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.
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 18, 2015
Your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you.
— 1 Corinthians 6:19a

TODAY’S READINGS
First Reading — Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening (1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19).
Psalm — Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will (Psalm 40).
Second Reading — Your bodies are members of Christ; glorify God in your body (1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20).
Gospel — The first disciples saw where Jesus was staying and they stayed with him (John 1:35-42).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Monday: Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: Heb 7:25 — 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer
Friday: Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8, 10-14; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

JOY
The fullness of joy is to behold God in everything.
—St. Julian

WORRIES. The greatest of worries can’t pay the smallest of debts.
—Anonymous

WATCHING FOR THE MESSIAH
Today’s Gospel story of John and his disciples seeing and following Jesus sounds so simple and casual, it’s easy to miss the significant acts of faith that are made.

John points to Jesus: “Look,” he says, “there is the Lamb of God.” John’s faith in Jesus is evident, so evident that John’s disciples immediately leave his side to follow this Jesus.

The two disciples make their own act of faith. They follow Jesus, spend time with him, and are quick to spread the good news of their discovery: “We have found the Messiah.”

It is easy to forget that the expectations of generations, the hopes of many ages of faithful people were being fulfilled in these simple acts of faith. The Lamb of God, the Messiah, foretold by the prophets, had finally come. Nearly everyone among the Jewish people was watching for the Messiah back then; who in our own society watches for signs of the presence of the Messiah today?

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION
Old customs fade slowly, and in 1560 the Council of Trent tried for significant change in pastoral care of the sick. People resisted, thinking that the last breath was the right time for the sacrament. Although physical improvement was often noted after anointing, it was seen as a kind of bonus, rather than an expected outcome of a prayer for good health, strength, patience, and even healing. More than four hundred years later, many people still do not ask for anointing until it is literally too late for the person to have reasonable hope of healing, or at least be aware enough to participate in the ritual. By then, it may even be too late for vaticum, the true “last rite.”

We have a treasure in our tradition that we seem reluctant to use. We visit the sick, we anoint those who are in the first crisis of illness, we give Communion to those who are dying, and we keep vigil and pray for those close to death. When anointing is celebrated early enough, optimally when the sick person is still at Sunday Mass, it can be a source of courage, faith, and hope for a difficult road ahead. When we anoint our sick, we remind them that they belong to Christ and a community of faith. We bring them into the presence of Christ to reconcile, heal, and give strength and hope. We resist forces that isolate and alienate the sick; the symbol of touch is a powerful act of acceptance. Why wait until the crisis of illness is dire before we apply such a rich remedy to body and soul?

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The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 19, 2015, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**  
**January 19 - January 25**

**Mon - January 19**
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. A
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. B
- Pre-Baptismal Class 7:00pm Hall

**Tue - January 20**
- Youth Choir 5:00pm Hall
- Youth Group 6:30pm Youth Center
- Bible Study 7:00pm Conf. A

**Wed - January 21**
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. C
- K of C Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
- 2nd Yr Confirmation 7:00pm Church

**Thu - January 22**
- CCD 4:30pm Hall
- Santo Niño 6:30pm Chapel
- 1st Yr Confirmation 7:00pm Church

**Fri - January 23**
- Children’s Choir 5:30pm Hall
- St. Augustine Chorale 7:00pm Hall

**Sat - January 24**
- CCD 9:00am Hall

**Sun - January 25**
- Legion of Mary 9:30am Conf. C
- Jr. Legion 11:00am Conf. A
- RCIA 9:00am Conf. A

**2015 ARCHBISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL**

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**SANCTUARY FUND**

St. Augustine Church had its first sponsored pilgrimage to the Holy Land on November, 2014. This pilgrimage earned **$31,742.80** towards our sanctuary fund. If you wish to personally donate to St. Augustine Church for the sanctuary renovation, you may contact the parish office at 650-873-2282.

