# St. Augustine & St. Mary Catholic Churches



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#### February 11, 2024 ~ 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Regular Mass Times

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

## <u>Confessions</u>

Sat. 4:00 pm - St. Augustine Thur. 10:00 am - St Mary

## <u>Contact</u>

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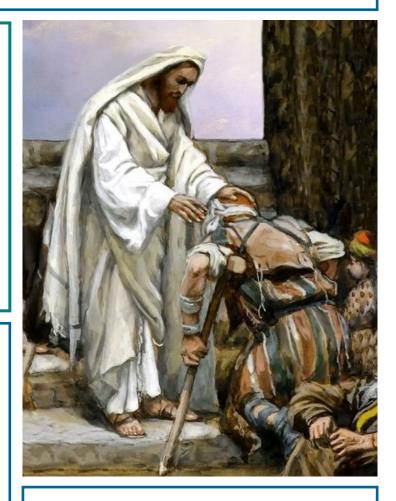
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#### Save the Date!

The Thirsting, a Catholic Christian Rock Band from the PNW, will be here March 16 & 17 to share their love of all the sacraments of the Catholic Church in a spectacular, family-friendly musical weekend! Stay tuned for details!



## <u>Welcome!</u>

If you are new to the area or returning after a long absence, please take a moment to register as a member of our parish.

Registrations can be found at church, at the Parish Office in Oak Harbor, and 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.

<u>Please join our parish family!</u>

Weekly Calendar			
	St Augustine		
February 11	Sunday	8:00 am 9 & 10:30 am 9:30 am	Mass Coffee & Donuts, K/PH Mass <i>(Anita Reuben, RIP; Gloria Manlangit, INT)</i>
February 12	Monday		lable Adult Education, CR 1&2 Agape Meal, K/PH
February 13	Tuesday	4:00 pm 4:00 pm 6:00 pm	OCIC, CR 1&2 Special Sacraments, CR 3&4 OCIA, CR 1&2
February 14	Wednesday	6:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Mass
February 15	Thursday	5:30 pm 6:30 pm	Cantor rehearsal Choir rehearsal
February 16	Friday	9:30 am 10:00 am 5:00 pm 5:30 pm	Mass <i>(Mary Pierzchala, RIP)</i> Stations of the Cross Youth Stations of the Cross Soup Supper, K/PH
February 17	Saturday	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confession Vigil Mass <i>(Leonel Mallari, RIP)</i>
February 18	Sunday	8:00 am 9/10:30 am 9:30 am <u>St Mary</u>	Mass Coffee & Donuts, K/PH Mass <i>(David Rowland, RIP)</i>
February 11	Sunday	11:15 am 12:15 pm	Mass Coffee & Conversation
February 14	Wednesday	12:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Mass
February 15	Thursday	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:20 am	Mass
February 16	Friday	•	Station of the Cross
February 18	Sunday	11:15 am 12:15 pm	Mass Coffee & Conversation



Ruth Abrea, Fr. Larry Bailey, Harold Bielen, Jim Brady, Lynnie Ochoa-Brown, Patrick Cantwell, Eileen Catalano. Mike Cussimanio, Tomasa Dagdagan, Jacquie Diaz, Bob & Sue Ellis, Douglas Hammer, Sheryl & Mikey Henry, Donald Hubner, Terry Kandzor Marsha Kilgore, Jack Kraft. Laura Lafranchise, Carol LeClercq, Martha McAllister, Alexandria Molt. Jasmine Patricio. Onee & Richard Rezabek. Louis Ramirez, Nancy & John Romanski, Lou & Lulu Santos, Jadwiga & Philippe Sebrechts. Dennis Sionson. Chuck Tollefson. David Williams. Larry Williams, Patty Williams, David Yakubchak

Permission is required from the individual prior to printing their name on the prayer list. To include a loved one, please call the parish office.

Times and dates are subject to change. Notice of major schedule changes will be sent via email. Email information@staugustineoh.org if you want to update or add an email address.



