

# St. Augustine R. C. Parish

## 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### October 22, 2023



National Shrine of  
Santo Niño de Cebú

*"Creating A Community Of Involvement And Evangelization"*

**Served by the Augustinian Friars since 1796**

*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.*

243 North Lawrence Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19106  
(GPS Address: 250 N. 4th Street)



Phone: 215-627-1838 FAX: 215-627-3911

Website: [www.st-augustinechurch.com](http://www.st-augustinechurch.com)

#### 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](http://masslivestream.com))

#### Parish Staff:

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**Rev. James Paradis, O.S.A.,** *Prior*

**Rev. Richard O'Leary, O.S.A.**

### Sacramental Celebrations

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on a regular basis, except during Lent. It is usually celebrated within Mass. Arrangements must be made in advance. The parents of the child to be baptized meet personally ahead of time with the priest celebrating the sacrament. Contact the parish office for further information.

#### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Weddings are arranged by appointment at least eight months in advance of the desired wedding date. Contact the parish office for more information.

#### **Ministry to the Sick & Sacrament of the Sick**

If anyone in your family is seriously ill, preparing for surgery, or in a nursing home and they would like a visit from the pastor, please call the parish office.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

After Sunday Masses or  
Anytime by appointment.

#### **Parish Registration**

Please call the parish office or visit the parish website for a registration form or more information. Forms are also available in the back of the Church.

#### **Parish Committees**

The Parish Council and Finance Council Committees assist the staff in serving the parish. Please contact the parish office or see Fr. Bill for information about serving on these various committees.

#### **Novena to the Santo Niño**

Each Sunday, after the 11:00 AM Mass there is a novena in honor of the Santo Niño.

**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



## 2024 Mass Book OPENED

On Monday, October 16th, the **2024 Mass Book** was opened to schedule Masses.

**Mario Lanza Concert Series presents: Kaitlyn Tierney, Mezzo Soprano Friday November 3rd, 7 PM**  
Location: **St. Paul Church**. \$10 presale, \$20 at the door

The Mario Lanza Concert Series kicks off its 2023-24 Season with Opera Philadelphia's Kaitlyn Tierney, Mezzo Soprano. Also featuring Justin Gonzalez, Tenor and Brooklyn Evangelista, piano. Tierney and Gonzalez will perform fan favorites ranging from opera classics to jazz standards to Broadway hits.

To purchase tickets, please call 215-923-0355 or go online to <https://kaitlyntierney.eventbrite.com>

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1ST • 7:30 PM**

#### *A Concert to Celebrate the Season*

The Chamber Choir and the Filipino Choir will host their annual pre-Christmas Concert to begin the Advent Season! This St. Augustine's annual tradition is not to be missed!



Bring a friend if you like sharing joy!

FREE Admission! (*Free will offering*)

**Shine like lights in the world  
as you hold on to the word of life.**

*Phil 2:15d, 16a*



**CatholicPhilly.com** is updated every day with local Catholic news from the Philadelphia region.



### Mass Intentions

**Sunday, October 22, 2023**

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 AM † Dennis Klukiewski, Sr.  
11:00 AM † Ricardo Galiste, Jr.  
7:00 PM † Howard Manning

**Monday, October 23, 2023**

12:05 PM † Corrine Berg

**Tuesday, October 24, 2023**

12:05 PM † Charles E. Flanagan, Sr.

**Wednesday, October 25, 2023**

12:05 PM † Jacob & Margaret Marquart

**Thursday, October 26, 2023**

12:05 PM † Cadida Runes

**Friday, October 27, 2023**

12:05 PM The Parish Community

**Saturday, October 28, 2023**  
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† = Deceased



### Capital Campaign News

**Goal: \$750,000 (Phase 1) To date:**

**Pledges: 221 Percentage: 116.1292%**

**Amount Pledged: \$870,968.68**

**Pledges Received: \$815,258.68**

**In-Kind Gifts Received: \$10,437.71**

**Campaign Total Rec'd: \$825,696.39**

### Sacrificial Giving October 15, 2023

**Number of Envelopes Used: 27**

**Amount in Envelopes: \$2,307.00**

**Average \$/Envelope: \$85.44**

**Electronic Giving: 44**

**Amount Electronic: \$1,323.00**

**Average \$/Electronic: \$30.07**

**Loose Money: \$553.00**

**Total Collection: \$4,183.00**

### Electronic Giving

Just log on to our website,  
[www.st-augustinechurch.com](http://www.st-augustinechurch.com)  
and click on:  
**"Sign Up For Electronic Giving"**



