

Whidbey Island Family of Catholic Churches St. Augustine · St. Mary · St. Hubert

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Mass Times

Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Augustine Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Hubert Sun. 8:00 am - St. Augustine Sun. 9:00 am - St. Hubert Sun. 9:30 am - St. Augustine Sun. 11:15 am - St. Mary Mon. 9:00 am - St Hubert Wed. 9:30 am - St. Augustine Wed. 10:30 am - St. Hubert Thur. 9:00 am - St. Hubert Thur. 9:30 am - St. Hubert Thur. 9:30 am - St. Hubert Fri. 9:30 am - St. Augustine

Confessions

Saturday, 4:00 pm - St Augustine Saturday, 4:00 pm - St Hubert

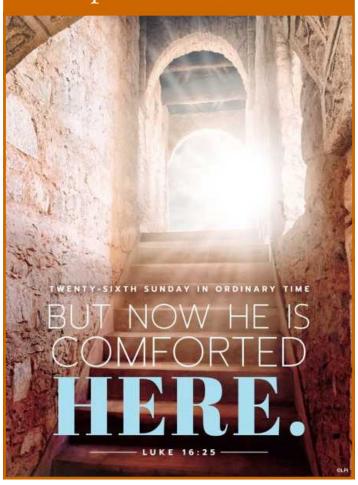
St Augustine/St Mary Office Hours

Mon: Closed to the public
Tues-Fri: 10:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm

St Hubert Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9:30am-4:30pm Friday: Closed to the Public

September 28, 2025



St. Augustine/St. Mary Parishes

information@staugustineoh.org (360)675-2303 St. Augustine - 185 N. Oak Harbor Street, Oak Harbor, WA 98277 St. Mary - 207 North Main Street, Coupeville, WA 98239 Mailing Address - P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277

St. Hubert Parish Office Hours

sthubert@whidbey.com (360)221-5383 St. Hubert - 804 3rd Street, Langley, WA 98260 Mailing Address - P.O. Box 388, Langley, WA 98260

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Com 20	Com don	8:00 am	Mass	
Sep 28	Sunday	9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH	
		9:30 am	Mass	
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH	
Sep 29	Monday	10:00 am	Adult Faith Formation CR 1&2	
		4:30 pm	Agape Meal, PH	
		6:00 pm	Confirmation Class	
Sep 30	Tuesday	6:00 pm	OCIA CR 1&2	
Oct 1	Wednesday	9:30 am	Mass	
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration	
		4:00 pm	RE K-5th Grade	
		6:30 pm	RE 6-12th Grade	
Oct 3	Friday	9:30 am	Mass (Souls in Purgatory, RIP; Matt Wright, INT)	
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration	
Oct 4	Saturday	10:00 am	Vocations Retreat, CR 1&2, PH	
		4:00 pm	Confessions	
		5:00 pm	Mass (Stuart A. Gracey, RIP)	
Oct 5	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass	
		9:00 am	Pancake Breakfast, PH	
		9:30 am	Mass	
		10:30 am	Pancake Breakfast, PH	
<u>St. Mary</u>				
Sep 28	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass	
Oct 2	Thursday	9:30 am	Mass	
		10:00 am	Bible Study, HH	
		10:00 am	WOSM Monthly Meeting, HH	
Oct 5	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass	

We Pray for Our Family

Bobby & Bibi Albornoz, Ruth Abrea, Fr. Larry Bailey, Gary Barrett, Allen & Dorothy Boreen, Lynnie Ochoa-Brown, Jim Brady, Patrick Cantwell, Eileen Catalano, Robert Cipres, Paige Caldwell-Burkholder, Elfuel & Kathy Collantes, Christina Collings, Daniel Cook, Lois Coplea, Justin Day, Tomasa Dagdagan, Betsy Eidsmoe, Bob Ellis, Debbie Gallo, Lyn Geronimi, Chad Graves, Douglas Hammer, Lynn & Jerry Henricksen, Pat Hernandez, Donald Hubner, Teresa Jauregui, Marsha Kilgore, Laura Lafranchise, Carol LeClercq, Dennis & Priscilla Leighton, Phyllis Lund, Pat Magorrian, Martha McAllister, Alexandria Molt, Morris Nelson, John Palacio, Jasmine Patricio, Onee Hedeen & Richard Rezabek, Denise Robertson, Nancy & John Romanski, Lou & Lulu Santos, Jadwiga & Philippe Sebrechts, Dennis Sionson, Steven Spencer, Don Stubenrauch, Chuck Tollefson, Jacqueline Wolfe, Madeline Yakubchak, Karen Yount

Permission is required from the individual prior to adding their name to the prayer list.