## <u>Catholic Marriage</u>

National Marriage Week (Feb. 7-14) and World Marriage Day (Sunday, Feb. 11) are an opportunity to focus on building a culture of life and love that begins with supporting and promoting marriage and the family.

Catholic Marriage is unique among other marital relationships because it is a sacrament that makes Christ present in our world.

Planning a Catholic marriage or interested in convalidating your current civil marriage? Contact PA for Adult Faith Formation ~ Mary E. Waters AdultFF@staugustineoh.org



#### GOD IS CALLING YOU!

Discernment is the process by which we discover God's will and plan for us.

Our vocation is who we are; a career is what we do. God calls each one of us to a vocation: Married Life, Diocesan Priesthood, Religious Life, or the Permanent Diaconate

We discern our vocation by:

- Being active in the life of the Church
- Participating in the sacraments
- Studying the faith
- Growing in personal prayer life
- Having a mentor or others accompanying you in your faith journey





## <u>Gacraments</u>

#### Baptisms:

 Call the parish office at 360-675-2303 to register for the Baptism Class March 2nd at 10:00 am. The next Baptism is on April 20th at 11:00 am. We are scheduling a maximum of 4 children per Baptism.

#### Anointings:

- 80 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.
- 80 At any hour on Monday and Tuesday, please call another parish for an anointing or last rites request.

Give your marriage the promise of a great year by learning how to better communicate and love each other.

Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and learn how to be the best gift you can be for your spouse.

Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. There are three dates and locations to choose from: April 12-14, LaQuinta in Tacoma, or March 8-10, Immaculate Heart Retreat Center in Spokane, or April 26-28 in Everett.

Early registration is highly recommended. For more information:

visit <u>wwme.org</u> or contact: Jeff & Sandy Corneil 360-930-2321.



The three traditional pillars of Lent are prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through the three pillars of Lent we journey to develop a closer relationship to God. Fill the 40 days of Lent with reflection, service and prayer. Contact the office if you feel called to any of these service opportunities.

St Mary needs: ⇒ Coffee & Conversation Volunteers ⇒ Eucharist Ministers St Augustine needs: ⇒ Choir Members ⇒ Eucharistic Ministers

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## <u>News & Events</u>

- ∞ The 2023 End of the Year Tax Letter The letter was emailed to all registered parishioners with email and mailed to those without email on January 19, 2024. Please contact the parish office if you did not receive yours.
- 4th Annual St. Joseph Healing Retreat The Healing Retreat includes Eucharistic Adoration and healing prayer. Dates are March 15 17 at Ft. Worden State Park in Pt. Townsend. All inclusive rate of \$325 or a commuter rate of \$100. Registration forms are available at www.stjosephministry.com. For more information please contact Kathy Moore 360-353-8598. Must register by February 15.
- \* The Thirsting Parish Mission Internationally acclaimed musician, Daniel Oberreuter, will be offering a Parish Mission Concert at St. Augustine's Catholic Church at 7:00 PM, on Sunday, March 17.
- 80 Women of St Mary Lady's Brunch All women parishioners of St Mary are cordially invited to a brunch on Thursday, March 7 at 11:00 am in Harrington Hall. The theme of the brunch is - Many Gifts, One Lord. We invite you to join with other St. Mary women parishioners and find out more about what the women of St. Mary do to serve the parish and our community.

#### Eucharistic Minister Training

St. Augustine & St Mary need parishioners who are interested in serving as Eucharistic Ministers to provide the body and blood at all three Masses. **Required training is February 29 at 6:30 pm in the Church.** 

If you are interested or just have questions about this ministry, please contact Debbie Karney at <u>KrazzyKs@Gmail.com</u>

What a beautiful way to honor Our Lord and serve our fellow parishioners!

#### <u>Lenten Retreat Opportunity</u>

"Walking Toward Eternity: Making Choices for Today. Series One: Daring to Walk the Walk" by Jeff Cavins. This 8-week DVD series is designed to help you live your faith more fully by developing and nurturing characteristics that are essential to the Christian life.

