

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 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

St. Augustine/St. Mary Parishes

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St. Hubert Parish Office Hours

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St. Augustine				
Oct 5	C al a	8:00 am	Mass	
Oct 5	Sunday	9:00 am	Pancake Breakfast, PH	
		9:30 am	Mass (Maria Carmen Villagomez-RIP; Jesus Manglona-RIP)	
		10:30 am	Pancake Breakfast, PH	
Oct 6	Monday	10:00 am	Adult Faith Formation CR 1&2	
		4:30 pm	Agape Meal, PH	
		6:00 pm	Confirmation Class	
Oct 7	Tuesday	1:00 pm	FCCW CR 3&4	
		6:00 pm	OCIA CR 1&2	
		7:00 pm	FCCW CR 3&4	
Oct 8	Wednesday	9:30 am	Mass (Peter J. Firos-RIP)	
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration	
		4:00 pm	RE K-5th Grade	
		6:30 pm	RE 6-12th Grade	
Oct 9	Thursday		Parish Office CLOSED for staff training	
Oct 10	Friday	9:30 am	Mass (Matthew Conley-RIP; Souls in Purgatory)	
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration	
Oct 11	Saturday	4:00 pm	Confessions	
		5:00 pm	Mass (Steven Rezabek-RIP; Thomas E. Hawkins-RIP)	
Oct 12	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass	
		9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH	
		9:30 am	Mass (Lloyd McNaughton-RIP; Geralyn McNaughton-INT)	
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH	
St. Mary				
Oct 5	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass	
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH	
Oct 9	Thursday	9:30 am	Mass CANCELLED	
		10:00 am	Bible Study, HH	
Oct 12	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass	
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH	

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, Andy Valrosa, 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

- Sanctuary Flowers 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.
- Loaves and Fishes Ministry will be collecting food items for Help House after all Masses October 11/12. HELP: Healthy foods (whole grain cereals, canned fruit and vegetables), Essentials (flour, sugar, condiments), Long-lasting (rice, pasta, beans), Proteins (canned meats, peanut butter)
- Catholic Daughters Monthly Meeting is October 10 after the 9:30 Mass in the Parish Hall. Come join us! We always welcome new faces!
- The Seven Sister Apostolate Group at St. Augustine Church is in need of 7 women willing to spend one hour in Eucharistic Adoration each week praying for Father Paul Pluth. For more information, check out sevensistersapostolate.org or you may reach Barb Thelen at 360-320-3959 or tbarbj2@gmail.com
- 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

America Needs Fatima Community Rosary (October 11), Knights of Columbus Monthly Fatima Rosary (October 13), Child & Babysitting Safety Course (October 19), Joan's Lilies Family Game Night (October 25)

St Augustine Christmas Market



Bring priced donations to the Parish Hall Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 am to noon, Sundays after the 9:30 Mass, Saturdays October 18th and 25th from 10:00 am to noon.

Hand-crafted items; large and small artificial trees, tree lights and outdoor lighting; fall, Thanksgiving, or Christmas wreaths; household treasures such as gently used or new fall and Christmas decorations, jewelry, coffee table books, Christmas stories and children's books, toys, bicycles, puzzles, games, Legos, gift wrap, nativity sets, village scenes, tree ornaments, collectibles, and new electronics.

NOTE: used clothing will not be accepted

For more information contact kathy@jjjonesjr.com



The World Famous Pie Ladies

Thanksgiving pie sale is October 18/19 through November 1/2. Pumpkin and pecan pies will be available after all the Masses. Quantities are limited. They will also be taking special orders for cherry, apple, or Dutch apple pies. Special orders must be placed by October 15! Contact Theresa to place your special order or to reserve your pumpkin or pecan pie. 206-992-8193, 360-675-9840 or tjfrazer@gmail.com.

Sacraments

Baptisms:

- № The next Baptism class is October 11. Registration is required for both class and baptism.
- № The next available Baptism is October 11. *Please note, we only schedule 4 children per Baptism.*
- Please contact Mary Waters at 360-215-3049 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.
- No 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.

October is the ...



Tips and Etiquette

The Sign of Peace, offered before Communion, reflects Christ's call to reconcile with love. Rooted in early Christian greetings, it invites a brief, humble exchange—often a handshake, nod, or gentle smile—then returns us to worship. As we share it, we honor unity and faith with simple gestures. This practice exemplifies peace and devotion, urging us to extend forgiveness with respectful hearts.



Prayer for Vocations

O Lord, our faithful Shepherd, You call us to trust in You. Plant in our hearts a desire for vocations—priesthood, religious life, or marriage. Give us courage to follow with unwavering faith. Guide us to Your prepared paths with steadfast hearts. Fill us with zeal to serve, purity to reflect Your truth, and humility to rely on You. May we, through devotion, answer Your call, lead others to Your vineyard, and find joy in serving eternally. Amen.

