where:

All lives have dignity,

All people are loved,

And all are welcome!

Amen

Scripture Readings for the Week

Sunday | Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21;

Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

Monday

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-5; Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday | Saint Monica

Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10-13; Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday | Saint Augustine of Hippo

Bishop and Doctor of the Church

2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18; Ps 128:1-2, 4-5; Mt 23:27-32

Thursday | The Passion of St. John the Baptist

1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-7; Mk 6:17-29

Friday

1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:1-13

Saturday

1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-21; Mt 25:14-30

Sunday | Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 4:1-2, 6-8; Ps 15:2-5; Jas 1: 17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8,

14-15, 21-23

Prayers and Offertory

If you or a family member are sick, please call the Parish Office or email ministry@StAugustineCleveland.org to add the name to this list. Names will be listed in the bulletin for 6 weeks. Please let us know if this time period needs to be extended. We want to know how you are doing and want to offer you the support of our prayers.

Pat Abraham	Char Augustine	Dorothy Barr	Joel Barr	Patti Cook
Ilona Cykman	Ellen Ferrari	Andrew Finamore	Mike Furey	John Garneau
Susan Grieken	Michael Hogan	Kathy Kohout	Ella McGowan	Fr. Joe McNulty
Nora Orozco	Bridget Patton	Mike Perciado	Brian Pfeiffer	Sheila Rock
Andrea Slosar	Richard Slosar	Mary Smith	Nora Thomas	Norma Turner
Nancy Van Gieson				

And for all those who are ill, home-bound, elderly, in nursing care, living with a chronic illness, or living on the margins, we pray.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 24

4:15 pm † Donnell Treska-Williams

Sunday, August 25

8:30 am Living and Deceased Parishioners

11:00 am Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday, August 26

5:30 pm am † Charles Johnson

Tuesday, August 27

5:30 pm † Rev. John Krasen

Wednesday, August 28

5:30 pm Living and Deceased Parishioners

Thursday, August 29

5:30 pm † Betty Terepka

Friday, August 30

5:30 pm † William Farrell

Saturday, August 31

4:15 pm † Betty Rose

Sunday, September 1

8:30 am † Joe and Livia Smith

11:00 am † Maryann Kershey

† Deceased

Offertory— August 17th and 18th

Regular Collection	\$1,838.53
E-Giving	\$200.00
Feast of the Assumption	\$212.00
Catholic Education Faith and Values	\$121.00
Building/Renovation	\$10.00

Total Collection \$2,381.53

Counter Team A is scheduled for Monday

Pope Francis'

August Prayer Intention

For Political Leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.



"Jesus knows we are sinners; he knows we make many mistakes, but he does not give up on joining his life to ours. He knows that we need the Eucharist, because the Eucharist is not the reward of saints, but the bread of sinners. This is why he exhorts us:

"Do not be afraid! Take and eat."

~Pope Francis

Donate online

We are deeply grateful for your generosity in your weekly contribution to St. Augustine Parish. Your kindness and support enable us to provide for the needs of our parish and community.

Please consider our Parish's E-giving option through PayPal. It is easy and secure. Visit our parish website, www.StAugustineCleveland.org and click donate.

Thank you for your financial support.



Love Without Measure...

If you had a chance to follow any of the political convention this past week, you were given a tutorial on the significant power of the preacher to inspire. All the presenters were preachers in a very real way. Each, some more than others, had the gift to inspire not only for a moment or a talk but to bring about conversion, a change of mind and heart. We carry that message forward and its power to transform the community and world around us.

John the Baptist must have been a very dynamic and inspiring preacher. He probably seems a bit quirky, roaming around in the wilderness. Calling people to change their ways. The crowds speculated 'in their hearts' if John was the one they had been waiting for, but he used all of this attention and popularity for one purpose only; to point people to Jesus. There are many people in our own lives who have pointed us toward Jesus, perhaps by an invitation to an event or sharing with us new insight at just the right time: teachers, grandparents, religious, inspirational speakers, friends...In them we see something special that makes us wonder so that our hearts are moved to seek a little further. They are the John the Baptist in our lives, signposts along the way. - Ann Lamont

"Respect multiplies. It travels like good news. Civility travels like laughter, incivility travels like the flu.