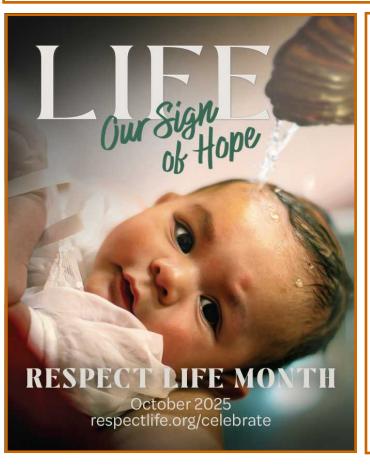
To include a loved one, please call the parish office at 360-675-2303

News and Events

- <u>Sanctuary Flowers</u> are available for purchase at the parish office to honor loved ones or enhance our church's beauty. Stop by the office to select bouquet color, size, and the date. General donations for flowers are always welcome as are donations for Christmas and Easter.
- women of St Mary monthly meeting is October 2 following daily Mass at St Mary's. All women of St Mary's are cordially invited to join us for brunch and a guest speaker from PREPARES. Please bring a finger food to share.
- Enter Friday Pro-life Vigil October 3 from 3:45-4:45pm. Meet at the corner of SR 20 & Pioneer. Prayers and Signs will be provided. Contact Mike/Barb Thelen. thelenmike.assoc@gmail.com (360)661-0311 or (360)320-3959
- St Augustine Pancake Breakfast is October 5 after both Sunday Masses. Come feast on the best breakfast around! Price is by donation and all proceeds go directly to St Augustine. (We are always on the lookout for people to man the 8am and 9:30am pancake crews! Contact the office for more information)
- St. Augustine's Christmas Market is November 7-9. Many hands make light work and all of the work directly benefits St. Augustine. Please contact Kathy Jones (360)929-7632 for more information or offer to help collect, donate, price or sort items or set up/clean up.
- St. Mary's Christmas Bazaar is December 6. The Women of St Mary need your help to make this annual event a continued success! Contact Janet at (360)969-1609 for more information.

Coming Soon

Catholic Daughters Monthly Meeting (October 10), America Needs Fatima Community Rosary (October 11), Knights of Columbus Fatima Rosary (October 13), Fall Pie Sales (October 18/19), Child & Babysitting Safety Course (October 19), Joan's Lilies Family Game Night (October 25),





St Augustine's Warm Winter Coat Drive

Mathew 25:35-41 " Amen I say to you whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me ."

When: Starting October 4th!
What: Kid sizes 2T-5T
Kid sizes 5-20 & Adult sizes
(Note: Little kids like bright colors. Big kids and

adults prefer dark colors)

Where: Coats may be dropped off in the collection box in the vestibule or in the parish office during normal working hours

Who: We serve all public schools, Agape Families, Angel Tree, Parish Families, Ryans House, The Haven, Spin Café and Garage of Blessings.

Our warmest appreciation to the **Catholic Daughters of America** for this service project!

Sacraments

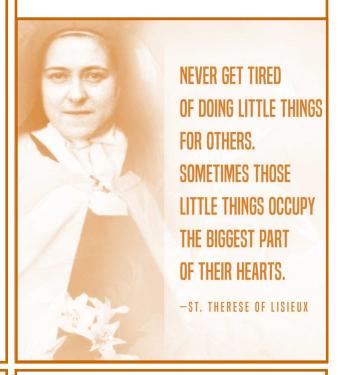
Baptisms:

- № The next Baptism class is October 11. Registration is required.
- № The next available Baptism is October 11. *Please note, we only schedule 4 children per Baptism.*
- w Please contact Mary Waters at 360-675-2303 or adultff@staugustineoh.org for more information or to register for class.

Anointings:

- № Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 on Tuesday Friday from 10:00 am 4:00pm to request an anointing or last rites.
- № After 4pm Tuesday-Friday or Saturday/Sunday, call the office at 360-675-2303 and listen to the message to receive the emergency anointing or last rites only phone number.
- © On any Monday, please call another parish to request an anointing.