Mondays, March 4 – April 22

10 am-11:30 am at St Augustine, Classroom 1&2

Space is limited! Contact Mary E Waters to register at <u>adultff@staugustineoh.org</u>

## <u>Stations and Soup</u>

Calling all cooks! We still need more soup makers to sign up for Friday soup suppers!

Please add your name to the signup sheet in the vestibule to bring a pot of Lenten friendly soup or stew to share after 5:00 pm Stations of the Cross.





A huge THANK YOU to St Augustine and St Mary parishioners! The Knights of Columbus Pennies for Heaven collected \$1,547.22! Every last penny goes to the KofC Refund Support Vocation Program (RSVP) to support Seattle Archdiocese seminarians.

#### <u>Stewardship</u>

Saint AugustineWeekly Expenses\$13,090Offering January 21\$15,599



Saint Mary Weekly Expenses \$2,962 Offering January 21 \$3,528

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: <u>P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277</u>. If you need your envelope number please call the parish office 360-675-2303.

## <u>Lenten Opportunities</u>

Ash Wednesday Mass at St Augustine Wednesday, February 14, 6:00 pm

**Confession at St Augustine** Wednesdays, February 21 - March 27, 6:00 pm Saturdays, 4:00 pm

Stations of the Cross at St Augustine Fridays, February 16 - March 22 after 9:30 am Daily Mass & Fridays, 5:00 pm Ash Wednesday Mass at St Mary Wednesday, February 14, Noon Confessions at St. Mary Thursdays at 10:00 am

Stations of the Cross at St Mary Fridays, February 16 - March 22, 5:30 pm

**St Augustine Choir -** Include prayerful singing during Lent by joining the St Augustine choir. We meet Thursday evenings from 6:30 - 8 pm and learn music to be sung at select 9:30 am Masses.

**Soup Suppers at St Augustine -** Fridays following Stations of the Cross. The sign-up sheet to bring a Lenten-friendly soup is in the vestibule on the parish hall doors.

**Cross of Burdens at St Augustine -** The Cross of Burdens will be located in the vestibule during Lent. 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.

**Little Black Books -** These beloved Lenten devotionals, Little Black Book, are available in the vestibule and going fast. We are asking a \$2 donation per book, please.

**Spiritual Reading Book Swap -** Make spiritual reading part of your Lenten journey. Stop by the library cart in the vestibule. Feel free to take books, leave books, or share books with a friend. (Ensure donations are appropriate, Catholic in nature, and in readable condition. **Books only, please!** (No medals, religious cards, rosaries, jewelry, notepads, etc.)

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

Rice Bowls remind us to practice Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving during Lent. Rice Bowls will be in the vestibule on Ash Wednesday and collected at the Holy Thursday, March 28, 6pm Mass. Please help the counters by providing checks or currency rather than coins.

# ~Lent and Holy Week Schedule~

# St Augustine

Fridays, 5pm

Ash Wednesday Mass Wednesday, Feb 14, 6pm Confession at St Augustine Wednesdays, Feb 21 - Mar 27, 6pm Saturdays, 4pm Stations of the Cross at St Augustine Fridays, Feb 16 - Mar 22 after 9:30 am Daily Mass

# St Mary

Ash Wednesday Mass

Wednesday, Feb 14, Noon

Confessions at St. Mary

Thursdays at 10am

Stations of the Cross at St Mary

Fridays, Feb 16 - Mar 29, 5:30 pm

## Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday, March 28 Holy Thursday Mass, 6pm, St Augustine Good Friday, March 29 Stations of the Cross, 3pm, St Augustine & 5:00pm, St Mary Good Friday Mass, 6pm, St Augustine Holy Saturday, March 30 Easter Vigil Mass, 8pm, St Augustine <u>Easter Sunday</u> Easter Sunday, March 31

Easter Sunday Masses 8am & 9:30 at St Augustine 11:15am at St Mary