

St. Augustine R. C. Parish

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2023



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Santo Niño de Cebú

"Creating A Community Of Involvement And Evangelization"

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St. Augustine parish is an open, diverse, and active Roman Catholic community rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and founded in the Augustinian Tradition. We invite all to participate in our worship, service to others, and our faith development. These endeavors allow us to grow in the knowledge of God present in ourselves and each other.

Our community joyfully welcomes all who are searching for a spiritual center to call home.

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Office Hours:

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Monday to Friday

Mass Schedule:

Monday - Friday: 12:05 PM (LiveStreamed)
(10:00 AM on Legal Holidays)

Saturday Vigil — *Suspended Indefinitely*

Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM
(All Masses are LiveStreamed
on masslivestream.com)

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Weekly Parish Rosary via Zoom—8:00 PM on Tuesday
Meeting ID: 854-1235-0301 PW: 150408

Weekly Scripture Study via Zoom—7:00 PM on Thursday
Meeting ID: 832-4986-0935 PW: 025786

February 10 - 12, 2023

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Print Out of 2022 Church Contributions



As the season of tax return preparation approaches, many people who itemize on their tax returns like to have a printed copy of their yearly church contributions. This report is available to all parishioners who request a printed copy. Simply call Jacob Marquart, OFS, in the Friary Parish Office, Monday to Friday from 9:15 AM to 5:00 PM and request a copy to be mailed to you. **If you received a copy last year, you will automatically receive one this year, so you don't need to do anything.**

Sacrificial Giving

December 18, 2022

Number of Envelopes Used: **28**
 Amount in Envelopes: **\$1,248.00**
 Average \$/Envelope: **\$44.57**
 Electronic Giving: **40**
 Amount Electronic: **\$1,315.00**
 Average \$/Electronic: **\$32.88**
 Loose Money: **\$416.00**
 Total Collection: **\$2,979.00**



Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.

Matthew 4:23

CHRISTMAS OFFERING

December 25, 2022

Number of Envelopes Used: **53**
 Amount in Envelopes: **\$6,272.50**
 Average \$/Envelope: **\$118.35**
 Electronic Giving: **44**
 Amount Electronic: **\$4,310.00**
 Average \$/Electronic: **\$97.95**
 Loose Money: **\$1,442.00**
 Total Collection: **\$12,024.50**

Sacrificial Giving January 1, 2023

Number of Envelopes Used: **28**
 Amount in Envelopes: **\$1,545.00**
 Average \$/Envelope: **\$55.18**
 Electronic Giving: **39**
 Amount Electronic: **\$1,445.00**
 Average \$/Electronic: **\$37.05**
 Loose Money: **\$625.00**
 Total Collection: **\$3,615.00**

Sacrificial Giving January 8 2023

Number of Envelopes Used: **29**
 Amount in Envelopes: **\$1,491.00**
 Average \$/Envelope: **\$51.45**
 Electronic Giving: **43**
 Amount Electronic: **\$1,485.00**
 Average \$/Electronic: **\$34.53**
 Loose Money: **\$700.00**
 Total Collection: **\$3,676.00**



Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 22, 2023

9:00 AM † Joseph M. Radziewicz
 11:00 AM Betty Roxas-Chua (Intention)
 7:00 PM The Parish Community

Monday, January 23, 2023

12:05 PM † Mary O'Brien Waters

Tuesday, January 24, 2023

12:05 PM † Bill & Mae Reithmeyer

Wednesday, January 25, 2023

12:05 PM † Jacob & Margaret Marquart

Thursday, January 26, 2023

12:05 PM † Eleanor Leneghan Dempsey

Friday, January 27, 2023

12:05 PM

Saturday, January 28, 2023

† = Deceased



Capital Campaign News

Goal: \$750,000 (Phase 1) To date:
 Pledges: **214** Percentage: **106.3770%**
 Amount Pledged: **\$797,827.68**
 Pledges Received: **\$740,817.68**
 In-Kind Gifts Received: **\$10,437.71**
 Campaign Total Rec'd: **\$751,255.39**