In courage everything has to be a "problem." Ours is a time of anxiety because we have willed it to be so. Our anxiety is not imposed on us by force from outside. We impose it on our world and upon one another from within ourselves." - Thomas Merton

Gratitude helps you fall in love with the life you already have.

Healthy churches help people heal. - The House that Jesus Built.

The majority of us lead quiet, unheralded lives as we pass through this world. There will most likely be no ticker tape parades for us no monuments created in our honor. But that does not lessen our possible impact, for there are scores of people waiting for someone just like us to come along; people who will appreciate our compassion, our unique talents. Someone who will live a happier life merely because we took the time to share what we had to give. - Leo Buscaglia

It is my belief that we should not be too sure of having found Christ in ourselves until we have found him also in the part of humanity that is most remote from our own. - Thomas Merton

I sat with my anger long enough until she told me her real name with grief." - C.S. Lewis

You are Good in God's eyes	Genesis 1: 31
Yo are precious in his sight	Isaiah 43: 4
He rejoices over you	Zephaniah 3: 17
He love you forever	Jeremiah 31: 3

So, when you feel you have nothing, always remember your identity in the Lord. Amen

The beginning of love is the will to let those we love be perfectly themselves. The resolution not to twist them to fit our own image. If in loving them we do not love what they are, but only their potential likeness to ourselves, Then we do not love them: we only love the reflection of ourselves we find in them. - Thomas Merton

Fr. Bill

Parish Indoor Picnic and Organ Concert

St. Augustine's has a long tradition of celebrating our history, parish family, and community around the time of St. Augustine of Hippo's Feast Day (August 28th). Over the years our celebrations have changed but our mission remains the same- to gather together as a parish family and community.

You are invited to join us for our last "Great Month" event **THIS SUNDAY**, August 25th for an indoor picnic and Organ Concert. The **picnic will begin at 11:30 am** in Walsh Hall and conclude with an **organ concert beginning at 1:30 pm** in the Church.

Around the Parish

Say It In Sign

Sign language class for beginners will continue this Wednesday from 12:30 pm until 2 pm in the Parish Administration Offices. For more information, please contact Robin McMarlin at (216)781-5530 ext. 29 or at RMcMarlin@StAugustineCleveland.org.

St. Augustine Signing Choir

The St. Augustine Signing Choir practice will continue on Wednesday at 6:30 pm in Walsh Hall. Anyone interested in joining the choir, with or without signing experience, is invited to join.

For more information on joining the Signing Choir, please contact the parish office at (216) 781-5530.

St. Augustine Buckeye Deaf Seniors

St. Augustine Buckeye Deaf Seniors will gather on Tuesday, September 10th at 10 am. New members are always welcome.

Cleveland Catholic Deaf Center

Please join us every Sunday after 8:30 am and 11 am masses in the Cleveland Catholic Deaf Center located in the former school building for fellowship and refreshments.

Mary's Rosary Guild of the Deaf

Mary's Rosary Guild of the Deaf invite you to join them at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine (21281 Chardon Road, Euclid) on September 7, 2024. More information can be found in today's bulletin insert.

Blind Community

The VIPs (Visually Impaired Persons) welcome those with and without visual impairments to their annual fall dinner dance which will take place on Saturday, October 12th from 6 pm to 9 pm in Walsh Hall. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased in the parish office.

Members of the Blind Community are invited to stay up-to-date with Blind Community and Parish events by calling (216) 635-9215.

LINKS Community for Mental Health

Member of LINKS, a social, recreational and educational ministry of St. Augustine's for persons with Mental Health conditions, recently enjoyed making homemade peanut butter cookies.

For more information on our Links program please contact Bob at (216) 781-5530 or Bduda@StAugsutineCleveland.org.

St. Augustine Seniors (50 and over)

The St. Augustine Seniors invite you to their next gathering on Thursday, September 12th at 12 noon in Walsh Hall.

For more information on joining the Seniors Group, please contact the parish office at (216) 781-5530.



St. Augustine Community Cupboard and Closet provides non-perishable food items, personal hygiene, cleaning, pet food, and clothing items to those in need.

The Cupboard and Closet is **open** on **Saturdays** from **11 AM - 3 PM**.

