

Saint Augustine & Saint Mary Catholic Churches

A Parish Family



March 26, 2023
The 5th Sunday of Lent

*"Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?"
When He said this, He cried out with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!"
- John 11:40 & 43*



Holy Week

Palm Sunday: April 2

8:00 am at St. Augustine

9:30 am at St. Augustine

11:15 am at St. Mary

Holy Thursday: April 6

Mass of the Lord's Supper
& Rice Bowl Collection

6:00 pm at St. Augustine

Good Friday: April 7

Stations of the Cross

3:00 pm at St. Augustine

5:30 pm at St. Mary

Adoration of the Cross & Holy Communion

6:00 pm at St. Augustine

Easter Vigil: April 8

Holy Saturday

8:00 pm at St. Augustine

Easter Sunday: April 9

8:00 am at St. Augustine

9:30 am at St. Augustine

11:15 am at St. Mary

We Encounter Jesus

St. Augustine

March 25	Saturday	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Vigil Mass (<i>Arvin Vilorio, RIP; Allan Boissonneault, RIP</i>)

March 26	Sunday	8:00 am 9 & 10:30 am 9:30 am	Mass Coffee & Donuts, PH Mass

March 27	Monday	10:00 am 4:00 pm 4:30 pm	Bible Study, CR 1&2 Special Sacraments, CR 1&2 Agape, PH & K

March 28	Tuesday	4:00 pm	RCIC, CR 4

March 29	Wednesday	9:30 am 10:00 am 4:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm	Mass Divine Mercy/Adoration RE K-5th grades, CR 1-5 Confessions, CH RE 6th-12th grades, CR 1-5

March 30	Thursday	6:30 pm	RCIA, CR 1&2

March 31	Friday	9:30 am 10:00 am 5:00 pm 5:30 pm	Mass Stations of the Cross. CH Youth Stations of the Cross Fish Fry, PH/K

St. Mary

March 26	Sunday	11:15 am 12:15 pm	Mass Coffee & Conversation, HH

March 30	Thursday	9:30 am 10:00 am	Mass Adoration & Confessions, CH

March 31	Friday	5:30 pm	Stations of the Cross, CH

St. Augustine

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St. Mary

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Office Hours:

Tuesday - Friday, 10 am - Noon and 1 - 4 pm

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Pastor

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We Pray for Our Family

Ruth Abrea, Baby Amelia,
Elnora Archer, Julia Arteaga,
Fr. Larry Bailey, Jim Brady,
Eileen Catalano, Tom Dumit,
Bob & Sue Ellis, Mamie Forbes,
Douglas Hammer, Sheryl Henry,
Judie H, Candy Kelly, Marsha Kilgore,
Jack Kraft, Martha McAllister,
Alexandria Molt, Lynnne Ochoa-Brown,
Richard Rezabek,
Nancy & John Romanski, Lou Santos,
Holly Hernandez-Sconzo,
Dennis Sionson, Chuck Tollefson,
Jeanne Valdez, Clint West,
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:

- ☞ Required Baptism class Saturday April 1, 9am - 12Noon at St. Augustine. Baptisms are Saturday, April 22 at 11am.
 - ☞ 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):

- ☞ Please call Rowena Harless at 360-675-2303 for information.

Anointings:

- ☞ Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 during business hours to request an anointing or last rites.
- ☞ After 4pm Wednesday-Sunday, call the office at 360-675-2303 and listen to the message to receive the **emergency anointing or last rites only** phone number.
- ☞ At any hour on Monday and Tuesday, please call another parish for an anointing or last rites request.



40 Days of Life

We peacefully seek to end the deaths of unborn children in these 40 days of Lent. We do this through prayer, fasting, and daily vigils near abortion businesses as we offer pregnant mothers alternatives so their babies may live.

Prayer - pray to our Mother of mothers for her intervention.

Fasting - any kind of fasting dedicated to mothers choosing to not harm their babies.

Peaceful Vigils - at Pioneer Rd. & SR 20 intersection Friday afternoons during Lent from 3:45-4:45 pm.



Archdiocese of Seattle Wellness Wednesdays

Planning for Senior Care: Everything You Need to Know

April 5, 7:00 - 8:30 pm
Virtual

This month's Wellness Wednesday offers a brief overview of different senior care providers & what is important when looking for care, as well as knowing the signs that a move is needed.

The class is free. For more information or to register visit the Seattle Archdiocese website at archseattle.org, scroll to "Upcoming events", click on "View all events", and scroll to "Planning for Senior Care".