Sacrificial Giving January 15, 2023

Number of Envelopes Used: **40**
 Amount in Envelopes: **\$8,164.00**
 Average \$/Envelope: **\$204.12**
 Electronic Giving: **38**
 Amount Electronic: **\$1,205.00**
 Average \$/Electronic: **\$31.71**
 Loose Money: **\$727.00**
 Total Collection: **\$10,096.00**

Electronic Giving

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The Bulletin Board

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Sunday, January 22, 2023

Monday, January 23, 2023

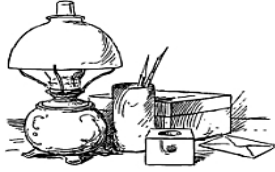
Tuesday, January 24, 2023
 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB
 8:00 PM Parish Rosary—Zoom

Wednesday, January 25, 2023
 7:00 PM Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday, January 26, 2023
 7:00 PM Parish Scripture Study—Zoom
 7:00 PM S.A. Meeting in CHB

Friday, January 27, 2023

Saturday, January 28, 2023
 10:00 AM DMI Survey Mtg. (In Person)
 4:30 PM Wenger-Slenker Wedding



A word from Fr. Bill...

Dear Parishioners:

By now, I hope you have noticed the new walkway between Carr Hall and the church building. This is the culmination of a project which started about five years ago when repairs were made to the underground tunnel that connects Carr Hall to the church. After those repairs were made, there were complications (some legal) about completing the work. You know that for some time now, the actual door going into Carr Hall could not be used. Even though we have been using the other entrance, it is not attractive, convenient and it was not handicap accessible.

I think we are going to name this area “The Tim Babbage Alleyway.” Tim designed the project. Tim was in communication with an architect, and made the arrangements with the contractor. He facilitated the approval of the Philadelphia Historic Commission and was present each of the 4 days of the actual work. He made sure it is in compliance with the American Disability Acts (ADA Compliance). As the one who oversees our finances, Tim also wrote the checks from parish funds for \$38,400. From your contributions, this money gradually had been set aside for this work. I also am grateful to Gerry Rigby who helped iron out some of the legal concerns. This was central to moving on with the project.

I truly believe that being able to gather socially as a community is essential to being a faith community. I very much missed this for several years during the height of the pandemic. It is important not to just see each other at Mass, but it adds a great deal to be able to share “fellowship” which each other. This is not new to the parish as before I came to St. Augustine Parish, coffee and donuts were available after the 9:00 AM Mass and a meal was available after the 11:00 AM Mass. We are now in a good rhythm of having socials after the 7:00 PM Mass. Of course, Carr Hall is used for other things as well. We are very happy to make it available for local community meetings. At times, outside groups rent it. For all of this, it is important that it has a good appearance and that it is handicap accessible.

We are now in the process of purchasing hand rails. This should be a reality in the near future. After that, we will begin to save money to procure a new door.

Please take a stroll down the “Tim Babbage Alleyway” and join us after Mass to mingle with each other.

Have a great week.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Fr. Bill".

Fr. Bill



Join Archbishop Pérez in his mission to create a culture of missionary disciples in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia! Subscribe to receive a weekly text from the Archbishop with one action step you can take that week to deepen your friendship with Jesus or grow in your mission to bring Jesus to others. The Archbishop will send you the first text on Ash Wednesday, February 22, 2023 and continue weekly for one year. Here are examples of texts the Archbishop will send you:

To help you deepen your discipleship: "This week, while in your car, turn off your radio 5 minutes early and spend that time in silence talking to God"

To help you grow in mission: "This week, make a list of people in your life who don't yet know God's love and pray for them by name each day this week."

To Subscribe:

Use your phone to text the words ***goforth*** to the number **84576**

To receive the Archbishop's text messages in Spanish, visit phillydisciples.org/vayanpues

Texts begin **Ash Wednesday, February 22, 2023** and will be sent weekly for one year.

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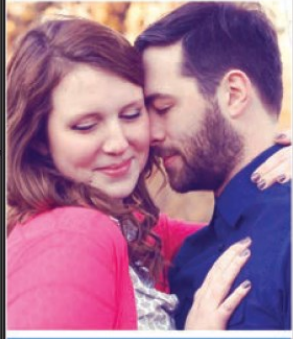
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