For more information or to volunteer please contact Anthony Camino at (216) 781-5530 or email, Acamino@StAugustineCleveland.org.

We have also created an **Amazon Wish List** which can be found on our parish website, www.StAugustineCleveland.org.

Community Closet and Cupboard Highlights by the Numbers

- ♦ Served 1,091 in the month of May, 1,301 in the month of June, and 1,272 in the month of July.
- ♦ In the month of May we helped 188 new families, 225 during the month of June and in July 197 new friends came to us in need.

Beware! Church Text Message & Email Scam

Have you received a suspicious text or email from Fr. Bill or Fr. Ben (or any member of the parish staff) requesting that you purchase gift cards on their behalf or loan them money? If you have - or receive something similar in the future - know that these DID NOT come from them. Cyber scammers, who are targeting Catholic parishes and schools throughout the nation, are victimizing parishioners and parents. Perpetrators use various techniques to gain the trust of a victim and may provide specific instructions, which if followed, could result in monetary loss to the victim. Do not become a victim.

If you receive such texts or emails do the following:

- Take time to consider your actions before responding to suspicious text or email messages.
- Do not provide any personal information (i.e., credit / debit card numbers, Social Security numbers or any part of them, checking account numbers, passwords, etc.), and be extremely cautious of immediate demands that you take action.
- If in doubt, call the Parish Office at St. Augustine to authenticate the message.
- Do not respond to any message if you doubt its origin; just delete it.

Faith Formation

Bible Study on Prayer

Pope Francis has asked us to pray for the Synod of Bishops that will be meeting in Rome in October. This study will go through October as we pray for the Bishops.

Pat Takacs will lead weekly interpreted study sessions on Thursday nights from 6:30pm until 8pm from **September 19, 2024 - October 31, 2024**, with light snacks provided.

The Catholic site, Formed, led by Theologian Tim Gray, PhD, will be our guide in different forms of prayer. God's Word promises us that He inhabits the prayers and praise of His people. We are a people committed to seek God in prayer.

Please call the parish office at 216-781-5530 to register. If you cannot make all of the sessions, please don't let that stop you from signing up. A study guide will be provided that can keep you participating even if you cannot make all the sessions. The last Bible Study taught us a great deal about the Eucharist. This study will teach us much about prayer.

Hope to see you there!



Are you interested in the Catholic Faith?

We invite you to learn what the Church teaches and to ask questions about the Catholic faith or to inquire about the process of becoming Catholic. There is also formation available for the Sacrament of Confirmation for Catholic adults who have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation and Eucharist, but were never confirmed. Please call (216) 781-5530 or send an email to info@staugustinecleveland.org for more information.



Our monthly Ultreya will resume on Saturday, September 14th at 10:00 am. Cursillistas are invited to gather, pray, and share personal stories about living a life in God's Grace on the second Saturday of every month.

PSR in Need of Volunteers



We are looking for PSR Catechists for the 2024 - 2025 PSR school year. The school year will begin in September and run through May 2024.

As a part of the Dioceses of Cleveland's Protecting God's Children policy, all volunteers are required to complete Virtus training and submit a BCI criminal background check.

If you are looking for something new to be a part of, consider joining this very important ministry of sharing your Catholic faith with the young people of St. Augustine's. If interested in learning more, please contact Jessica Neuhart at JNeuhart@StAugustineCleveland.org or by calling the parish office at (216) 781-5530 ext. 23.

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2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

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JNeuhart@staugustinecleveland.org
for more information



Register today!



"To fall in love with God is the greatest romance;
to seek Him is the greatest adventure;
to find Him, the greatest human achievement."
-St. Augustine of Hippo, Confessions



Reflection

When Things fall from the Sky...

"Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life."

John 6: 60-69

Howard Thurman, the African-American theologian, educator and preacher, remembers the summer night when Haley's Comet appeared in 1910. Howard was ten years old and living in Florida:

"One night I was awakened by my mother, who asked if I would like to see the comet. I got up, dressed quickly, and went out with her to the back yard. There I saw in the heavens the awesome tail of the comet and stood transfixed. With deep anxiety I asked, without taking my eyes off it, 'What will happen to us when that thing falls out of the sky?' There was a long silence during which I felt the gentle pressure of her fingers on my shoulders; then I looked into her face and saw what I had seen on another occasion, when without knocking I had rushed into her room and found her in prayer. At last she said, 'Nothing will happen to us, Howard. God will take care of us.' In that moment something was touched and kindled in me, a quiet reassurance that has never quite deserted me. As I look back on it, what I sensed then was the fact that what stirred in me was one with what created and controlled the comet. It was this inarticulate awareness that silenced my fear and stilled my panic."

