

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

BULLETIN DEADLINE - Tuesday noon

Dear Parishioners:

It's time for the disciples to begin a new phase of their spiritual growth and the Father will send the Holy Spirit to be their help in this process, as we see the Church in its infancy. The first Church council, the Council of Jerusalem we hear about in today's First Reading, lays out the Church as we know it. Some Jewish Christians had wanted Gentile converts to be circumcised and obey all the complex ritual and purity laws of the Jews. The council called this a heresy showing us that God no longer had a covenant with just one nation.

We have a thoughtful meditation on the nature and meaning of the Church. The Church is one, as we see in the First Reading: "the Apostles [bishops] and presbyters [priests], in agreement with the whole Church." The Church is holy, taught and guided by the Spirit that Jesus promises the Apostles in the Gospel. The Church is catholic, or universal, making known God's ways of salvation to all people. And the Church is apostolic—founded on the Twelve Apostles of the Lamb.

All these marks of the Church are emphasized in the story of the council. Notice that everybody, including St. Paul, looks to "Jerusalem [and] . . . the Apostles" to decide the Church's true teaching. And we see the Spirit guiding the Apostles in all truth. Knowing these truths about the Church, our hearts should never be troubled (even in this troubled time). The Liturgy's message today is that the Church is the Lord's, watched over and guarded by the Advocate, the Holy Spirit sent by the Father in the name of the Son. God IS present with us and He sends the Holy Spirit to guide and comfort us. Jesus said: "Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

Congratulations to our high school graduates! Those who are with us to celebrate their achievements and ask God's blessing upon them as they go forward into new adventures!

Peace,

Fr. Doug

Ministries for the Liturgies

Saturday, May 28, 2022 4:30 p.m.
Lector: Nelda Irving
Servers: Ella Irving, Nick Nahrwold
Extraordinary Deacon Jon Gottron, Jo Schwaiger,
Min. of Com.: Karen Westhoven
Ushers: Kevin Glanz, Ruth Like
Sunday, May 29, 2022 8:00 a.m.
Lector: Rita Small
Servers: Cole and Reese Wagner
Extraordinary Shari Smith, Mike and Morgan Weber
Min. of Com.:
Ushers: Noah and Miya Weber
Sunday, May 29, 2022 10:30 a.m.
Lector: Volunteer
Servers: Luke Hardy, Isaac and Eli Herman
Extraordinary Doug and Christy Burgei,
Min. of Com.: Vicky Delventhal
Ushers: Jeff Burkhart, Richard Fisher

Eucharistic Ministers: Week of May 23, 2022

Nursing Home: Terri Franz
Homebound: Nelda Irving

Tellers: May 31, 2022 - Phil and Ginny Bauer,
Kevin Milius, Jean Miller

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, May 21, 2022
4:30 p.m. - Lynn Speiser
Sunday, May 22, 2022
8:00 a.m. - Bob Yarnell, Jr.
10:30 a.m. - For the Parish (Baccalaureate Mass
for High School Seniors)
Monday, May 23, 2022
No Communion Service
Tuesday, May 24, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Mass (Last School Mass)
Wednesday, May 25, 2022
6:00 p.m. - Kathy Moriarty Lilly
Thursday, May 26, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Mass
Friday, May 27, 2022
8:45 a.m. - Mass
Saturday, May 28, 2022
4:30 p.m. - Jim Schwab
Sunday, May 29, 2022
8:00 a.m. - For the Parish
10:30 a.m. - Charles Klamer
Monday, May 30, 2022 (Memorial Day)
9:00 a.m. - Mass at the Cemetery

Save the Date

September

16th and 17th - Turtle Fest



FORMED Family Focus

Watch: *The Story of Father Kapaur*

Read: *The Year and Our Children*

Listen: *Right Here, Right Now*

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS:

Caleb Badenhop, Eva Belmares, Mary Carpenter, Michael Chipps, Jasmine Corbitt, Rosella Duncan, Shannon Finn, Brisa Garcia, Hannah Huddle, Joshua Mack, Ella Meyer, Kathryn Mohler, Tanner Rubinstein, Spencer Schwaiger and Calista Werner. We ask God's blessings on them in their future endeavors.

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.

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). Msgr. Michael Billian will be presenting "*Are We Living in the Apostolic Age of Christendom?*" on **Thurs., June 16**. 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.

HOLY HOUR OF PRAYER - sponsored by Project Rachel, typically held the last Monday of each month (May 23, 2022) at 7:00 p.m. at St. Rose Church, 215 E. Front St., Perrysburg. Each month the hour will begin with a short reflection before we enter into silent prayer and adoration.

Welcome all high school students! Life Teen meets every Sunday, 5:30-7:30. Dinner included. Find us on Facebook and Instagram [@st.augustinelifeteen](https://www.instagram.com/st.augustinelifeteen)

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

Coming up:

- May 22nd - Senior Night!
- May 29th - Know Your Mama! Who is Mary?
- June 5th - Summer Kickoff Cookout!



Edge will be taking a break for the summer and will resume its usual programming in the fall. However, text [@st.augie](https://www.instagram.com/st.augie) to 81010 to stay in the loop for any potential fun summer events! All current 5-8th graders are invited to all events.

A huge thank you to everyone who was part of Edge and who helped make it happen. This was our first semester being able to offer Edge to our young parishioners. These years are a pivotal point in a young person's faith journey and it is so crucial that they develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ early on. These kids truly are a gift and it has been such a privilege to get to encounter them and to watch them grow in their personal and faith journeys. I look forward to everything that God has in store for us next.