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**Sunday, October 22, 2023**

8:00 PM Theology On Tap

**Monday, October 23, 2023**  
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**Tuesday, October 24, 2023**

7:00 PM Gift of Life Meeting—Zoom

7:00 PM Sexaholics Anonymous (SA)

8:00 PM Weekly Parish Rosary—Zoom

**Wednesday, October 25, 2023**

7:00 PM Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

**Thursday, October 26, 2023**

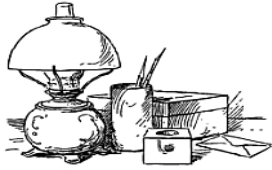
6:00—7:30 PM Choir Practice

7:00 PM Parish Scripture Study—Zoom

7:00 PM Sexaholics Anonymous (SA)

**Friday, October 27, 2023**  
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## *A word from Fr. Bill...*

Dear Parishioners:

In September, 2016, a number of us from St. Augustine Parish made a pilgrimage to Paris and Rome. It certainly was a memorable trip. One of the highlights was being part of a general audience with the Pope. I thought Lita was going to ask the Pope to buy some raffle tickets which we were selling in conjunction with our parish's 220th Anniversary.

Well, another pilgrimage is underway. A 10-day trip is scheduled to Italy from May 23 to June 1. We are going to follow "The Footsteps of St. Augustine." We will spend the first 5 days in Rome visiting the places where Augustine entered and left the city, where he taught rhetoric, where Monica died, where Monica's remains are, our Augustinian International House, the Vatican Museum, the Sistine Chapel where Michelangelo's frescoes are (we will see if they are nicer than ours), St. Peter's Square where hopefully we will participate in a public audience with Pope Francis. We will travel to Pavia and visit the final resting place of Augustine and then onto Milan and visit the baptistery where Augustine was baptized by St. Ambrose. While there we will renew our baptismal promises. There are a number of other places we will visit, among which are several Basilicas in Rome, the Amphitheater, and the tomb of St. Charles Borromeo. There are a number of opportunities for "down time", shopping, etc. The price includes our air fare, transportation while in Italy, staying in 3 hotels all of which are 4-star hotels, breakfasts and dinners. We will have opportunities to celebrate Mass together on most days. Please see the flyer enclosed within this bulletin for more specific details. Save it at home and share it with others on your social media, Facebook, etc. You also will find it on our parish website. If you have any questions or need clarification for anything, please be in touch with me.

I remind you that after the 7 PM Mass this Sunday we will have a Theology on Top where we will learn from Sr. Meaghan Patterson, a Sister of St. Joseph from Chestnut Hill, about Dawn's Place which is a residence for women who have been exploited sexually as well as for others who were victims of sex trafficking. Ann Marie Jones, will share her experiences before being a resident at Dawn Place, being a resident there, and now a staff member, Residential Coordinator. This is an opportunity to be educated about a major problem in our society and clarify some common misconceptions.

As we have announced there will be a retreat day for young adults on Saturday, November 4th. This is an opportunity for young adults to share their faith with each other, share thoughts on how the Church has been helpful to them as well as how we as a parish can respond to their needs. Please share this opportunity with young adults you know. One does not have to be a parishioner to participate. Please see the enclosed flyer for more information.

Have a great week.

Fr. Bill

# *Young Adult Retreat Gathering*

Ages 21 - 35  
Single, Married, Discerning

## Conversation and Prayer *SHARING YOUR EXPERIENCES* of Faith, Church and Life

Sign up with Bill Castro  
Email: [billcastro123@gmail.com](mailto:billcastro123@gmail.com)

*Bring a friend!*

CARR HALL  
St. Augustine Parish  
250 North Fourth Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19106

Saturday,  
**November 4, 2023**  
10:00 am - 3:00 pm  
Lunch provided

# Theology on Tap

## Confronting the Myths of:

Sex Trafficking

Prostitution

Commercial Sexual Exploitation

Sunday, October 22

[www.st-augustinechurch.com](http://www.st-augustinechurch.com)

**Sister Meaghan Patterson, SSJ,**  
*Executive Director*

**Ann Marie Jones,**  
*Residential Coordinator, Dawn's Place*

**Presentation after the 7:00 PM Mass in  
The Rev. Matthew Carr, OSA Hall  
250 North 4th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106**



stop trafficking. support survivors.

