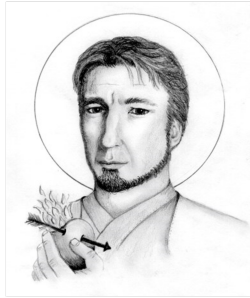


Saint Augustine & Saint Mary Catholic Churches



A Parish Family



December 18, 2022
4th Sunday of Advent



Masses



Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Augustine
Sun. 8:00 am - St. Augustine
Sun. 9:30 am - St. Augustine
Sun. 11:15 am - St. Mary
Wed. 9:30 am - St. Augustine
Thur. 9:30 am - St. Mary
Fri. 9:30 am - St. Augustine

Pastor

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St Augustine

185 N. Oak Harbor Street
Oak Harbor, WA 98277
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Office Hours:

Tue-Fri, 10am-Noon and 1-4pm

St Mary

207 North Main Street
Coupeville, WA 98239
(360) 675-2303

Mailing Address for both parishes:

P.O. Box 1319
Oak Harbor, WA 98277



4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



"She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus,
because he will save his people from their sins." - Mt 1:21

We Encounter Jesus St Augustine

The Parish office will be closed December 23 - January 2

No RE Classes - Christmas Break Dec. 19 - Jan. 3

December 17	Saturday	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	NO Confessions Simbang Gabi Mass (<i>Our Parishioners</i>)

December 18	Sunday	8:00 am 9 & 10:30 am 9:30 am	Mass Coffee & Donuts, PH Mass (<i>Spencer Nienhuis RIP</i>)

December 19	Monday	Office Unavailable 4:30 pm	Agape, PH/KT

December 21	Wednesday	9:30 am 10:00 am 6:00 pm	Mass Divine Mercy/Adoration, CH Confessions, CH

December 23	Friday	9:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm	Mass Divine Mercy/Adoration, CH Christmas Environment Preparation, CH

St Mary

December 18	Sunday	11:15 am 12:15 pm	Mass (<i>Cecelia Sacino, RIP</i>) Coffee & Conversation, HH

December 22	Thursday	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:00 am 10:20 am	Mass Confessions, CH Adoration, CH Bible Study, HH



Advent Confession Schedule

St. Augustine: Saturday, December 17, No confessions
Wednesday, December 21, 6:00 pm
Saturday, December 24, No confessions

St. Mary: Thursday, December 22, 10:00 am



Welcome!



If you are new to St Augustine and St Mary churches or returning after a long absence, please take a moment to register as a member of our parish.

Registrations can be found at each church, at the St. Augustine/St. Mary Parish Office in Oak Harbor and online at www.staugustineoh.org.

Being registered helps us to get to know you and gives you the opportunity to tell us if there are ministries where you might like to serve.

After registering you will be included in all email messages, letters, and you will receive a tax statement at the end of the year.

Please join our parish family!

We Pray for Our Family

Ruth Abrea, Baby Amelia, Elnora Archer, Fr. Larry Bailey, Eileen Catalano, Tom Dumit, Mamie Forbes, Douglas Hammer, Sheryl Henry, Marsha Kilgore, Jack Kraft, Rosemary Morrison, Richard Rezabek, John Romanski, Fr. Teofilo Rustia, Lou Santos, Dennis Sionson, Chuck Tollefson, Jeanne Valdez, David Williams, Larry Williams, Patty Williams, Diane Young

Permission is required from the individual prior to adding their name to the prayer list.
To include a loved one, please call the parish office at 360-675-2303

Sacraments

Baptisms:

- ☞ Saturday, February 11, 2023 at 11:00 am at St Augustine. Required Baptism class, Saturday, January 14, 2023, 9am - 12.
- ☞ Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 to register. **We are scheduling 4 baptisms every month.**

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):

- ☞ Classes are Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm.
- ☞ Classes are for non-baptized adults or baptized adults of a different denomination to enter into Full Communion with the Catholic Church. Also for baptized Catholics who have not received 1st Communion and/or Confirmation.
- ☞ Please call Rowena Harless at 360-675-2303 to register.

Anointings:

- ☞ Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 during business hours to request an anointing.
- ☞ If you call the office after business hours, the recording will give you the number to call for an **emergency anointing only**.
- ☞ An individual may receive one anointing per month.

