

WELCOME TO
St. Augustine Catholic Church

MONROE & EAST CLINTON STREETS, NAPOLEON, OHIO 43545

PASTOR: Very Reverend J. Douglas Garand, V.F.

DEACON: Jon Gottron

PARISH MANAGER: Laurie Brubaker • SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Ginny Minnick

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)
Ginny Minnick, Principal, 419-592-3641
- **PARISH RELIGION PROGRAM (PRP)** (1-8)
Sunday morning, 9:00 - 10:15 a.m. during school year
Catholic Education for Parish children attending public school
- **Life Teen** (High School Youth) meets every Sunday at 5:30 p.m.
- **PRE-SCHOOL** during Sunday 10:30 Mass



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM To schedule instructions for the Sacrament of Baptism: contact the church office at 419-592-7656 before your child is born for directions to complete online classes.

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

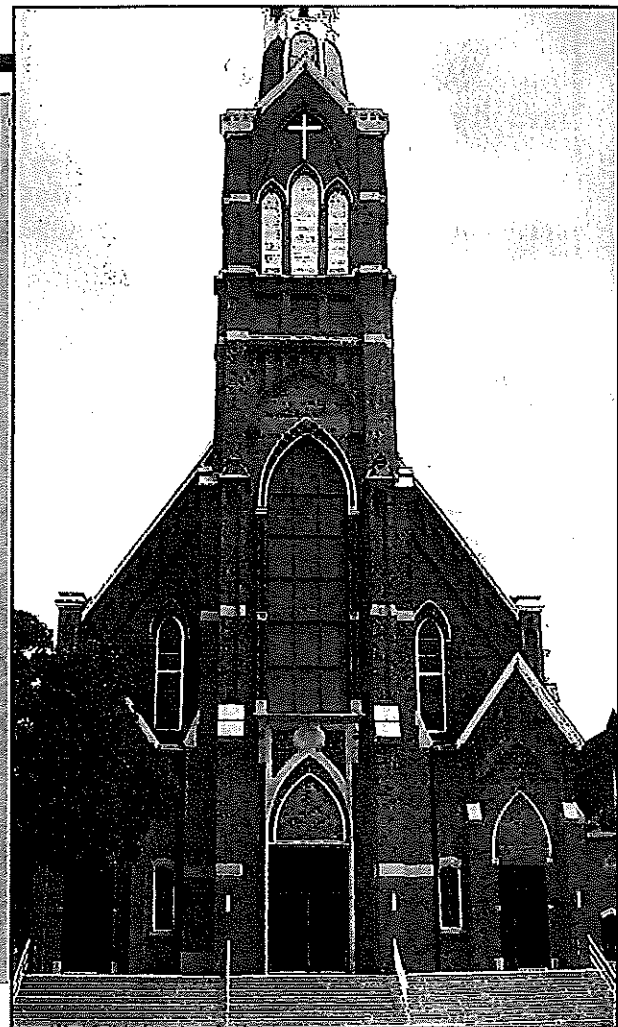
ANOINTING OF THE SICK The Parish Office should be notified whenever any parishioner is suffering from severe or prolonged illness. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered by request.

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.

Please arrange to register at 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 Website: www.staugie.net

Deacon Jon Gottron 419-966-7106

School: 722 Monroe St. 419-592-3641

School Email: ginny.minnick@augustinenapoleon.com

Youth Director - Regina Proshek

Email: regina.proshek@augustinenapoleon.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society 419-592-0438

NEW PARISHIONERS

PRAYER CHAIN ~ Contact Janet Creager at 419-966-6662

Dear Parishioners:

This image of Jesus being the Good Shepherd and that we are the sheep is a profound statement of reality... Domestic sheep are some of the most dependent creatures on earth. To say – We are the sheep means –there are times when the challenges of life are beyond us... there are times when the struggles we have in life are greater than our own strength. That is a very humbling thing to realize; but – the Good News is – that our Shepherd – Jesus – is dependable. **Jesus wants us to know that we are safe and secure under His care.** We can depend on Him... He is not like the hired hands who will abandon us when things get rough. Good Shepherd Sunday reminds us that we need Jesus to be our guide!