Too often we act - or react - out of fear; we respond to an issue out of anxiety or dread. Hopelessness can become a way of life: the sense that God has abandoned us or that God doesn't exist in our lives can cripple us emotionally and spiritually. The disciples who cannot "endure" Jesus' talk about giving his "flesh to eat" leave him and return to their directionless, hopeless lives. But Peter's simple, plaintive confession articulates his faith that God is not present in the darkness of evil but in the light of goodness that seeks to shatter that darkness; the God of love who breathes life into our souls is experienced not in our dread of colliding comets but in the goodness and blessed order of all creation. Despite our own doubts, fears and misgivings, we know in the depth of our hearts that, in the end, the words of Jesus will triumph. We mourn God's absence in times of pain, change and despair, but we trust that God can be rediscovered in acts of love, generosity, support and healing extended to us by others. Let us embrace the constant faith and resolve of Simon Peter and the Twelve who remain with Jesus - faith that, even in the most difficult times, senses the light and refuses to abandon the hope of God's love.

Diocesan and Community News and Events

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

In 2015, Pope Francis established September 1, as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, encouraging Catholics around the world to pray for our common home. In his letter establishing the day as an annual celebration, Pope Francis wrote that its purpose is to:

"offer individual believers and communities a fitting opportunity to reaffirm their personal vocation to be stewards of creation, to thank God for the wonderful handiwork which He has entrusted to our care, and to implore His help for the protection of creation as well as His pardon for the sins committed against the world in which we live."

Pope Francis' message for the 2024 World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation is focusing on the theme, "Hope and Act with Creation", based on St. Paul's Letter to the Romans (8:19-25). Pope Francis emphasized the need for ecological conversion, urging humanity to shift from exploiting nature to nurturing it. The Pope underlined the need to rethink power and to see caring for the environment as part of Christian hope.



LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

There IS something more in our life of faith and as we grow in our relationship with Jesus. Come to commit or re-commit your faith in Jesus and know what a full life can offer you! Our Lady of Angels Prayer group will once again offer a Life in the Spirit Seminar beginning September 10, 2024 for seven consecutive Tuesday evenings through October 29th from 7:30-9:00pm. We meet in the Primary building of Our Lady of Angels School, (behind Linus Hall) 3644 Rocky River Dr., Cleveland, 44111. Please phone Verna, 216-251-3560 or Tom, 216-536-6495 for information or to register. There is NO charge for this seminar.

Red Bird Ministries Bereavement Retreat Day

Sept 21, 2024 9am - 6pm (Mass at 5pm)

A retreat for those suffering the loss of a child (from pregnancy through adulthood). During this one-day retreat, we will bring together individuals and couples grouped together according to their loss. There will be time for spiritual direction, reconciliation and small group sharing. The day will include breakfast, lunch and conclude with the 5:00pm Vigil Mass. St. Justin Martyr Parish, Eastlake. For more information, please contact Terri Yohman (216) 696-6525 ext. 2322 tyohman@dioceseofcleveland.org

Feast Day of St. Monica
August 27th



The Church has set aside August 27th and 28th for the celebration of two saints of special significance to us and to each other - a mother and son whose journey to holiness was made together. Saint Augustine acknowledges that he was brought to faith in the Church through the prayers and tears of his saintly mother who, in turn, was led to confident trust in God through the prayers she offered continually for her wayward son.

