

WELCOME TO
St. Augustine Catholic Church

MONROE & EAST CLINTON STREETS, NAPOLEON, OHIO 43545

PASTOR: Fr. Doug Garand

DEACONS: Jon Gottron, Robert Bost, senior status

PARISH MANAGER: Laurie Brubaker • SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Jim George

Join us for worship

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. - school year
8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. - summer

Spanish Mass - 2nd Sunday each month, 1:00 p.m.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / FORMATION

*Educating all our children for lifelong, faithful,
participating membership in St. Augustine Parish*

- **ST. AUGUSTINE SCHOOL** (Pre K-8)
Jim George, principal, 419-592-3641
- **PARISH RELIGION PROGRAM** (1-8)
Sunday morning, 9:00 - 10:15 a.m. during school year
Catholic Education for Parish children attending public school
- **LIFETEEN** (High School Youth)
Wednesday evening, 7:00-8:30 p.m. during school year
- **PRE-SCHOOL** during Sunday 10:30 Mass



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM To schedule instructions for the Sacrament of Baptism: contact the church at 419-592-7656 before your child is born. Classes are held once every two months.

RECONCILIATION Saturday at 3:30 p.m. and by appointment.

ANOIDING OF THE SICK The Parish Office should be notified whenever any parishioner is suffering from severe or prolonged illness. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered by request.

MARRIAGE "As soon as a couple makes a decision to marry and at least six months before the anticipated wedding date they are to make contact with the priest/deacons in order to begin the various steps of the Marriage Preparation Program" (Diocese of Toledo Directive). Official dates for wedding celebrations at St. Augustine Parish must be approved by the Pastor or Parish Deacons.

ADULT INITIATION / FULL COMMUNION - RCIA Anyone interested in joining or learning more about the Catholic Church is invited to be a part of this formation process. Call the Parish Office for details.

HOLY ORDERS / VOCATIONS Contact the Parish Office.



REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday * 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Closed Mondays and Weekends

Parish Office: 210 E. Clinton St. 419-592-7656
Parish Email: saintaugustineoffice@gmail.com
Parish Fax: 419-592-6316
Parish Website: www.staugie.net
Deacon Jon Gottron 419-966-2019
Schoon Director - Alain Miller 419-966-7106
School: 722 Monroe St. 419-592-3641
School Email: jim.george@augustinenapoleon.com
St. Vincent de Paul Society 419-592-0438

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please arrange to register at the Parish Office

PRAYER CHAIN ~ Contact Janet Creager at 419-592-5799

Dear Parishioners:

Love is the only law we are to live by. And love is the fulfillment of the Law that God reveals through Moses in today's First Reading. The unity of God in which we understand that He is one God, Father, Son, and Spirit means that we must love Him with one love, a love that serves Him with all our hearts and minds, souls and strength.

We love Him because He has loved us first. We love our neighbor because we can't love the God we haven't seen unless we love those made in His image and likeness, whom we have seen. And we are called to imitate the love that Christ showed us in laying His life down on the cross (see 1 John 3:16). As we hear in today's second reading, by His perfect sacrifice on the cross, He once and for all makes it possible for us to approach God.

There is no greater love than to lay down your life. This is perhaps why Jesus tells the scribe in today's Gospel that he is not far from the kingdom of God. We are called today to examine our hearts. Do we have other loves that get in the way of our love for God? Do we love others as Jesus has loved us? Do we love our enemies and pray for those who persecute us?

St. Augustine said "Love God and do as you will for the soul trained in loving God will do nothing to offend the One who is Beloved." Jesus gave us a reliable measure of our love for God when He told us: "If you love me you will keep my commandments." As we remember the unselfish love of Jesus as He gave His life for us on the cross, let us all pray that He teach us the true meaning of love.

Peace,

Fr. Doug

Ministries for the Liturgies

Saturday, November 10, 2018 4:30 p.m.

Lector: Jean Small
Servers: Michael and Kalista Zapata
Extraordinary Deacon Jon Gottron, Ginny Bauer,
Min. of Com.: Maureen Lammy, William Lytle,
Shari Smith
Ushers: Will and Pat Wagner

Sunday, November 11, 2018 8:00 a.m.

Lector: Mike Weber
Servers: Samuel McDougall, **Volunteer (1)**
Extraordinary Mike Carpenter, Ann Grime, Rick
Min. of Com.: Hoffman, Judy Wiles, **Volunteer (1)**
Ushers: Gene Grime, Doug Monnin

Sunday, November 11, 2018 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Suzanne Badenhop
Servers: Sophia and Aiden Pullen, Josie Smith
Extraordinary Vicky Delventhal, Mary Hoops, Rose
Min. of Com.: Lymanstall, Sandra Martinez, Mark Meyer
Lindsay and Nanci Westhoven
Ushers: Chad Roth, Cathy Smith