Feast Day: October 1



Tips and Etiquette

- October is the Month of the Rosary
- № The Rosary is a direct line to the Blessed Virgin Mary!
- ™ Tradition holds that Mary gave the Rosary to Saint Dominic on the 13th century
- The word "rosary" comes from the Latin rosarium which means "garland of roses"
- The Rosary is a great way to focus before Mass or calm your mind before falling asleep (there isn't really a wrong way to say the Rosary)
- we have Rosaries and Rosary guides in the parish office (for free!)

Prayer for Vocations

We encourage everyone to pray for the priests of the Seattle Archdiocese, individually and as a family. Follow the link below to join our prayer team and receive a weekly email containing the priests we are lifting in prayer!

https://archseattle.org/ovc-prayfor-priests/

Saint Augustine

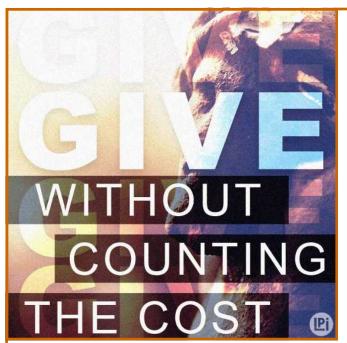
Weekly Expenses \$ 13,090 August 24 Offering \$ 7.680 Weekly Sacrificial Giving

Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses \$ 2,962 August 24 Offering \$ 1,083

We encourage you to use online giving. Links are on the parish websites.

Please include your envelope number on your giving. Mail 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. Thank you!



I am embarrassed to admit that I frequently find myself dining and socializing with people who have millions and sometimes billions of dollars. I've eaten more caviar, lobster and wagyu steak than most people on the planet. I justify it by saying it's part of my job. But I have seven pairs of nice jeans and expensive shoes.

So it is rather uncomfortable to hear Our Lord say: "My child, remember that you received what was good in your lifetime, while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented" (Luke 16:25). Fellow rich people (and if you're American, you're rich), do we not vehemently though quietly object

to this parable's karma-esque reward system? Why bless the rich man just to curse him later? And curse Lazarus just to bless him later? So Americans go to hell, while Burundians and Afghans go to heaven? What is going on?

One clue is that the condemned rich man doesn't complain of injustice. Rather, he simply begs to help his brothers to repent. Of what? We don't know exactly. Perhaps another clue is that the rich man now seems more like the downtrodden Lazarus. He knows what it is to be hungry and thirsty, to be wounded in the gutter; that he deserved *that*, not fancy meals and clothes. Maybe the rich man finally understands how to receive true blessings, but it is too late for him. But not for me. Not for us.

— Father John Muir

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2025 Stewardship of Time and Talent Signup

Mark each stewardship activity in which you would like to participate. Return this form to an usher, sacristan, or the church office.

A parish leader of those ministries will contact you soon!

<u>Liturgical Ministries:</u>	Hospitality/Community Ministries:
Altar Servers	Coffee & Donuts
Eucharistic Ministers, Mass	Pancake Breakfast
Eucharistic Ministers, Homebound	
Reader	Faith Formation/Sacramental
Sacristan (Weekend Mass)	Ministries:
Sacristan (Daily Mass)	Religious Education Teacher
Ushers	Religious Education Assistant
Church Linens	Pro Life Ministry
	Adoration/Divine Mercy
Service Ministries:	Catholic Organizations:
Funeral Reception	Catholic Daughters/Americas
Funeral Side Dish Help	Knights of Columbus
Agape Community Meals	
Loaves & Fishes	Occasional Help in Parish:
Loaves & Fishes Community Outreach	Occasional Help in Parish:Office Help
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Community Outreach	Office Help
Community OutreachLenten Soup Suppers	Office Help
Community Outreach Lenten Soup Suppers Parish Church Grounds	Office Help Facilities Repair Help

St Augus ne's Warm Coat Drive

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Adult Sizes are also needed. We distribute coats to Oak Harbor public schools, Agape Families, Parish Families, Angel Tree, Ryans House, The Haven, Spin Café, and Garage of Blessings.

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This is a Catholic Daughters of America service project

'Planting Seeds' Vocations Retreat

YOU ...

- are considering a religious vocation.
- think that a religious vocation isn't for you (but you're seeing this, so maybe God has a better plan for you).
- · haven't really thought about it, but would like to know more, now that I mention it.

Come "retreat" with us for a day of answers, learning, prayer, and fellowship with others who are also discerning a life dedicated to the service of God and His people.