Christ is the Good Shepherd who laid down His life for His sheep. It is very fitting that today – traditionally called **Good Shepherd Sunday – that we celebrate also World Day of Prayer for Vocations**, because we need to pray for more shepherds – let us all pray for priests to minister in and shepherd the Church!

I want to wish all mothers a Happy Mother's Day! Congratulations again to our young people who received their First Holy Communion and welcome back for your second.

Peace,

Fr. Doug

Ministries for the Liturgies

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, May 14, 2022 4:30 p.m.
Lector: **Volunteer**
Servers: Molly and Hannah Huddle
Extraordinary Deacon Jon Gottron, **Volunteers (2)**
Min. of Com.:
Ushers: William Lytle, Will Wagner
Sunday, May 15, 2022 8:00 a.m.
Lector: Jan Neiling
Servers: Jacob, Miya, Noah & Jeremy Weber
Extraordinary Deacon Jon Gottron, Ann Grime,
Min. of Com.: **Volunteer**
Ushers: John and Jan Stover
Sunday, May 15, 2022 10:30 a.m.
Lector: Joel Miller
Servers: Jillian Richard, Blake and Isaac Westhoven
Extraordinary Deacon Jon Gottron, Mary Hoops,
Min. of Com.: Cheri Schuette
Ushers: Jeff Burkhardt, Larry Hilvers

Saturday, May 7, 2022
4:30 p.m. - Ken Kryling
Sunday, May 8, 2022
8:00 a.m. - Lynn Speiser
10:30 a.m. - For the Parish
1:00 p.m. - Spanish Mass
Monday, May 9, 2022
No Communion Service
Tuesday, May 10, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Carol Hoeffel
Wednesday, May 11, 2022
6:00 p.m. - Andres & Isidra Garcia
Thursday, May 12, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Mass
Friday, May 13, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Michael Cochran
Saturday, May 14, 2022
4:30 p.m. - For the Parish
Sunday, May 15, 2022
8:00 a.m. - Carolyn Moser
10:30 a.m. - Andres & Isidra Garcia

Eucharistic Ministers: Week of May 9, 2022

Nursing Home: Jean Small
Homebound: **Volunteer**

Tellers: May 16, 2022 - Lindy Fisher, Chris Peddicord,
Jan Stover, Dorothy Walker

Save the Date
September
Turtle Fest



FORMED Family Focus

Watch: *Love is Eternal*
Read: *How to Raise Good Catholic Children*
Listen: *Real Womanhood by Lisa Cotter*

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.

MOTHER'S DAY CARNATION SALE - Carnations for Mother's Day will be available after the masses this weekend. This is a fundraiser for the Henry County Right to Life and a donation of \$1.00 or more for each carnation is appreciated. This money is used to support their pro-life activities throughout the year.

BELIEF & BEVERAGE NIGHTS: "KNOW THE KING, LIVE THE KINGDOM" - Join us for a warm evening of great beverages, appetizers, prayer, presentation and conversation on the third Thursdays of the month at 6:30 p.m. at Cronin's GMC of Perrysburg (showroom). Fr. Mark Davis will be presenting "*Experiencing the Extraordinary in the Ordinary*" on **Thurs., May 19**. Registration is free, but there is a limit of 100. Donation of any amount appreciated (recommended minimal \$10). GO: MassImpact.us/BNB. Sponsored by Mass Impact | Image Trinity, a movement uniting families in discovering, proclaiming, living, and building the Kingdom. GO: ILoveMyFamily.us.

WEDDING BLESSINGS

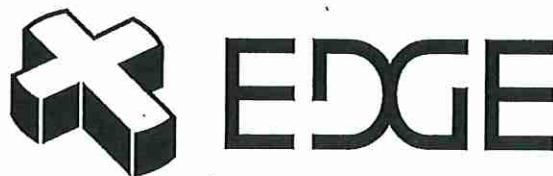
We would like to offer our best wishes and congratulations to David Weber and Kelly Hancock who were married this past weekend. May they enjoy a long faith-filled live together.