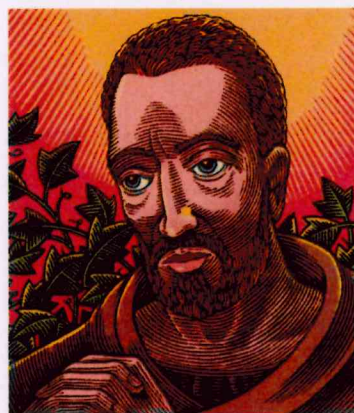
Monica was born in Tagaste, present day Algeria, in 331, to a deeply Christian family of some means. She was given in marriage to Patricius, a pagan, who was a small land-owner. Together they had three children, Augustine, Navigius, and a daughter whose name is not known to us. Strong of character as well as of faith, she sought to guide her family in their human and Christian development most of all by her own example and prayer but, when necessary, also by her persuasive words and diligent actions. Thus, she brought her husband to discover the beauty of the Catholic faith, as well as the son of her many tears, Augustine. Monica figures significantly in Augustine's journey all the way through to his eventual conversion, and is remembered in history - according to his own words - as the mother "who brought me to birth, both in her flesh, so that I was born into this temporal light, and in her heart, that I might be born into eternal light" (Conf. 8, 17). Her great joy was to witness the baptism of Augustine, after his long and restless journey to the faith of the Church, by Bishop Ambrose in Milan in 387. Some months later, as mother and son, together with Augustine's own son and a small group of friends were making their way back to North Africa to begin living a monastic life, Monica died at Ostia while awaiting the ship. There she was buried and in time the site of her burial was lost. Later, however, it was rediscovered and her remains were transferred to the Basilica of Saint Augustine in Rome where they are now venerated.

Monica is that wise and prudent woman about whom Scripture speaks, not afraid to live her faith openly nor to share it with others. It would not be fair to characterize her, however, as an over-bearing and meddling woman. Just as she knew how to win the heart of her husband through silence and patience, she learned how to touch that of her son through her words and persistent attention.