St. Mary Finance Council



Pat Hernandez
Lisa Grosso
Evelyn Novak

Stewardship

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses	\$13,090
December 4 Offering	\$16,274
Catholic Community Services	\$ 1,406



Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses	\$ 2,962
December 4 Offering	\$ 6,337
Catholic Community Services	\$ 321

We encourage you to use online bill-pay through your bank as there is no cost to the parish or to you.

Include your envelope number and mail your donations to: P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277.
If you need your envelope number please call the parish office 360-675-2303. Thank you!

News & Events



Simbang Gabi - St. Augustine parish will celebrate Simbang Gabi on Saturday, December 17, during the 5:00 pm Mass. This celebration will honor the Blessed Virgin Mary as she prayerfully awaits the birth of Christ. A star-shaped lantern, the “Parol” represents the star of Bethlehem that guided the Magi to the place where Jesus was born. It is used as part of the processional at Mass to remind us that Jesus is the Light of the World. All are invited to the reception following Mass in the parish hall.

Warm Clothing Drive - The Catholic Daughters are collecting warm coats, NEW socks, hats, and gloves for all ages December through February. Please drop off clean warm clothing items in the box in the Vestibule.



2022 Taxes - Please note that all 2022 contributions to St. Augustine and St. Mary need to be received by December 31, 2022 in order to be credited to your 2022 taxes.

New Year’s Eve Potluck & White Elephant - Join us on December 31st from 6pm - 10pm in the Parish Hall For a New Year’s Eve Potluck. Bring a favorite dish to share and a gift that might be better suited to someone else for a White Elephant Gift Exchange. Make sure your gift is wrapped. One gift per participant. For more information call the parish office at 360-675-2303.



Santo Nino de Cebu Novena and Mass - There will a nine-day Novena January 12-20. We will celebrate Santo Nino de Cebu at the 5pm Mass on Saturday, January 21. For more information, please contact Bibi Albornoz at 360-679-2102.

Many Thanks - A huge thank you to everyone who helped make this year’s pie ministry another big success. We could not have done this without the generosity of everyone who provided fruit from their harvest, those who acted as amazing sous chefs and packagers, and especially everyone who purchased pies! We made 463 pies and brought in over \$7,000 for our parish. Hope to be back again next summer!”



A Prayer to St. Joseph

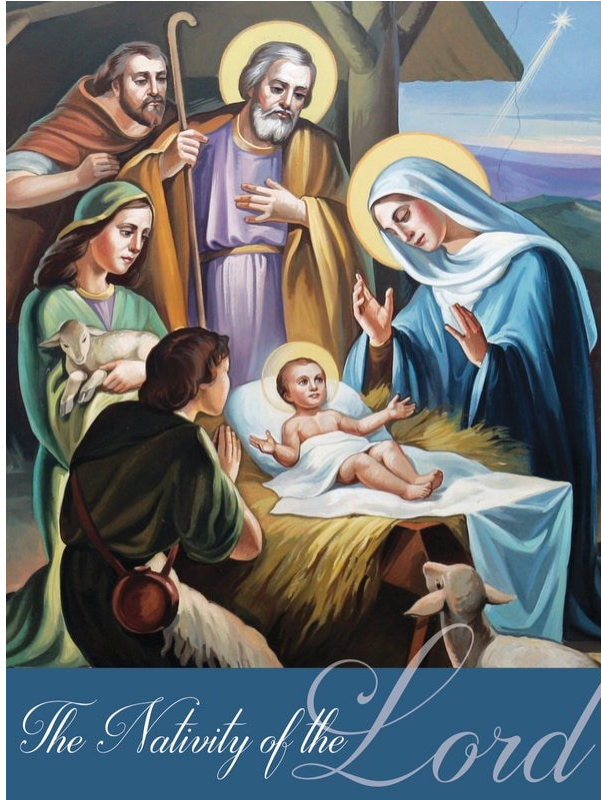
Gentle Joseph, God is captivated by the quality of your heart.
Your entire being is focused on doing His will.
With Mary Jesus you answer the Holy Spirit’s Call to build a better world.

With one heart we join you in saying:
“Here we are, Lord, Your will be done!
Your kingdom come nearer to us!”

Keep the hope of a new world alive in our hearts.
Inspire us to speak words of tenderness to awaken the love of hearts.

May we draw the energy for our actions from the source of all Love
So our faces may shine with the freedom of the children of God.