Welcome all high school students! Life Teen meets every Sunday, 5:30-7:30. Dinner included. Find us on Facebook and Instagram @st.augustinelifeteen

Text @b1b1e (*bible but with ones instead of the I and L*) to 81010 to keep up to date.

Coming up:

- May 8th - No Life Teen! Take time to love on your mothers!
- May 15th - Come for a night of testimony, adoration, and praise.
- May 22nd - Senior Night!



Welcome all 6-8th graders! Edge meets every other Wednesday, 7-8:30. Text @st-augie to 81010 to keep up to date.

Edge's Step Up night this past week was a success! A warm welcome to all of our 5th graders! We hope to see more of them as we get ready for a fantastic summer.

Coming up:

- May 18th - Our last Edge night of the semester! Mark your calendars!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sun., May 8 PRP 9:00 a.m. (last class)
May Crowning
No Life Teen
- Tues., May 10 Pastoral Council 7:00 p.m.
- Thur., May 12 SAS Spring Program
10:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
- Sat., May 14 Confessions 3:30 p.m.
Rosary 3:55 p.m.
- Sun., May 15 Life Teen 5:30 - 7:30p.m.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
PARISH OFFERTORY**

Sunday Collection	\$	6,513.00
On-Line Giving	\$	2,428.00
Easter (to date)	\$	11,236.00
Dropped Off/Mailed In	\$	320.00
School	\$	465.00
Sunday collection year-to-date	\$	387,285.30

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

- Evelyn M. Rastocan (79) - 5/9/03
- Barbara A. Kolbe (82) - 5/9/05
- Pauline A. Reese (88) - 5/9/06
- Dolores Medina (64) - 5/10/98
- Joan G. Ingle (82) - 5/10/10
- Alma Gerken (65) - 5/11/97
- Geraldine F. Weber (93) - 5/11/14
- Emma Baker (93) - 5/12/99
- Bill Wiles (77) - 5/13/10
- Joseph A. Gerdeman (45) - 5/13/01
- Magdalene Baker (88) - 5/14/12
- Mary Greta Erman (84) - 5/15/03
- Ruth Jones (86) - 5/15/11

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.

IN MEMORIAM

We would like to extend our heartfelt sympathy to Alice Moriarty and her family, following the death of her daughter, Kathy Lilly. May Kathy now be at peace with our Heavenly Father.

FROM THE SCHOOL

All students in 5th - 7th grade took part in three day-trip experiences last week! I planned these trips due to the reduced capacity limits at Camp Damascus and Camp DeSales. All ticket fees, parking fees, lunch for two days, and transportation costs were supplied by St. Augustine School and our amazing Parents Club. We enjoyed a day at The Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation, Imagination Station, and Oak Openings. On Monday, students seemed to enjoy learning and engaging in 300 years of America's greatest innovations while fully immersing in their stories at The Henry Ford. We stepped inside the bus where Rosa Parks took a stand by taking a seat and played pilots in the flight simulator! On Tuesday, we took a Journey to Space and found out what the future may hold when our astronauts travel to Mars. Several students also tackled their fear on the High Wire Cycle and I accepted their challenge to join them, living to tell the tale! On the last day, we explored Oak Openings where we built a shelter in the wilderness together and then learned all about trading, clothing, work, play, and other aspects of daily life and culture of the Natives of the Maumee Valley. Many students enjoyed dressing in the clothing and playing several games. Thank you to Parents Club for helping sponsor these trips and also to my staff covering my duties so I could attend!

Become a Saint!

St. Augustine educates children from Preschool through 8th Grade with small class sizes and dedicated teachers providing a wonderful faith-based academic experience. We offer affordable onsite Before-care beginning at 7:00am and After-care until 6:00pm. We have a Full Day Preschool Program with limited openings available for the 2022-23 school year. Our Kindergarten is currently enrolling if your child was born before September 30, 2017. We offer scholarships to every student and have multiple financial aid opportunities, truly making a Catholic Education affordable for everyone. If you are interested in more information, please call the office at 419-592-3641. Thank you for considering this important investment in your children's future!