Peace! ~ Your Youth Minister, Regina

NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULE. The ministry schedule for June through September is now available. Copies are in the back of church for your convenience. Please review the schedule and if you are unable to be present, please log onto the Ministry Schedule Pro website @ <https://secure.rotundasoftware.com/29/msp/web-terminal/my-profile?user=staugustinechurch> and put in a sub request or ask someone to take your place. Thank you!!

THE 2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL CAMPAIGN - Results for the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, and we are off to a strong start. So far 10,764 people have donated and we have received \$2,527,738 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.

CPC BABY BOTTLE BANK CAMPAIGN - Between Mother's Day and Father's Day, the CPC Women's Health Resource is collecting spare change. Would you consider taking a baby bottle and filling it up? The monies help rescue children and families from abortion. Every human life is precious. Whether planned or unplanned, each life is unique and created with wonderful potential and possibility, Thank you for supporting this important ministry. You can pick up a bottle in the back of church. For more information about CPC's ministry, visit <https://cpcnwo.org/>.

People can return the bottles to the church, or they can return them directly to any of the four CPC locations. Thank you for your prayers and your support.

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.

PROJECT RACHEL - Are you or someone you know hurting from a past abortion? Contact Project Rachel for confidential help in starting your healing journey. God's mercy is abundant and waiting for you. Go to k_p_a_k_k_a@toleddiocese.org - www.hopeafterabortion.com Or call 419-260-5811.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN - Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign engages and builds Catholic communities in the U.S. and developing countries using the internet, television, radio and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Toledo Diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.

Remember St. Augustine Parish in your estate planning

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 you for your generosity.

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

JOIN BISHOP DANIEL E. THOMAS ON A PILGRIMAGE TO SPAIN AND ITALY, OCT. 10 - 23, 2022 - Tour Toledo, Avila, Madrid and Segovia, Spain before arriving in Rome. In Italy, we will spend two nights in Assisi along with Orvieto. We will spend five nights in Rome with a papal audience, tour of the Vatican and its museums and the North American College. (home to our Toledo seminarians). Space is limited to one bus (50 seats) and registrations are on a first come, first serve basis. Visit catholicfaithjourneys.com/tours/toledo2022 or contact Maggie at 419-290-8782.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sun., May 22 Life Teen 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
St. Vincent de Paul Collection
- Wed., May 25 Last Day of School
Pre-K and Kindergarten Graduation
10:00 a.m.
- Sat., May 28 Confessions 3:30 p.m.
Rosary 3:55 p.m.
- Sun., May 29 Life Teen 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
- Mon., May 30 Memorial Day Mass at Cemetery
9:00 a.m.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**PARISH OFFERTORY**

Sunday Collection	\$	5,873.00
On-Line Giving	\$	2,593.00
Dropped Off/Mailed In	\$	630.00
School	\$	70.00
Sunday collection year-to-date	\$	401,622.16

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

Eva M. Gonzalez (47) - 5/24/06
Ervin E. "Sep" Hoover (66) - 5/26/97
Mary Suzanne Meyers (79) - 5/26/19
Eldon L. Saul (78) - 5/28/14
Lora L. Michaelis (57) - 5/29/16

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 offer our heartfelt sympathy to the family of Teresita Drain, who passed away recently. May Teresita now be at peace with our Heavenly Father.

RECENT BAPTISMS - Welcome to the newest members of our parish - Stella Marie Gilson, daughter of William and Sara, Harvey Michael Green, son of Brian and Jessica, and Adler Paul Sonnenberg, son of Justin and Kathryn.

Stewardship is a way to thank God for blessing you with special gifts

FROM THE SCHOOL

I hope you were able to join us in person or on Facebook last Thursday for our Spring Band and Vocal Concert! The performance began with our band, led by Paul Baransy. The concert opened with three wonderful soloists, Alistair Cordes, Otis Crawford, and Evan Storch. The band then performed "WNQ" composed by Paul Baransy, "Cousin Louie" composed by Steve Hommel, "Dixie 2 Beat" composed by Steve Hommel and "Hymn and Chant" composed by Paul Barnasy. The band students have grown leaps and bounds musically this year. Beautiful job to all of the St. Augustine Band students! Next, the Third and Fourth grades sang the "Star Spangled Banner" so anyone who couldn't join us at the Mud Hens game had the opportunity to hear them. The Pre-school through Seventh grade sang "Abre Mis Ojos" (Open My Eyes) which included a beautiful solo by Maria Alegria. For *Encanto* fans, Ace Mazur sang that "Mariano's on his way" during "We Don't Talk About Bruno". The Fifth, Sixth and Seventh grades bucket drummed to "High Hopes". There was even a small ensemble of dancers to "We Go Together". The evening closed with the younger students singing the high energy religious songs "Give It Away" and "Stand Together".

I cannot say enough about the talents and treasures Mrs. Alain Miller and Mr. Paul Baransy add to St. Augustine! I thank them for their hours of composing music, creating rhythms, painting sets for the stage and dedicating a tremendous amount of time preparing our students for this concert.

Blessings to your family,
Ginny Minnick, Principal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 5/22 - Robert Addington, Maryah Rivera
5/23 - Lucy Brink, Cara Finn, Randy Schwaiger
5/24 - Marin Nemire, David Pain, John Riedeman,
Lynn Zamarripa
5/25 - Gatsby Rosebrook, Brianna Sanchez,
Jeannette Strauss
5/26 - Trindy Molina, Judy Wiles
5/27 - Brianna Coolman, Emma Van Poppel
5/28 - Aylee Arango, Bethany Conry, Lindy Fisher,
Amber Healy, Paul Martin, Matthew McColley,
Michael McColley, Stevie Rieger, Braxton Tejkl,
Jennifer Wulf
5/29 - Grayson Arps, Pam Downey, Juan Gonzalez,
Deborah Sharpe