Feast Day of St. Augustine of Hippo
August 28th

This Wednesday we celebrate the Solemnity of Saint

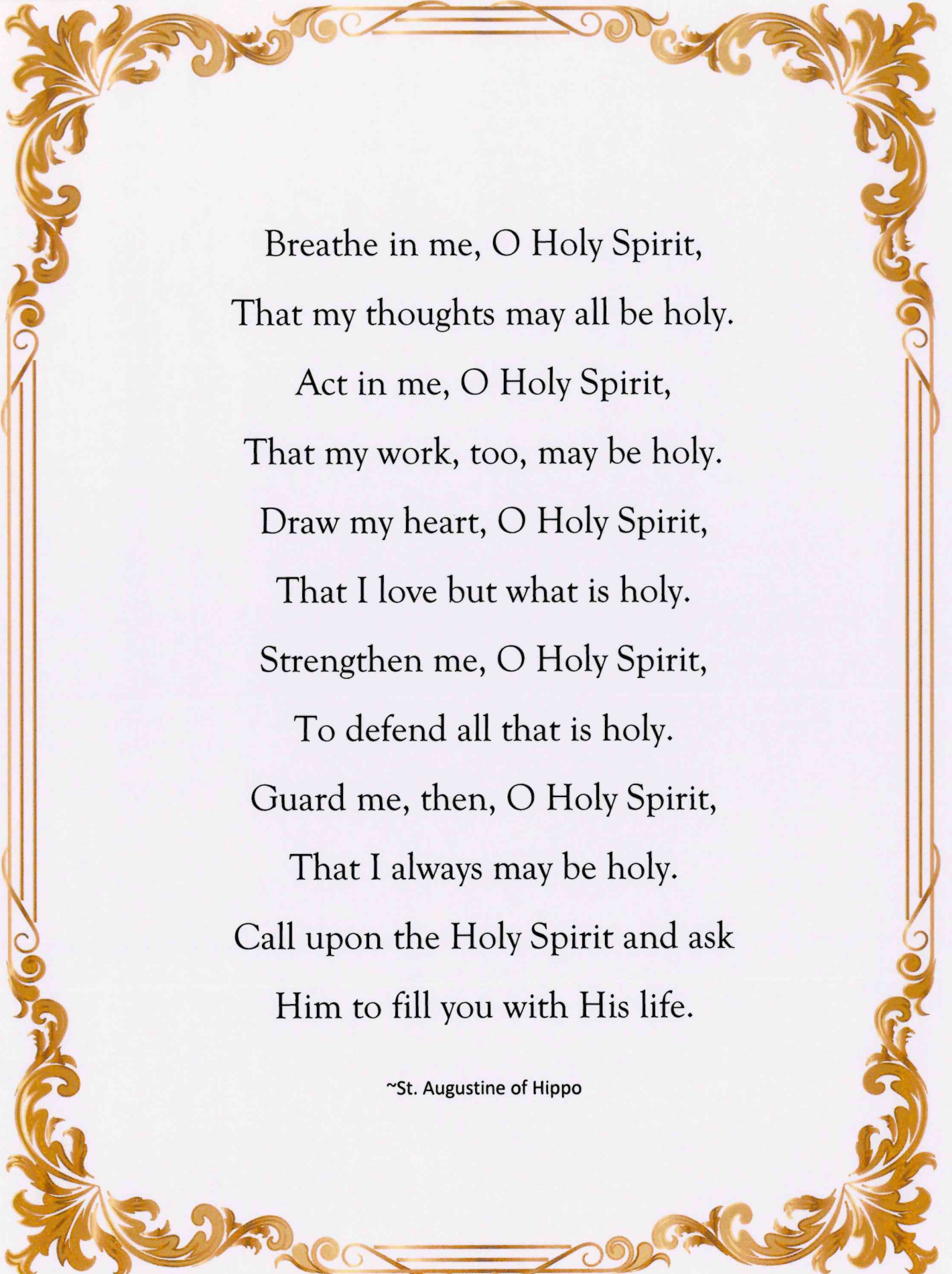


Augustine, one of the great founders of monasticism in the Western Church, bishop, theologian, preacher, writer and doctor of the Church. None of these titles, though accurate, would please him, however, as much as the simple one he used to describe himself: 'servant of God'. For whatever we achieve in life, whatever gifts and talents we have been given, are of little value

unless they lead us, as they did Augustine, to know, love, and serve God ever more deeply.

Augustine was born in Tagaste, Souk-Ahras, present day Algeria on November 13, 354 to Patricius, a pagan, and Monica, a fervent Catholic. He was endowed with abundant human and intellectual gifts as well as an inquisitive mind and a passionate spirit, all of which brought him great pain at times, while leading him to great discoveries about himself, life, and God, as well. Through the generosity of a family friend, he was able to do studies beyond the basic course in his hometown, and became an accomplished rhetorician and teacher in Africa and later in Rome and Milan. Though he had been admitted to the catechumenate of the Catholic Church by his mother as a child, he did not find satisfaction in the Church during adolescence and young adulthood, and instead was drawn to other forms of spiritual expression, especially in the Manichean sect and later in astrology. Finally, he embraced skepticism. In retrospect, however, he was able to discern various moments of spiritual growth or conversion until a final climactic moment when he decided to embrace Christ fully in the Catholic Church. He had already separated from the woman with whom he had lived for many years and who bore him a son, and was preparing for marriage with another, but his conversion, he felt, required that he abandon altogether any possibility of marriage and commit himself instead to a life of chastity as a celibate 'servant of God'. Following baptism in Milan in 387, together with his son and some friends, he returned with them to his hometown of Tagaste to begin a monastic life. Against his personal wishes, he was ordained priest in Hippo in 391, and became bishop of that See in 397, all the while continuing in his monastic lifestyle.

Augustine was a prolific writer, an accomplished preacher, a monastic leader, a theologian, pastor, contemplative, and mystic. He died on August 28, 430 at almost 76 years of age, as North Africa was being invaded by the Vandals and the Church there was being devastated. His remains were taken to Sardinia and later to Pavia, Italy, where they are now preserved in the Basilica of San Pietro in Ciel d'Oro.



Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit,
That my thoughts may all be holy.

Act in me, O Holy Spirit,
That my work, too, may be holy.

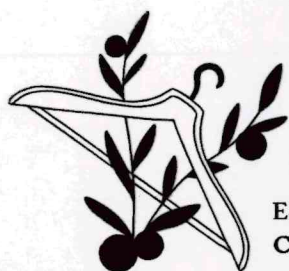
Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit,
That I love but what is holy.

Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit,
To defend all that is holy.

Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit,
That I always may be holy.

Call upon the Holy Spirit and ask
Him to fill you with His life.