Blessings to your family,
Ginny Minnick, Principal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 5/9 - Chico Arroyo, Kasey Dick
- 5/10 - Gregory Keller, Lori Nye, Faith Ann Ruiz-Piasecki
- 5/12 - Nicole Davis, Darrell Kuhn, James Westhoven
- 5/13 - Jessica Green, Raquel Mendoza, Amanda Westhoven
- 5/14 - Shari Barry, Avery Hill, Ed Houck, Brian Hummer, Julie Katakis, Sandy Kretz, Patrick Small
- 5/15 - Ruben Hoffman, David Mack, Scott Parker

ATTENTION GRADUATING SENIORS! Baccalaureate service is scheduled for Sunday, May 22, 2022. Letters were mailed to graduating seniors on May 2. Copies of the letter and senior information sheet are available in the vestibule for those seniors who may have been missed in the mailing! The senior information sheet must be returned to the parish office by May 17 so that plans for the brunch and future plans may be included in the program.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COMPLIANCE AUDIT - Each year, the Diocese of Toledo is required to undergo an audit to ensure that it is in compliance with the articles of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. This year's audit examined the audit period of July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2021. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the *Charter* following the audit.

The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of the children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43604.

ST. AUGUSTINE ATHLETIC CLUB RECYCLING - The St. Augustine Athletic Club has partnered with Zack's Recycling, 708 Fillmore in Napoleon for our recycling fund-raising efforts. Please consider donating your cans and metal goods on behalf of the St. Augustine Athletic Club to Zack's and they will forward the proceeds to the parish athletic fund. This will help fund our Catholic Youth Organization athletic programs and help pay our fees. Please be generous by donating your aluminum and tin cans.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - If choosing St. Vincent de Paul when considering a donation, please write your check to St. Vincent de Paul Society as we are a separate entity from St. Augustine Catholic Church. Thank you!
- Virgil Bohls

THE 2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL CAMPAIGN - Results for the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, and we are off to a strong start. So far 10,663 people have donated and we have received \$2,491,575 in pledges and paid gifts. St. Augustine Parish has contributed \$19,991 so far, which is 68.17% of our goal. Our goal for this year is \$29,325. Thank you all for your tremendous commitment and hard work to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal.

UKRAINE HUMANITARIAN RELIEF COLLECTION - Our prayers go out to the people of Ukraine, those who have lost loved ones and millions of people who are suffering from the devastation wrought by the recent Russian military invasion. Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is helping Caritas teams respond to urgent humanitarian needs across the country, providing evacuation and transportation service, food and safe shelter, emergency supplies, and preparing medical and mental health teams for dispatch. Moreover, CRS is receiving and assisting Ukraine refugees fleeing to neighboring countries of Poland, Moldova and Romania. Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo is collecting and forwarding donations dollar for dollar to Catholic Relief Services for this international humanitarian relief effort. You may donate on our secure website: www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org, noting **Ukraine Relief** as your donation designation. Please make checks out to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, with a notation designating **Ukraine Relief**. Please **mail checks to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604**. Thank you for your generosity.

CATHOLIC COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP - The Kline Family Catholic College Scholarship has funds available for this and next school year. A graduate of any of the four high schools of Henry County is eligible. Catholic college students enrolled in their second year or beyond are candidates. The student may contact the Henry County (Ohio) Community Foundation (application online), the high school guidance counselor, or call John/Mary Jane Kline directly for information (419) 592-5382.

GOING ON VACATION - Please use Online Giving to catch up on offertory contributions. Go to www.staugie.net and click on the Online Giving link, it's quick and easy.

Show thanks to God for all the gifts you have received

2022 Easter Flowers

We appreciate the donations from the following individuals and families who remembered or honored their loved ones by donating flowers to beautify the sanctuary throughout the Easter season.

