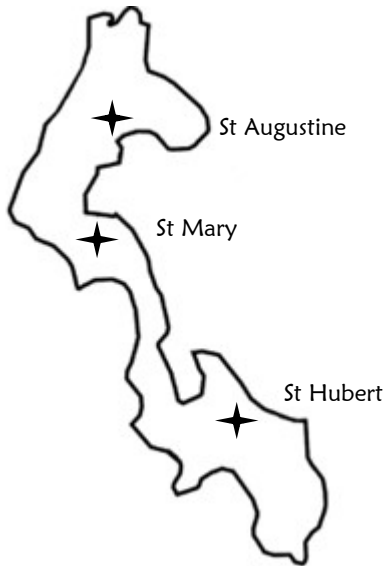




Whidbey Island Family of Catholic Churches

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. Mary
 Fri. 9:00 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

October 12, 2025



28th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not?
 Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner
 returned to give thanks to God?" - Lk 17:17-18

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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

St. Augustine

Oct 12	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass
		9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
		9:30 am	Mass (<i>Lloyd McNaughton-RIP; GERALYN McNaughton-INT</i>)
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
Oct 13	Monday	10:00 am	Adult Faith Formation CR 1&2
		4:30 pm	Agape Meal, PH
		6:00 pm	Confirmation Class, CR 1&2
Oct 14	Tuesday	6:00 pm	OCIA CR 1&2
Oct 15	Wednesday	9:30 am	Mass (<i>All Military Families and Veterans, INT</i>)
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration
		4:00 pm	RE K-5th Grade, Special Sacraments Meeting, PH
		6:30 pm	RE 6-12th Grade
Oct 17	Friday	9:30 am	Mass (<i>Souls in Purgatory, RIP</i>)
		10:00 am	Divine Mercy/Adoration
Oct 18	Saturday	4:00 pm	Confessions
		5:00 pm	Mass (<i>Thomas E. Hawkins-RIP; Maria Leticia Gomez-Zepeda-RIP</i>)
Oct 19	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass
		9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
		9:30 am	Mass (<i>All Military Families & Veterans, INT</i>)
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
		10:30 am	CABS CR 1&2

St. Mary

Oct 12	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH
Oct 16	Thursday	9:30 am	Mass
		10:00 am	Bible Study, HH
Oct 19	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH

We Pray for Our Family

Bobby & Bibi Alborno, 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 Henriksen, Pat Hernandez, Donald Hubner, Teresa Jauregui, Marsha Kilgore, Laura Lafranchise, Carol LeClerc, Dennis & Priscilla Leighton, Phyllis Lund, Pat Magorrian, Martha McAllister, Alexandria Molt, Morris Nelson, John Palacio, Jasmine Patricio, Onee Hedeem & 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.
- ⌘ CDA Coat Drive is ongoing until the need is met! The collection box for new and gently used 2T through adult sizes is in the vestibule. Adults and big kids prefer dark colors. Littles love bright and fun coats.
- ⌘ 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
- ⌘ Knights of Columbus Monthly Fatima Rosary at the Knight's Hall on October 13th. Join the Knights praying for our community. Families are welcome.
- ⌘ 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

Fellowship of Catholic Christian Women (October 21), Joan's Lilies Family Game Night (October 25), RE Trunk or Treat (October 29), VIRTUS Training (October 30), All Saints Day (November 1), All Souls Day (November 2), WOSM Warm Hats, Gloves, and Socks Drive (November 2&9)



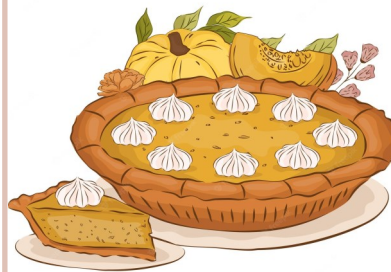
St Augustine Christmas Market

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 November 8. Registration is required for both class and baptism.
- ∞ The next available Baptism is November 8. *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.
- ∞ 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.

Archdiocese of Seattle

Catechetical Certification Program

For parish staff, volunteers and adult learners, this program provides the foundation for knowing, living, and teaching our Catholic faith.

For more information, visit:

archseattle.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/CCP-FY2526-Oak-Harbor.pdf

St. Augustine, Oak Harbor

185 North Oak Harbor St, Oak Harbor
6:00 - 9:00 PM in Classroom 1

Session 1: October 17

Session 5: February 20

Session 2: November 21

Session 6: March 20

Session 3: December 19

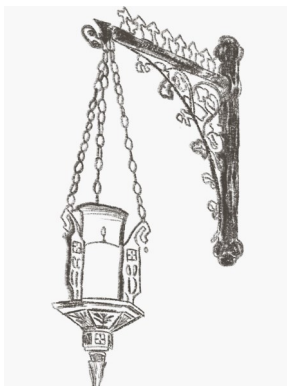
Session 7: April 17

Session 4: January 23

REGISTER AT: tinyurl.com/seattleccp2526

Tips and Etiquette

The sanctuary lamp (or candle), is a steady flame near the tabernacle. The candle light signifies Christ's true presence in the Eucharist. Rooted in ancient tradition, it glows as a silent witness, then invites reverence during prayer. As we pass, we bow or genuflect, honoring its meaning. This practice exemplifies faith and devotion, urging us to approach with respectful awe.