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses \$ 13,090 August 31 Offering \$ 9,119 Weekly Sacrificial Giving

Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses \$ 2,962 August 31 Offering \$ 3,512

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!

Yesterday, I watched my niece plant a tiny seed, her small hands trusting it would grow despite the odds. This moment echoed today's Gospel, where Jesus says, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted,'" and calls us to serve humbly like servants (Luke 17:6, 10). The Catechism teaches, "Faith is a gift of God, a supernatural virtue infused by him" (CCC 162), a

If you have faith as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, 'Be pulled up by the roots and be planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. ED Luke 17: 6 (NKJV)

quiet strength that transforms the impossible. Her faith in that seed stirred me.

I recall my own doubts, fearing my efforts fell short, only to find God's grace multiplies them. The Catechism adds, "Faith is the theological virtue by which we believe in God and all that he has revealed" (CCC 1814), urging us to trust beyond sight. The servant's duty reminded me: our work, though small, honors God. That seedling's promise taught me faith grows through obedience.

In our hurried world, let us nurture this faith. May prayer and humble service shape us, transforming our doubts into the mustard seed's mighty yield.

~Fr. Ronald Rolheiser, OMI

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Please join Saint Augustine, Saint Mary, and St Hubert Parishioners!

We will have extra Rosaries

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



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 Augustine's Warm 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."





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.

The donation box will be in the Church Vestibule beginning October 4th and continuing until all needs met. Coats can also be dropped off at the parish office during normal working hours.

This is a Catholic Daughters of America service project

Child & Babysitting Safety Course

Teaches Child & Babysitting Safety to give teenagers (12 yrs of age and older) the tools they need to be safe, professional and reliable babysitters

When: Sunday, October 19, 2025

Where: St Augustine Parish Hall & CR 1

Time: 1030 to 3pm (Lunch Provided)

Registration is required.

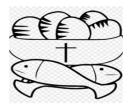
Please contact Mary Waters at 360.675.2303

Email: <u>adultff@staugustineoh.org</u>
If you have further questions.

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN PERMISSION SLIP

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION	
Full name:	
Full name: Grade/School:	Home phone #:
Street Address	
City/State/ZIP:	
Parent/Guardian name(s) (please print):	
DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY	
Event: CABS Child and Babysitting Safety Course	
Location: St Augustine Church Parish Hall & Classroom 1	
Person in charge: Mary Waters & Robert May, EMS, Whidbey	<u>'Health</u>
Date of event: October 19, 2025 Time 10:30 to 3:00pm	
Mode of transportation to/from event: Parent responsibility	
Pictures: I give permission for my child to have his/her pict	ure in the bulletin website/Facebook
PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU ARE ALLOWING YOUR CHILD TO	O HAVE THEIR PICTURES POSTED.
	Yes No
If you desire your son/daughter/individual under your guardianship, to parti	icipate in this parish event, please complete, sign and return the
following statement of consent and release of liability by	
described above. I fully understand that this event will take place supervision of the designated staff and/or volunteers on the stated risk. I assume all risks and hazards incidental to such participal harmless the Corporation of the Catholic Archbishop of Seattle, staf of participation in this activity. I also give consent for emergency contacted prior to treatment. As parent/legal guardian, I remain full	y son/daughter/individual under my guardianship, in the event away from the parish grounds and that my child will be under the dates. I understand that such an undertaking involves an element of tion and do hereby release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold if, volunteers, and drivers from any and all liability that may arise out medical treatment if necessary. I do request that, if possible, I be by responsible for any legal responsibility which may result from any and I have read and understand fully the attached Code of Behavior for c Archdiocese of Seattle.
I consent further to the conditions stated above, including the metho	d of transportation.
Parent's/Guardian's Signature:	
Telephone #: Day:	Night:
Alternate Emergency Contact:	
Telephone #: Day:	Night:
Allergies or Medical Concerns:	
Medical Insurance Company:	
Dostor's name:	Destar's Phane #:

Loaves and Fishes



PARISH FOOD DRIVE

For those in need of food in our community

Saturday October 11 & Sunday October 12

After all Masses

All donations will be taken to Help House

Suggested donations:

- Lg. & Sm. Peanut butter & jelly
- Canned meats
- 4-5# bags of flour & sugar
- Chili sm. & lg cans
- Stew sm. & lg cans
- Canned green beans
- Cans of Ravioli
- Soups
- Pork & Beans
- Macaroni & cheese
- Lg. cans of fruit
- Ramen noodles
- Help House also accepts cat and dog food donations

If you want to make a donation, please make checks out to Help House Food Bank

Please check "use by this date." Help House cannot accept outdated items.