Our guest speakers:



Fr. Chris Hoiland
Pastor
Whidbey Island Parish
Family



Fr. Tyler Johnson
Associate Director of
Vocations, Northern and
Snohomish Deaneries,
Archdiocese of Seattle



Fr. Dwight Lewis
Parochial Vicar
Whidbey Island Parish
Family



Sr. Genevieve Osayame, EHJ
Pastoral Assistant for Native
American Ministry
St Mary, Anacortes
St. Paul, La Conner



Deacon Lyle Kendall St. Mary, Anacortes St. Paul, Laconner

Retreat details:

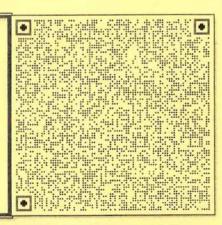
Who: All Adults & Middle & High School Aged Youth

When: September 27, 2025, 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Where: St. Augustine Parish Hall

185 North Oak Harbor St. Oak Harbor, WA 98277

Lunch and refreshments will be provided.





Please join Saint Augus ne, Saint Mary, and St Hubert Parishioners!

We will have extra Rosaries

Contact Bernie McLane at (360)969-3469 for more informa on or to volunteer to bring snacks.



OCTOBER DAILY READINGS 2025

1 - Memorial of St Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

Nehemiah 2:1-8 Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

Luke 9:57-62

2 - Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Matt 18:1-5, 10

3 - Fri - 26th wk in Ord Time

Bar 1:15-22 Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9 Lk 10:13-16

4 - Memorial of St Francis

Assisi, Religious

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 Ps 69:33-35, 36-37 Lk 10:17-24

5 - 27th Sun in Ord Time

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4 Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14 Lk 17:5-10

6 - Mon - 27th wk in Ord Time

Jonah 1:1--2:1-2, 11 Jonah 2:3, 4, 5, 8 Lk 10:25-37

7 – Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

Jonah 3:1-10 Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8 Lk 10:38-42

8 - Wed - 27th wk in Ord Time

Jonah 4:1-11 Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10 Lk 11:1-4

9 - Thu - 27th wk in Ord Time

Malachi 3:13-20b Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 Lk 11:5-13

10 - Fri - 27th wk in Ord Time

Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2 Ps 9:2-3, 6 & 16, 8-9 Lk 11:15-26

<u>11 - Sat - 27th wk in Ord Time</u>

Joel 4:12-21 Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 Lk 11:27-28

12 - 28th Sun in Ord Time

2 Kgs 5:14-17 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 2 Tim 2:8-13 Lk 17:11-19

13 - Mon - 28th wk in Ord Time

Romans 1:1-7 Ps 98:1bcde, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 Lk 11:29-32

14 - Tue - 28th wk in Ord Time

Romans 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Lk 11:37-41

15 – Memorial of St Therese of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 Lk 11:42-46

16 - Thu - 28th wk in Ord Time

Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab Lk 11:47-54

17 - Memorial of St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr

Rom 4:1-8 Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11 Lk 12:1-7

18 - Feast of St Luke,

Evangelist

2 Tim 4:10-17b Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 Lk 10:1-9

19 – 29th Sun in Ord Time

Exodus 17:8-13 Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 2 Tim 3:14—4:2 Lk 18:1-8

20 - Mon - 20th wk in Ord Time

Rom 4:20-25 Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 Lk 12:13-21

21 - Tue - 29th wk in Ord Time

Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21 Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 Lk12:35-38

22 - Wed - 29th wk in Ord Time

Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 Lk 12:39-48

23 - Thu - 29th wk in Ord Time

Rom 6:19-23 Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 Lk 12:49-53

Rom 6:12-18

24 - Fri - 29th wk in Ord Time

Rom 7:18-25a Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 Luke 12:54-59

25 - Sat - 29th wk in Ord Time

Rom 8:1-11 Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6

Lk 13:1-9

26 – 30th Sun in Ord Time

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18 Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 190, 23 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18 Lk 18:9-14

27 - Mon - 30th wk in Ord Time

Rom 8:12-17 Ps 68:2 & 4, 6-7ab, 20-21 Lk 13:10-17

28 - Feast of Sts Simon & Jude, Apostles

Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Lk 6:12-16

29 - Wed - 30th wk in Ord Time

Rom 8:26-30 Ps 13:4-5, 6 Lk 13:22-30

30 - Thu - 30th wk in Ord Time

Rom 8:31b-39 Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31 Lk 13:31-35

31 - Fri - 30th wk in Ord Time

Rom 9:1-5 Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20

Lk 14:1-6