Prayer for Vocations

O Lord, our grateful Shepherd, You heal us with Your boundless love. Plant in our hearts a desire for vocations—priesthood, religious life, or marriage. Give us courage to thank You by following Your call. Guide us to the paths You have prepared with thankful hearts. Fill us with zeal to serve Your people, purity to reflect Your mercy, and humility to offer praise. May we, through grateful service, answer Your call and find joy in serving You eternally. Amen.

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses	\$ 13,090
September 7 Offering	\$ 9,999

Weekly Sacrificial Giving

Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses	\$ 2,962
September 7 Offering	\$ 2,932

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

Please include your envelope number on your giving. Mail 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!

This morning, I helped a friend find a lost scarf, her grateful smile lighting up the room. This small act echoed today's Gospel, where only one of ten healed lepers returns to thank Jesus, prompting His words, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you" (Luke 17:19).



The Catechism teaches, "Jesus' compassion for the sick and his many healings... are a sign of the kingdom of God" (CCC 1504), revealing God's mercy. That smile felt like a lesson.

I recall my own ingratitude, taking blessings for granted, only to learn thanksgiving deepens faith. The Catechism adds, "Thanksgiving characterizes the prayer of the Church" (CCC 2637), a duty the leper fulfilled. The other nine's silence once mirrored my heart, but that scarf moment shifted me—gratitude transforms us. Jesus' question, "Where are the other nine?" (Luke 17:17), lingers as a call to return.

In our busy lives, let us pause to give thanks. May prayer and gratitude shape us, turning our hearts toward God's healing love.

~Fr. Ronald Rolheiser, OMI

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Who: Youth 6th – 12th Grade Overnight Retreat

When: Saturday November 1 – Sunday November 2

Where: St Mary Coupeville

Fee: \$20 per child (Transportation provided)

The Search Begins is designed to enkindle meaningful discussions with teens searching for answers: What is the meaning of my life? Why am I here? Who am I? Is God real?

It emphasizes why a teen should care to ask life's tough questions and, ultimately, seek an answer to this most important question: Who is Jesus Christ, and how do I respond to his invitation?

Featured topics: *What Do I Seek? What's Our Story? Am I Saved? Why a Church? What is Heaven, Hell & Purgatory?*

Questions or concerns: contact: Mary or Rowena

adultff@staugustineoh.org 360.215.3049

rharless@staugustineoh.org 360.215.3052

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN PERMISSION SLIP

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Full name: _____
Age: _____ Grade/School: _____ Home phone #: _____
Street Address: _____
City/State/ZIP: _____
Parent/Guardian name(s) (please print): _____

PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION

Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

Your son/daughter/individual under your guardianship is eligible to participate in an activity that requires transportation away from the parish site.

This activity will take place under the guidance and direction of parish/school staff from St. Augustine
Name of parish/school

DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY

Event: The Search Begins – overnight retreat
Location: St Mary Coupeville
Person in charge: Mary Waters & Rowena Harless
Date of event: 11/01/2025 Time of departure from St Augustine: 10:00am
Date of return: 11/02/2025 Time of arrival: 1:00pm
Mode of transportation to/from event: Bus

Pictures: I give permission for my child to have his/her picture in the bulletin website/Facebook

PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU ARE ALLOWING YOUR CHILD TO HAVE THEIR PICTURES POSTED.

Yes ☐ No ☐

If you desire your son/daughter/individual under your guardianship, to participate in this parish event, **please complete, sign and return the following statement of consent and release of liability by _____**

I hereby consent to participation by _____, my son/daughter/individual under my guardianship, in the event described above. I fully understand that this event will take place away from the parish grounds and that my child will be under the supervision of the designated staff and/or volunteers on the stated dates. I understand that such an undertaking involves an element of risk. I assume all risks and hazards incidental to such participation and do hereby release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Corporation of the Catholic Archbishop of Seattle, staff, volunteers, and drivers from any and all liability that may arise out of participation in this activity. I also give consent for emergency medical treatment if necessary. I do request that, if possible, I be contacted prior to treatment. As parent/legal guardian, I remain fully responsible for any legal responsibility which may result from any personal actions taken by the named participant. Finally, my child and I have read and understand fully the attached Code of Behavior for Youth Participants in Events and Activities sponsored by the Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle.

I consent further to the conditions stated above, including the method of transportation.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Telephone #: Day: _____ Night: _____

Alternate Emergency Contact: _____

Telephone #: Day: _____ Night: _____

Allergies or Medical Concerns: _____

Medical Insurance Company: _____ Policy #: _____

Doctor's name: _____ Doctor's Phone #: _____