Children's Liturgy: November 11, 2018 - Paige Lucas

**Tellers: November 13, 2018 - Andy Driskel, Rene Fisher,
Lynn Thourot, Joanne Westhoven**

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, November 3, 2018

4:30 p.m. - Ken Kryling, Mary and Chris Breckler

Sunday, November 4, 2018

8:00 a.m. - For the Parish

10:30 a.m. - Curt Heinrichs

Monday, November 5, 2018

8:45 a.m. - Communion Service

Tuesday, November 6, 2018

8:45 a.m. - Roland Glanz

Wednesday, November 7, 2018

6:00 p.m. - Wayne White

Thursday, November 8, 2018

8:45 a.m. - Mass

Friday, November 9, 2018

8:45 a.m. - Nerry Mendoza

Saturday, November 10, 2018

4:30 p.m. - Donald and Mary Flory

Sunday, November 11, 2018

8:00 a.m. - Kathleen Gubernath

10:30 a.m. - For the Parish

1:00 p.m. - Spanish Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Week of November 4, 2018

Nursing Home: Shari Smith

Homebound: Marian Parsons

Save the Date

November

30th - Christmas House

December

1st, 2nd - Christmas House

15th - Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass & Events

March

16th - St. Patrick's Auction

VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

The students and staff at St. Augustine School would like to invite you to join us as we honor our Veterans with "A Veteran's Day Musical Salute" on Mon., Nov. 12 at 10 a.m. in the school gym. This special event will feature patriotic music, readings about the history of our country, and the importance of Veteran's Day. The junior high class is also creating a video presentation to honor our Veterans. We hope that you join us in this special presentation!

UNITED WAY DESIGNATIONS - With your United Way donation form, please consider donating to St. Vincent de Paul or Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo. There is a write-in option on the back of your pledge card where you can designate an organization to receive your donations.

PROJECT RACHEL "HOPE AND HEALING WEEK-END" RETREAT - This weekend retreat is for women who have already begun the journey of healing from abortion and seek a deeper and closer relationship with God. The retreat begins Fri., Nov. 16 at 6:30 p.m. and ends Sun., Nov. 18 at 1 p.m. at Our Lady of the Pines Retreat Center, 1250 Tiffin St., Fremont. For more info and confidential reservations, contact Clarissa Lapinski, Catholic Charities Project Rachel Coordinator at 1-888-456-HOPE; or email projectrachel@toledodiocese.org.

LIFE TEEN EVENT - XLT - Sun., Nov. 18 - 5:00 - 9:00 p.m., at St. Rose, Perrysburg. Come for a great night of praise and worship with most of the youth groups in the Toledo area! There will be pizza, new friends, prayer and more! If any parents are interested in helping, please contact our Youth Minister, Joseph Livecchi at joewashear007@gmail.com or 567.277.2237.

PRO-LIFE EVENT - to be held on Sat., Nov. 10, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Perrysburg St. John XXIII Parish (Roncalli Hall). Wesley Smith, Patricia Oedy-Murray and Dr. Ashley Fernandes will speak on "Courage in the Culture: Unveiling the Medical Assault on Human Dignity. To register, visit ohiolife.org/courage.

CHRISTMAS HOUSE

We are still taking donations of old jewelry. Please drop off at the church office as soon as you can.

We will be doing crafts this **Tuesday, November 6, at 10:00** in the school library (second modular). We are still looking for an enclosed trailer at a good price.

Still looking for someone to chair Friday night with Santa and the Saturday luncheon. Call Jan Stover at 419-591-6753 Stover or Bonnie Martin at 419-966-0921.

Time sheets for students to fill out will be sent home soon. Sign up Sundays will be weekend of Nov. 10 and 17. It takes many hands to make Christmas House a success.

STATEWIDE HOLY HOUR OF EXPOSITION FOR VOCATIONS - Catholic parishes across the State of Ohio will be united as one voice in prayer for an increase in priestly and religious vocations on Wed., Nov. 7:

8:45 - 10:00 a.m.

Toledo, St. Adalbert (3233 Lagrange)

7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Assumption, Holy Trinity (with Bishop Thomas); Findlay, St. Michael the Archangel; Mansfield, St. Peter; Maumee, St. Joseph; New Cleveland, Holy Family; New London, Our Lady of Lourdes; Tiffin, St. Joseph

6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Fremont, St. Ann; Toledo, St. John the Baptist (1021 W. State)

AREA EVENTS

TURKEY DINNER - to be held at Immaculate Conception Church, Deshler on Sun., Nov. 4 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Car-ryouts available. Free will offering.

PRO-LIFE BENEFIT DINNER - to be held at St. Michael's Church, Hicksville on Sun., Nov. 4 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Swiss Steak and Chicken Breast will be served. Free will offering. Proceeds help Hicksville youth attending March for Life in Washington D.C.

SYMPHONY OF TREES BRUNCH - to be held at Armory Arts and Events Center, Napoleon on Sun., Nov. 11 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Cost is \$13 if prepaid or \$15 at the door for adults and \$10 for children. Proceeds benefit children in north-west Ohio.