**OFFERINGS**

Regular Sunday Offering:  
January 11, 2015 $ 10,453.00
Archbishop’s Annual Appeal $ 5,372.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Tue) $ 358.00
Sacred Heart Of Jesus (Fri) $ 307.00
New Year’s Day $ 9,121.00

Next Sunday’s second collection is for the **Religious Education Congress** participation of our parish.

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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**  
**January 19 - January 25**

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(*) Deceased (BD) Birthday (WA) Wedding Anniversary (TG) Thanksgiving  
(P) Personal Intention (H) Healing

**ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH**
**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE**

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**PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES**

**January 18, 2015. Sanctity of Human Life Sunday.** We remember today that human life must be respected and protected from the moment of conception until death which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life.

**January 24, 2015. Walk for Life San Francisco.** Civic Center, San Francisco at 12 Noon till 2 PM. All are invited. The Legion of Mary and the Knights of Columbus are carpooling to take the BART to go to the Civic Center at 10 AM. If interested, call Lita Songco (650)878-5454 or Rosalinda Lopez (650)878-9248. February 18 to March 29, 2015. 40 Days for Life. St. Augustine Day of prayer is February 21, Saturday, from 7am to 7pm. We invite all parishioners and organizations to help spend one hour to pray in front of the abortion clinic at 35 Baywood St., San Mateo.

**RESPECT LIFE SSF** an established pro-life group invites you to our rosary prayer vigil every Saturday from 10 AM to 12 Noon at 435 Grand Avenue praying for LIFE and a STOP to abortion.

**THE GRABRIEL PROJECT,** a parish-based ministry, invites you to take a pamphlet in the vestibule area of the church with information on aiding and supporting pregnant mothers in need.

www.sfgabrielproject.wordpress.com 1-800-910-2848.

**SAVE THE DATE** for the **ANNUAL CCD RUMMAGE SALE** on Sat, Jan 31st and Sun, Feb 1st.

As you clean out the old, to make room for the new, please consider donating new or slightly used items to the fundraiser. Donations can be dropped off in the hall on Thursday, January 29th and Friday, January 30th. Please do not drop off any items until then, we do not have room to store them. If you have any questions, please call Khay R. Acosta for any questions or concerns at 650-455-1060. Thank you in advance for your help.

**SAVE THE DATE**

February 7, 2015 at 6:00 PM in the Church

Children's Choir Musical Concert

**OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP SCHOOL.** 80 Wellington Ave., Daly City, CA 94014. 650-755-4438.

Open House on Sunday, Jan. 25th from 11am to 2 pm.

**ST. DUNSTAN SCHOOL (K-8) in MILLBRAE**

Open House at 11:00 am on January 25, 2015.

School Tour each Thursday starting 9:00 am led by Principal Bruce Colville.

650-697-8119.

**SISTERS OF MERCY**

650-373-4508, Sr. Jean

What do you want to do with your one, wonderful life? Come to four Friday evenings of prayer and conversation about vocation: Jan 30, Feb 27, Mar 27 and Apr 24, 2015, at 7:30 PM, Mercy Center Chapel, 2300 Adeline Drive, Burlingame.

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Cameron Andrew Baldomero
Elias Jayce Polo
Preston James Miranda
Adrienne Ramas Dollentas
Emri Madison Cruz
Ava Adalyn Abalde
Blas Peralta Soriano III

**Johnny Aquino**

Josie Calimlim
Carmelo Mendoza
Domingo Nuesca
Linda Pascual

Lita Sarmiento
Wennie Quiday

The 2015 Marriage for Life Marriage prep dates have been scheduled:

January 31st, March 28th, May 2nd, August 1st, October 17th, 2015. Engaged couples can register for any date at: www.marriageforlifesf.com

The website has our complete schedule, resource information about engagement and marriage as well as nuts and bolts info about the preparation sessions. In addition, a mail-in registration form is available on the website for those couples who prefer to mail in their form rather than sign up online. Marriage for Life is an approved marriage preparation program option in the San Francisco Archdiocese, San Jose Diocese, Oakland Diocese and Santa Rosa Diocese. Our format is one day, all day, and we are still holding the cost to $200.00 per couple.

Connie and Joe D’Aura,
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