HEADLINES

- Solemnity of Mary, January 1
- Santo Niño Feast Day Mass
- Marian Pilgrimage

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long time residents or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered, please do so in the vestibule, visit the parish office, or go on line at www.staugustinessf.org.

MASS SCHEDULE
Monday-Friday  8:40am, 5:30pm
Saturday     8:40am, 4:30pm
Sunday       7:45am, 9:30am
             11:00am, 12:30pm
             5:30pm
Holy Day     8:40am, 12:15pm
             5:30pm, 7:00pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Friday  9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday      9:00am-3:00pm
Closed between 12noon-1:00pm
Web: www.staugustinessf.org
Email staugustinessf@aol.com

CONFESSION
Friday        4:30pm - 5:00pm
Saturday      3:30pm - 4:00 pm

BAPTISM
Saturday      2nd & 4th at 12:00N
Sunday        2:30 pm
Parents must contact the office at least one month before baptism. Parents and godparents are required to attend a pre-baptismal catechesis.

BAPTISMAL COORDINATORS
Deacon Virgil Capetti
Lari Collins

WEDDING
Parishioners who wish to be wed in St. Augustine Catholic Church must contact the parish office at least 6 months before the desired date.

PASTORAL STAFF
Rev. Rene Ramoso, Pastor
Rev. Ed Dura, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II, Deacon
Rev. Mr. Virgil Capetti, Deacon
Sr. Nona Barairo, CCD & Confirmation Director
Patricia Abdelalim, Operations Manager
Amor Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

YOUTH MINISTER
Melanie Macaraeg
Daniel Diaz

YOUTH OFFICE
Open 2nd & 4th Sundays 9:30am to 2:30pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
Friday         9:15am - 5:15pm

OUR VISION
St. Augustine Parish is a worshipping community that enthusiastically manifests faith through action, with open arms for all of God’s children.

OUR MISSION
We live God’s Word and continue His Work.
THE BLESSING WE RECEIVE

The blessing we experience in Christ Jesus is proclaimed in Numbers as the special blessing for the people of Israel. They and we are to be blessed by the invocation of God’s loving kindness, the shining glory of God’s face turned toward us in love, not away from us in anger. We are blessed by God’s own peace!

Our wish and our hope are fulfilled in this blessing, which is made visible in the coming of Jesus. In Jesus, the image of the invisible God, God’s face is shown to us and God’s presence is made known to us in faithful and loving kindness.

Christmas didn’t claim the honor of a continuous feast, but it did get an Octave Day. January 1 is the oldest Marian feast, the Octave of Christmas. It was originally a feast of the motherhood of Mary, although for centuries until 1969 it was called the Feast of the Circumcision. Our reformed calendar follows the earlier tradition of celebrating Mary as Mother of God.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD bless you and keep you! The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace! (Numbers 6:22-27).

Psalm — May God bless us in his mercy (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — God sent the Spirit of the Son into our hearts, crying out, “Abba, Father!” So you are no longer a slave but an heir, through God (Galatians 4:4-7).

Gospel — The shepherds glorified and praised God for all they had heard and seen (Luke 2:16-21).


READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:29—3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34
Wednesday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42
Thursday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 4:14-22a
Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 [23, 31-34, 36, 38]
Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Sal 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 2:1-11
Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Parish Office closed on Jan 2, 2017

“Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes and receives God’s gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and neighbor.”
THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH
January 02 - January 08

Monday - January 02
Mass 8:40am Church
HOLIDAY, PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday - January 03
Bible Study 7:00pm Chapel

Wednesday - January 04
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. C
Divine Will 6:30pm Conf. A
K of C Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
2nd Yr. Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

Thursday - January 05
CCD 4:30pm Hall
Santo Niño 6:30pm Chapel
1st Yr. Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

Friday - January 06
Youth Choir 4:00pm Hall
Children’s Choir 5:30pm Hall
St. Augustine Choir 7:30pm Hall

Saturday - January 07
CCD 9:00am Hall

Sunday - January 08
K of C 9:00am Hall
Legion of Mary 9:00am Conf. C
RCIA 9:30am Conf. B
Legion of Mary 11:00am Conf. A

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
January 02 - January 08

Mon 8:40am COMMUNITY MASS
5:30pm NO AFTERNOON MASS
Tue 8:40am Danilo Zagala
5:30pm Romeo Moscardon (Birthday)
Wed 8:40am Raina Oquendo (Birthday)
5:30pm Anna Hoa Nguyen
Thu 8:40am Tony Regidor (Birthday)
5:30pm Lourdes V. Ignacio (Birthday)
Fri 8:40am Janessa Roal (Birthday)
5:30pm Adoracion Ballesteros (Thanks)
Sat 8:40am Frank Reyes
4:30pm Sean Concepcion
Sun 7:45am Noah Reyes (Birthday)
9:30am People of St. Augustine
11:00am Theodore Steiner
12:30pm Remedios Cagadoc
5:30pm Lourdes Herras (Thanks)

OFFERINGS

Offertory collections will be published after the holidays.

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This Sunday’s second collection is for the Altar Renovation Project.

Next Sunday’s second collection is for the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal.
Happy New Year!

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St. Augustine Catholic Church

Santo Niño
Saturday, January 28, 2017
4:30 PM Mass
Fellowship in the parish hall

For participation and donations for the fellowship, please contact Vilma Lorenzo, Coordinator of Para-Liturgy. Her contact #: 650-922-9322 or email her at vilorenzo@comcast.net.

PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR
FROM THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

Remember us, O God; from age to age be our comforter.
You have given us the wonder of time, blessings in days and nights, seasons and years.
Bless your children at the turning of the year and fill the months ahead with the bright hope that is ours in the coming of Christ.
You are our God, living and reigning, forever and ever. Amen.

- From Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE to PORTUGAL, SPAIN & FRANCE
May 21 to June 2, 2017  SFO/SFO  $3,499

Lisbon → Santarem → Fatima → Porto → Santiago de Compostela → Loyola →
San Sebastian → Lourdes → Montserrat → Barcelona → Zaragoza → Madrid → Avila

Rev. Rene Ramoso, Chaplain
650-873-2282