CONCERT BY TOLEDO SYMPHONY STRING QUARTET - to be held at the First Presbyterian Church, 303 W. Washington St., Napoleon, on Sun., Nov. 11 at 7:00. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. For more information, please call 419-592-7736.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT BY THE TOLEDO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA - to be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 16976 Co. Rd. Q1, Napoleon on Wed., Dec. 12 at 7:30. Cost is \$20 for adults and \$10 for students. To reserve tickets, call 419-758-3522 (10 a.m. - 2 p.m.) Ticket sales begin Mon., Nov. 12.

Show thanks to God for all the gifts you have received

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sun., Nov. 4** PRP 9:00 a.m.
- Mon., Nov. 5** Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30 - 6:00 p.m.
- Tues., Nov. 6** Christmas House Craft Session 10:00 a.m.
(Second Modular)
Pastoral Council 7:00 p.m.
- Wed., Nov. 7** Life Teen 6:00 p.m.
School Advisory Council 6:30 p.m.
Choir 6:45 p.m.
- Thur., Nov. 8** Parent/Teacher Conferences 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.
RCIA 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- Fri., Nov. 9** NO SCHOOL
- Sat., Nov. 10** Confessions 3:30 p.m.
- Sun., Nov. 11** PRP 9:00 a.m.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
PARISH OFFERTORY**

Sunday Collection	\$	7,872.46
All Saints Day	\$	10.00
On-Line Giving	\$	1,516.00
Dropped Off/Mailed In	\$	530.00
School	\$	240.00
Sunday collection year-to-date	\$	148,677.91

To use the convenient online giving option, please visit:
www.staugie.net and select online giving from the side menu.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

- Marie Like (86) - 11/6/94
- Niles Pifer (59) - 11/6/10
- Peggy Jo Patterson (80) - 11/6/16
- James L. Thornton (64) - 11/7/94
- Larry W. Keller (75) - 11/8/14
- Patricia M. Briggs (62) - 11/9/10
- Erma M. Miller (95) - 11/10/11
- Harold F. Bost (71) - 11/11/95
- James L. Sonnenberg (43) - 11/11/12

Remember those who have gone before us, please pray for them. Due to space we are listing only the past 25 years. If you would like a parishioner listed who passed away longer than 25 years ago, please contact the office.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION will take place each First Friday of the month after 8:45 a.m. Mass until 5:30 p.m. We will have a sign-up sheet in the back of the church and would appreciate folks filling the day so that our Lord is not exposed on the altar without anyone present. If you are not able to come for your hour of adoration, please call Jane Recker at 419-508-0711. The day will end with Benediction at 5:30 p.m.

ATTENTION SNOWBIRDS - Contact the church office about the date you will leave and the date you will return. We need to know if you want mail sent to a new address.

FROM THE SCHOOL

Students have been doing projects on an ongoing basis. Religion students in grades 3 and 4 studied the four types of prayer: praise, sorrow, petition, and thanksgiving. They were given several examples of prayer and had to match them with the correct type.

Social studies students studied the Ice Age last month. They did research and noted at least ten or more facts. One of the students noted these bullet topics: woolly mammoth, glaciers, frozen oceans, dried up coastal areas, time the Ice Age started and ended, average temperature, interglacial period, Huronian period (longest), Quaternary period (most recent), lack of volcanoes, and the Cryogenian age which reached all the way to the equator.

Preschoolers have been showing off their expertise in writing letters "D" and "F". They also traced their name using colored mini-marshmallows. In grades 1 and 2 religion students were asked to write a sentence about God Gives Us Feelings. One sentence stated, "Happiness is going to the park."

Students played "Kindness bingo" in family groups during Red Ribbon Week recently. Each student or pair had one bingo card with various terms related to kindness. Some of the words used were: nice, fair, handshake, parson, faith, helpful, trusting, caring, God, friendly, and not bullying. Prizes were given for those students who had four corners filled.

Students in grades 3 and 4 prepared for All Saints Day in language arts by picking a saint and writing about his/her life. One student picked St. Catherine of Siena. Her story contained the following information: She was a virgin and doctor. When she was 16 she became a nun. Jesus said to Catherine, "the only way you can serve me, Catherine, is in service of your neighbor." She lived in Siena, Italy and was canonized in 1461. She helped prisoners by encouraging them to repent. She was 25 when she became a saint. Her feast day is her birthday on April 29. She is the patron of Italy and fire prevention. There was a quote she made that was cut out and pasted on the board.

Jim George, Principal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 11/5 - Lucy Grieser, Dana Meyer
- 11/6 - Benjamin Irving, Joshua Mack
- 11/7 - Kaley Cramer, Louise Gibson, Maureen Lammy, Sophianna Pedroza
- 11/8 - Cathy Houck, James Oberhaus, Lynn Speiser, Joel Spurgeon, Dennis Wiseman
- 11/9 - Drew Meyer, Rita Small, Lanae Thompson
- 11/10 - William Conry, Glenn Gibson, Linda Howe, Logan Irving, Davis Patton, Milagros Walther
- 11/11 - Justin Majewski, Clarence Schwab

Serve God with your time, talents and treasures