[ahomefordawn.org](http://ahomefordawn.org)



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OFFICE of the ARCHBISHOP

October, 2023

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On October 22, we will join Catholics worldwide to observe World Mission Sunday by celebrating the love of the Lord and help bring the Good news to all corners of the Earth.

Inspired by the story of the disciples on the way to Emmaus, Pope Francis chose this year's theme: *"Hearts on fire, feet on the move."* He invites us to reflect on these images, *"their hearts burned within them* as they heard the Scriptures explained by Jesus, *their eyes were opened* as they recognized him and, ultimately, *their feet set out on the way."* As Missionary disciples, we seek inspiration in the Scriptures. We also look to the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist as the source and summit of the Church's Mission so we can evangelize with zeal and urgency.

As we celebrate World Mission Sunday, we call to mind a Missionary disciple whose heart burned with the Gospel, Blessed Pauline Jaricot, foundress of the Pontifical Mission Societies. She recognized that all are called to participate in the Missionary work of the Church through spiritual and material offerings. Her vision led to World Mission Sunday, which helps the Pope support Missionary activity.

The World Mission Sunday collection assists the Holy Father in proclaiming the Gospel and celebrating the Sacraments in over 1,111 Mission dioceses and areas that are young and in need of resources. Your gifts help build and operate schools and orphanages, construct churches, train catechists and educate Mission seminarians and Religious men and women.

I urge you to keep your hearts aflame and your feet moving this World Mission Sunday and every day. Working together with that spirit, we can bring everyone to recognize Jesus in the Word and the Eucharist. Your prayers are invaluable, and your financial support provides life-giving aid to our brothers and sisters around the world.

Sincerely in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nelson J. Pérez".

Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez, D.D.  
Archbishop of Philadelphia



*May weapons be silenced, let us heed the cry for peace (Pope Francis)!*

## **Worldwide Day of Fasting and Prayer for Peace Friday, October 27, 2023**

At the General Audience in Saint Peter's Square on Wednesday, October 18, 2023, Pope Francis called for a *day of fasting and prayer, a day of penance* for the intention of peace in the world, especially in Israel and Palestine. The Holy Father reminds us that "so many war fronts are already open in the world." So, our prayer for peace includes every part of the world as well, including Ukraine.

**Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul  
18<sup>th</sup> Street and the Benjamin Franklin Parkway  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**

**11:30 AM in the Basilica  
Holy Rosary**

*Let us turn to Our Lady, Queen of Peace, for her heavenly help to bring peace to the world.*


**12:05 PM in the Basilica  
Holy Mass for the Preservation of Peace and Justice**

**Archbishop Nelson J. Perez  
Archbishop of Philadelphia  
Celebrant and Homilist**

**Archbishop Borys Gudziak  
Metropolitan-Archbishop of the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia  
Concelebrant**

**All are welcome!**

Archbishop Perez exhorts the clergy and the lay faithful throughout the Archdiocese to observe this Day of Fasting and Prayer for Peace. All parishes, religious communities and institutions throughout the Archdiocese are asked to announce this Day of Fasting and Prayer for Peace beginning this Sunday, October 22, 2023, with local plans for its observance, especially with the praying of the Holy Rosary and the celebration of Holy Mass.



\$50 Early Booking  
Discount if Reserved  
by  
November 14, 2023

# Father Bill Waters, O.S.A

## Footsteps of St. Augustine Pilgrimage

May 23 - June 1, 2024 - 10 Days

\$5,849 from Philadelphia or \$5,999 from Boston

For Information Contact Rev. Bill Waters, O.S.A., St. Augustin Parish, Telephone: 215-627-1838 x110 or by email to [pastorstaugustine@gmail.com](mailto:pastorstaugustine@gmail.com) - For Reservations please contact Unitours, Inc., at 1-800-777-7432

**Thursday, May 23 - DAY 1 – DEPART USA** – Today, we depart Philadelphia or Boston on our overnight flight to Rome aboard a wide-bodied jet. We enjoy in-flight movies, dinner, and breakfast while aloft.

**Friday, May 24 - DAY 2 - ROME** – Following our arrival in Rome, we are greeted at the airport by our Unitours Tour Manager and board our coach bus for our ride through Rome to our hotel. We stop to enjoy lunch on our own en-route to our hotel. Pending availability of our accommodations, we have time to relax and re-energize before we enjoy our “welcome dinner” celebrating the start of our pilgrimage in honor of our patron Saint, Augustine. Depending on our final schedule there may be time to celebrate Mass before dinner at a local church near our hotel. Overnight at our 4-star hotel, Cicerone in Rome.