Stewardship

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses	\$13,090
March 12 Offering	\$16,725



Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses	\$ 2,962
March 12 Offering	\$ 5,098

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

- ∞ **Tom Curran “Confession”** - Bible Study at St. Augustine with the DVD presentation by Dr. Tom Curran called “Five Sentences That Will Heal Your Life”. Monday, March 20 & March 27 at 10:00 am in classroom 1&2. Please contact Mary at pricewaters@comcast.net for additional information.
- ∞ **Coffee & Donuts** - Coffee & Donuts will take a break on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday, returning April 16 after the 8:00 am and 9:30 am Sunday Masses.
- ∞ **St. Mary's Annual Easter Bake Sale** - April 9th directly after the 11:15am Easter Mass in the hall. Come and buy your freshly baked Easter Sunday Dessert (s). Please drop off your baked goods donations in the kitchen before Mass. We would appreciate Easter decorations you might have to help with us decorate for Easter. Please put them in the Hall anytime until Easter.
- ∞ **“Come Holy Spirit”** - A 7-week Bible Study to a Fuller Experience of the Holy Spirit in Your Life. Join us for 7 Monday mornings at 10:00 am in St. Augustine classroom 1&2 starting April 10 to learn to develop the gifts God has given to each of us and pursue a deeper relationship with God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Sessions will be April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15, and 22. The video series with Tom Curran is free and all are welcome to participate. To register, please contact the parish office at 360-675-2303 or email Mary at pricewaters@comcast.net.
- ∞ **Divine Mercy Sunday Benediction** - Sunday, April 16, 2:00 pm at St. Augustine with Father Larry Bailey.
- ∞ **Agape Volunteers Needed** - The Agape community meal program serves a free meal each Monday evening in the St. Augustine parish hall to anyone from our community. Volunteers need to be willing to commit to help for 2 hours one Monday each month. We especially need people who can help with serving, washing dishes, and cleanup from 4:15 to 6:30pm, and, those who can help with prep from 2:00 to 4:15. Dinner is provided for those who volunteer if there is enough. If you or your family are looking for a way to become more involved in our parish, please email your contact information to Mary Brady at bradylady2@yahoo.com for more information.
- ∞ **Flowers** - Please be a part of beautifying the sanctuary for Easter by stopping by the parish office and purchasing a flower memorial for someone you love or for your church family.

Coupeville Schools 3rd Annual *Community Resource Fair Supply Drive*

Please donate today to help the Coupeville Schools raise funds and items needed for the students and families of Coupeville that are “the hardest to reach”, namely multilingual learners, housing challenged individuals and other high need populations. Approximately 150 students are assisted by the Coupeville School Support Office.

DONATIONS NEEDED:

Sports Equipment - balls, bats & mitts, rackets, ball pump swim goggles

Fitness Equipment - yoga mat, weights, jump ropes, water bottles

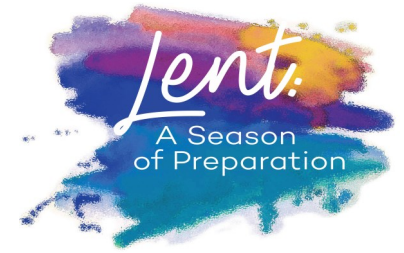
Toiletries, scooters, bikes, helmets, arts supplies, crafting materials, puzzles, board games, sidewalk chalk,

Playdoh, bubbles, novels, activity books

Please donate items on April 16 in Harrington Hall.

Contact Pat Marks at ampmstamps@comcast.net if any questions. Thanks!

Lenten Opportunities



Confession

Wednesdays at 6:00pm during Lent at St. Augustine

Saturdays at 4:00pm at St. Augustine

Thursdays during Lent at 10:00am following daily Mass at St. Mary

Stations of the Cross at St. Augustine

Fridays after 9:30 am Mass

Fridays at 5:00 pm - led by youth

Fridays at 5:30 pm Soup Bowl or Fish Fry (noted on calendar)

Stations of the Cross at St. Mary

Fridays at 5:30 PM

Cross of Burdens at St. Augustine

Located in the Vestibule. Write your burdens on a slip of paper and place them on the cross. Our R.E. students will pray for you every week during Lent.

Prayers of Blessings at St. Augustine - Please pray for those on the prayer request cards throughout Lent.

Religious Book Exchange at St. Augustine

There is a table in the vestibule for you to bring spiritual books or pick up some new spiritual reading.

Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowls & Calendars at St. Augustine & St. Mary

Rice Bowls remind us to practice Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving during Lent. Visit csrricebowl.org and discover resources and recipes for Lent. 25% of Rice Bowl donations supports our parish Works of Mercy. Rice Bowls will be collected at the Holy Thursday 6pm Mass. Please help the counters by providing checks or currency rather than coins.

Peaceful Vigils

Prayer vigils during the season of Lent to end the deaths of unborn children. Meet at the intersection of Pioneer Rd. & SR 20 in Oak Harbor on Fridays during Lent, from 3:45-4:45 pm.