Mrs. Lidia Arreguin	In Memory of Joseph Mike Arreguin
Mr. & Mrs. Philip Bauer	In Memory of Deceased members of the Baur & Westrick families
Mrs. Marion Barry	
Mrs. Sheila Beals	In Memory of Donald Beals
Mr. & Mrs. Eldon Bostelman	
Dr. & Mrs. Philip Cochran	Cochran and Wendt families
Janet Creager	Pearl, Pauline, Ken, Jon & Debbie Creager
Mrs. Mary Donnelly	In Memory of David Donnelly, Dennis & David Donnelly, Betty Schmiesing, William Rodenhauser
Mr. & Mrs. Darwin Gebers	In Honor of Howe, Gebers & Slee family members
Mr. & Mrs. William Gilson	Don, Bill, Louise
Dr. Drew Gombash	Joe & Suzan Orosz
Mrs. Mary Gunter	In Memory of Kenneth Gunter, In Honor of Peter Gunter, Suzanne Walker
Mr. & Mrs. Shannon Healy	
Mr. John Hoeffel	In Memory of Hoeffel & Osborn families
Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman	In Memory of Mary Hoffman & Leonard French
Mr. & Mrs. Rick Hoffman	In Memory of Katherine Hoffman
Mr. & Mrs. Jim Hoops	In Memory of Schwab & Hoops Families
Mrs. Mary Hoover	In Memory of Bailey/Hoover Family
Mrs. Sharon Katakis	In Memory of Sam & Dorothy Giovannucci, Jimmie E. Katakis
Mr. & Mrs. John Kearney	In Memory of Kearney & Millen families
Mrs. Wilma Keller	In Memory of Floyd I. Keller
Mrs. Charles Klamer	In Memory of Charles Klamer
Mr. & Mrs. Mel Kleman	In Memory of Gerdeman & Kleman families
Mrs. Ruth Like	In Memory of Lee & Alice Wentworth family
Mr. Bill Lytle	In Memory of Jeanne Lytle
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Martin	In Memory of Martin & Waisner families
Mr. & Mrs. John Martinez	
Mr. & Mrs. Mark Morman	In Memory of Carol Morman, Linda Smith
Mr. & Mrs. Steve Reiser	In Memory of Katherine Hoffman, Elliot Lee Reiser
Mr. & Mrs. Clete Schindler	In Memory of Charles & Kay Wilson, Charlie Wilson, Ed & Irene Schindler
Mr. & Mrs. Randall Schuette	
Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Schwab, Jr.	In Memory Hendricks & Schwab families
Mr. & Mrs. Randy Schwaiger	In Memory of Moe & Judy Brubaker, Lefty & Florence Conners, Tom Schwaiger
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Small	In Memory of Elizabeth Anne Small
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Smith	
Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Stover	In Memory of Deceased Members of Balas & Stover families
Mr. & Mrs. Mike Thourot	In Memory of Parents (Lamar & Thourot)
Mr. & Mrs. Will Wagner	In Memory of Living & Deceased family members (Mumma & Wagner)
Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Westhoven	In Memory of Virginia Warner, James Zdanczyk
Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Yarnell	In Memory of Robert & Jane Yarnell, Robert C. Yarnell Jr.

Parents of Priests *Prayers for Priests*

Prayers for Clergy, Religious, and/or Groups of Individuals for each day of the month.



Dear Lord,
we pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls.
Amen.

Saint John Vianney, pray for us.

May 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Pope Francis 1	Bishop Danlel E. Thomas 2	Your Parish Priests 3	Parents of Priests 4	Rev. Scott Woods 5	Rev. Richard Wurzel 6	Increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life 7
Rev. Paschal Mary Yohe 8	Rev. Alan Zobler 9	Rev. Austin Ammanniti 10	Seminarian Mr. Evan M. Sekerak 11	Rev. James Auth 12	Rev. James Bacik 13	Rev. John Bamman 14
Deacons and Missionary Priests 15	Rev. Albert Beltz 16	Rev. Michael Bialorucki 17	Rev. Msgr. Michael Billian 18	Rev. John Blaser 19	Rev. Stephen Blum 20	Rev. Nathan Bockrath 21
Religious Brothers and Sisters 22	Rev. Christopher Bohnsack 23	Rev. Daniel Borgelt 24	Rev. Msgr. Marvin Borger 25	Seminarian Mr. Luke W. Stoll 26	Rev. Joseph Brickner 27	Rev. Ronald Brickner 28
Rev. Harold Brown 29	Deceased Priests of our Diocese 30	Rev. James Brown 31	+++ DIOCESE OF TOLEDO +++			