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

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.

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.

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

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
CCD Office  650-873-2878

CCD OFFICE HOURS
- Mon & Fri: 9:30am to 5:30pm
- Wed & Thu: 2:00pm to 9:00pm
- Sat: 8:00am to 1:30pm

PASTORAL STAFF
- Rev. Rene Ramoso, Pastor
- Rev. Ed Dura, Associate Pastor
- Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II, Deacon
- Sr. Nona Barairo, Parish Catechetical Leader
- Patricia Abdelalim, Operations Manager
- Amor Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

YOUTH MINISTERS
- Nicole Macaraeg
- Melanie Macaraeg

BAPTISMAL COORDINATORS
- Loy Bañez
- Lari Collins

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.
AUTHORITY FROM GOD

According to Moses, the people decided they didn’t want to hear God’s voice directly any more. It was much too frightening. Why couldn’t God send human teachers, prophets, instead? God agreed, but with a warning. The people had better listen to those teachers, because they spoke in God’s name.

That arrangement, though, had its own problems, for them and for us. How do I know this teacher is truly from God? And if the teacher is from God, are all parts of the teaching meant for me? We have the Church and scripture to help us with those questions, but still there are always a few loose ends.

That is the powerful significance of the sentence in today’s Gospel: “The people were astonished at his teaching; he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes.” The people knew that this Jesus was authentic—truly a teacher sent by God. They knew it by hearing him.

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Boy Scout Sunday

Monday: The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life; Blessing of Candles; Groundhog Day

Tuesday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; Blessing of Throats; Tu B’Shvat (Jewish new year of trees) begins at sunset

Thursday: St. Agatha

Friday: St. Paul Miki and companions; First Friday

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

READEDS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Tuesday: Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-28, 30-32; Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Oil of the Sick, usually labeled OI (for Oleum Infirmarum), is often reserved with chrism and the oil of catechumens in an amary. An amary is a cabinet, often beautifully ornamented and kept near the baptistery in the church. Olive oil, with no fragrance added, is blessed at the Chrism Mass in Holy Week by the bishop, although there is now a provision for a priest to bless oil if none is available. This restores to our Latin Rite practice a tradition never lost in the Eastern tradition, in which priests consecrate the oil of the sick, even at the sick person’s home. Any vegetable oil may be used now, since olive oil is difficult to obtain in some places. Many priests keep a small supply of oil close at hand in a small metal tube called a “stock.”

In the former rite, every sense of the body was anointed, accompanied by a prayer for forgiveness of sin. So, the eyes, ears, nostrils, mouth, hands, and feet were all touched. Today, this is simplified to an anointing of the forehead and the hands, but generally today the oil is used more lavishly, and the symbolism of touch so central to the rite is enhanced. Often, a priest will invite everyone present to join in the “laying on of hands.” Sick persons are often pushed aside or feared in our culture, and to be revered and touched in love can be a profound experience of God’s healing, forgiving, accepting presence through the ministry of the Church.

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This Week in Our Parish
February 2 - February 8

**Mon - February 2**
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. A
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. B

**Tue - February 3**
- Youth Choir 5:00pm Hall
- Youth Group 6:30pm Youth Center
- Bible Study 7:00pm Conf. A

**Wed - February 4**
- Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. C
- K of C Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
- 2nd Yr Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

**Thu - February 5**
- CCD 4:30pm Hall
- Santo Niño 6:30pm Chapel
- 1st Yr Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

**Fri - February 6**
- Children's Choir 5:30pm Hall
- St. Augustine Chorale 7:00pm Hall

**Sat - February 7**
- CCD 9:00am Hall
- K of C Choir 5:30pm Hall
- Children's Concert 6:00pm Church

**Sun - February 8**
- Legion of Mary 9:30am Conf. C
- Jr. Legion 11:00am Conf. A
- RCIA 9:00am Conf. A
- Fil-Am 12:00N Conf. C
- SALT 1:30pm Youth Center
- Prayer Group 1:30pm Hall Room
- Youth Group 3:30pm Youth Center

Mass Intentions for the Week
February 2 - February 8

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(†) Deceased  (BD) Birthday  (WA) Wedding Anniversary  (TG) Thanksgiving  (PI) Personal Intention  (H) Healing

Offerings

Regular Sunday Offering:
January 25, 2015 $ 9,638.75
Religious Education Congress $ 3,437.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Tue) $252.00
Sacred Heart Of Jesus (Fri) $234.00

Next Sunday’s second collection is for our Debt Reduction Program.

Date: Weekly 1. Collection | 2. Collection
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1/01/2015 | $9,121.00 | NONE
1/04/2015 | $11,152.00 | $4,797.00
1/11/2015 | $10,453.00 | $5,372.00
1/18/2015 | $10,082.45 | $2,589.00
1/25/2015 | $9,638.75 | $3,437.00

Tree of Life
A way to memorialize your loved ones and at the same time, support your local parish.
Donation for a gold leaf is a minimum of $5,000.
Contact your pastor, Fr. Rene Ramoso or the Parish Office at 650-873-2282.
APRIL PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES
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 GABRIEL 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.

FEEDING MINISTRY OF ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH
2015 SCHEDULE

February 15 Sunday
March 8 Sunday
April 19 Sunday
May 31 Sunday
June 21 Sunday
July 18 Saturday
October 18 Sunday
November 21 Saturday
December 20 Sunday

If you would like to donate money, food, or your time, please contact Khay Ronquillo-Acosta at khay_r@yahoo.com.
Thank you for your support of our feeding ministry.

Thank you to the following for your donation toward the altar banners of the church:

- Our Lady Of Mediatrix
- Legion of Mary
- James Taylor