~St. Augustine of Hippo



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FOR ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT MARIA BOYER AT 440-533-5391



Save the Date!

MGRD Trip to Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine

21281 Chardon Rd,
Euclid, OH 44117

September 7, 2024, Saturday
10:30 am – 3:30 pm

Our Schedule:

10:30 – meet at the Shrine

11:00 am – ASL Mass

Lunch after mass

1:30 pm – History of Lourdes / Rosary



Please sign up by August 30th Friday – Come and Join us!

Your name: _____

Email: _____ or VP/text: _____

We will have lunch box \$7.00 per person.

To rsvp you may call Maria Rivera at 216-370-7141 VP or sign up at CCDC counter.

Parish Calendar and Events

The **St. Augustine Parish Pastoral Council** met on August 19, 2024. There was a presentation given about lighting in the church. Reports were given by the PSR program, Rainbow Camp, Music Director, Liturgy Committee, Community Cupboard and Closet and the Deaf Community. Currently, the following items are in process: purchasing a wheelchair van with funds from a grant, addition of an elevator to the school building, addition of sod on the north side of the church and revision of current Parish Council bylaws. Minutes from previous council meetings are available on our parish website.

St. Augustine Elementary School and Our Lady of Mercy Elementary School All Class Reunion

- All former students, teachers and guests of St. Augustine Elementary School and Our Lady of Mercy Elementary School are invited to an all class reunion on Sunday, October 6, 2024.
- The reunion will begin with Mass at 11 am followed by lunch and fellowship in Walsh Hall.
- Please contact Bob Duda at (216) 781-5530 ext. 31 or Bduda@staugustinecleveland.org for more information.

"Friendship should not be bounded by narrow limits... It extends beyond those to whom we owe affection and love, even to enemies, for whom we are commanded to pray. There is no one in the human race to whom we do not owe love, even if not out of mutual love, at least on account of our sharing in a common nature."



(St. Augustine- Letter 130.13)

This week at St. Augustine

Monday, August 26, 2024

- 3:00 pm: Links Council Meeting (Walsh Hall)
- 5:30 pm: Mass (Church)
- 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall)

Tuesday, August 27, 2024

- 9:30 am: AA Meeting (Walsh Hall)
- 5:30 pm: Mass (Church)
- 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall)

Wednesday, August 28, 2024

- 12:30 pm: Sign Class (Parish Administration Building)
- 3:00 pm: Links (Walsh Hall)
- 5:30 pm: Mass (Church)
- 6:00 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall)
- 6:30 pm: Signing Choir Practice (Walsh Hall)

Thursday, August 29, 2024

- 5:30 pm: Mass (Church)
- 7:00 pm: Boy Scouts (Second Floor School Building)
- 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall)

Friday, August 30, 2024

- 5:30 pm: Mass (Church)
- 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall)

Saturday, August 31, 2024

- 11:00 am – 3:00 pm: Community Cupboard and Closet
- 4:15 pm: Mass (Church)

Sunday, September 1, 2024

- 8:30 am: Mass (Church)
- 11:00 am: Mass (Church)



On the Lighter Side



A woman was pulled over for rolling through a stop sign. The Officer recognized her as his former English Teacher in school. He said, "Mrs. Cooper, those stop signs are periods, not commas!"

August 24 th and 25 th	Saturday: 4:15 PM	Sunday: 8:30 AM	Sunday: 11 AM
Priest Deacon	Fr. Bill O'Donnell, C.P.P.S (H)	Fr. Bill O'Donnell, C.P.P.S (H) Deacon Chris DePenti	Fr. Ben Jimenez, SJ (H)
Lectors	Theresa Fallon	Joe Lewandowski	Kate Slosar Kathy Payne
Extraordinary Ministers of the Blessed Sacrament	Helen Bencic Bob Duda Calvin White	Rob Owens Maria Rivera	John Kowalchik Nora Kowalchik Robin McMarlin
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Lectors	Dave Dilyn	Debbie Sollars	Tom Smith Aaron Calton
Extraordinary Ministers of the Blessed Sacrament	Theresa Fallon Lin Janson Bonnie Robertson	Pat Abraham Joe Lewandowski Kathy Yarmock	Karen Halupnik Jeannie Rawlings