Octave of Christmas Masses

Christmas Eve Masses
Saturday, December 24
5:00 pm St. Augustine

Christmas Day
Sunday, December 25
8:00 am St. Augustine
9:30 am St. Augustine
11:15 am St. Mary

New Year's Eve Mass
Saturday, December 31
5:00 pm St. Augustine

Mary, Mother of God Mass
Sunday, January 1
8:00 am St. Augustine
9:30 am St. Augustine
11:15 am St. Mary

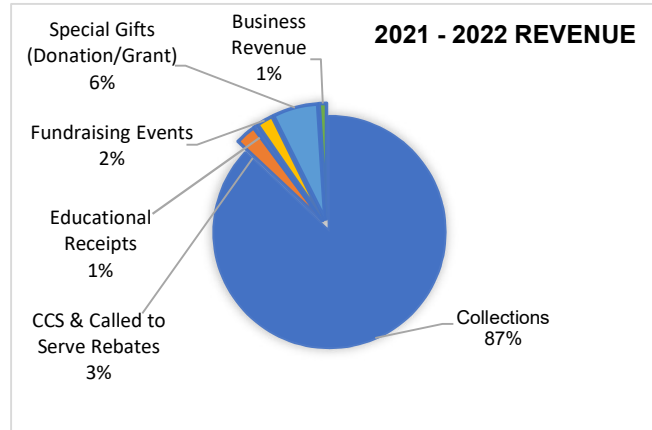
St. Augustine Catholic Church Annual Parish Report

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JULY 1, 2021 - JUNE 30, 2022

2022-2023 PROJECTED BUDGET REVENUE & EXPENDITURES

Revenue

	Actual
Collections	\$ 631,627
CCS & Called to Serve Rebates	20,825
Educational Receipts	3,775
Fundraising Events	16,376
Special Gifts (Donation/Grant)	45,934
Business Revenue	7,420
Total Revenue	\$ 725,956

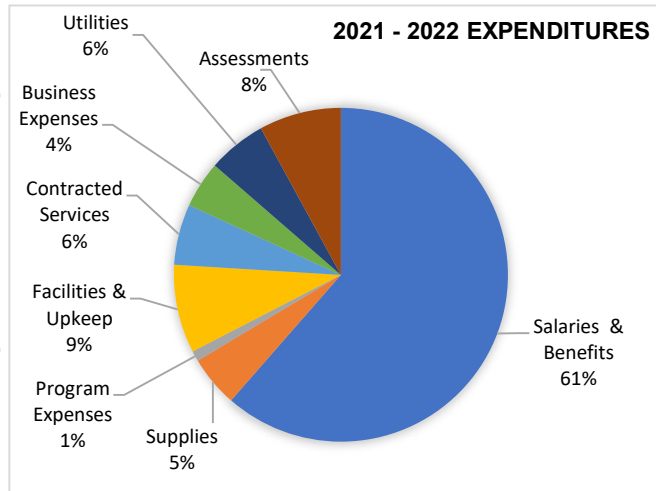


Revenue

	Projected Budget
Collections	\$ 554,500
CCS & CTSAC Rebates	
Educational Receipts	4,000
Fundraising Events	12,750
Special Gifts (Donation/Grant)	18,100
Business Revenue	6,950
Total Revenue	\$ 596,300

Expenditures

	Actual
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 334,738
Supplies	27,094
Program Expenses	5,433
Facilities & Upkeep	46,632
Contracted Services	32,136
Business Expenses	24,648
Utilities	30,930
Assessments	43,271
Total Expenditures	\$ 544,883



Expenditures

	Projected Budget
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 375,495
Supplies	38,536
Program Expenses	11,100
Facilities & Upkeep	43,200
Contracted Services	39,849
Business Expenses	28,246
Utilities	37,000
Assessments	43,756
Total Expenditures*	\$ 617,182

*Approximate \$20k overage approved by Finance Council

St. Augustine Parish Information

2021 - 2022

Our Parish

753 Registered Parish Families with 2,013 Registered Members

Sacraments:

- 29 Baptisms
- 13 First Communions
- 14 Confirmations
- 8 Marriages
- 19 Funeral/Memorial Masses

Religious Education:

- 82 in Religious Education classes
- 8 in Rite of Christian Initiation Adults & Children (RCIA/RCIC)

Highlights

- New Sewer system being installed, current expenditure of \$53,000
- Agape Meal Program served meals to 2,225 community members and sent additional meals to Ryan's House for an approximate total of 2,500 meals.
- \$8,000 donated to Help House to feed those in need
- Prayer Garden and Church grounds and facilities maintained
- Rectory refurbishment including furnishings for new Pastor