**Saturday, May 25 - DAY 3 - ROME** – This morning, we visit the *Basilica di Sant’Agostino*, an Augustinian parish where the tomb of St. Monica is located. While there we celebrate Mass. Following our visit, we depart for the famous *Piazza Navona*, originally known as the Stadium of Domitian, and then, Circus Agonalis, before it eventually retained the name it is known by today. Under Pope Innocent X, this Roman piazza was transformed by the construction of various statues, elaborate fountains, and numerous church buildings. The now famous Bernini masterpiece “*The Fountain of Four Rivers*” has been featured in numerous movies, including “Angels &

Demons”. *The Church of Sant’Agnese in Argone* is located nearby and houses some of the most magnificent Catholic artwork outside the Vatican! Following a break for lunch on our own at one of the many trattoria’s that dot the area, we enjoy the remainder of the afternoon before returning to our 4-star hotel, Cicerone for dinner and overnight.

**Sunday, May 26 - DAY 4 - ROME/ OSTIA** – Today, we enjoy a very short drive to the nearby port of Ostia Antica, an ancient Roman seaport that now lies over 2 miles inland because of silt deposited over the many centuries at the mouth of the famed Tiber River. It was in this port that St. Augustine arrived after leaving North Africa in 382AD. It was also here that St. Monica would later fall ill and die in 387AD, at the age of 55. Shortly after her death, St. Augustine left for North Africa from this same port. Following our visit, we break for lunch on our own as we return to Rome, the city where Augustine taught rhetoric (public speaking) before eventually journeying to Milan where he would meet St. Ambrose. We stop at the Basilica of St. Mary Major, one of the four major basilicas in Rome! Our visit is followed by a walking tour of the Roman Forum, the Arch of Constantine, the Flavian Amphitheater the “Coliseum”, and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. We conclude our day at the Church of St. Peter in Chains to view Michelangelo's possibly most celebrated sculpture, the “Moses.” Time permitting, we celebrate Mass here before returning to our 4-star hotel, Cicerone for dinner and overnight.

“Have questions about this pilgrimage? Ask us! Go to [www.Unitours.com/questions](http://www.Unitours.com/questions).”

To book online go to  
<https://bit.ly/WatersItaly>





**Monday, May 27 - Memorial Day – USA- DAY 5 – ROME/VATICAN CITY**

This morning, we visit Vatican City, where we view the treasures of the famous Vatican Museum. We marvel at Michelangelo's restored frescoes in the Sistine Chapel and the wonders of St. Peter's Basilica. We visit Sant'Anna Parish, the parish of Vatican City, staffed by the Augustinian Friars. This afternoon, following lunch on our own, we continue our day with a visit to the *Holy Stairs* and Basilica of St. John Lateran. We then proceed to our next stop, St. Paul Outside the Walls. This huge, imposing Basilica, second in size only to St. Peter's and one of the largest churches in the Christian world, contains an unusual gallery of papal portraits: 265 tablets portraying the popes of the past. We conclude our day at the Callistus Catacombs, the early burial places of 2nd and 3rd century Christians. While here, we celebrate Mass and view the unique fresco paintings. We return to our 4-star hotel in Rome, Cicerone in time for dinner and overnight.

**Tuesday, May 28 - DAY 6 – ROME/ OPEN DAY-** Today, we visit St. Monica's, the International Headquarters of the Augustinian Order for an informal tour. While there we celebrate Mass. Following lunch on our own, the remainder of the day is free for shopping, relaxation, or personal adventure. This evening, we explore the culinary delights of Rome, as tonight's dinner is on our own. Overnight at our 4-star hotel Cicerone in Rome.

**Wednesday, May 29 - DAY 7 - ROME/VATICAN CITY/BOLOGNA** This morning, we again make our way to St. Peter's for a public audience with Pope Francis (pending whether he is in residence). After the audience, we immediately journey north to Bologna, stopping for lunch on our own and a break along our beautiful scenic drive through central Italy, a route dotted with vineyards and olive orchards! We arrive

in time for dinner and overnight at our 4-star hotel, UnaBologna San Vitale.

**Thursday, May 30 - Corpus Christi - DAY 8 – BOLOGNA/ PAVIA/MILAN –** Today, we travel to Pavia and the *Basilica of San Pietro Ciel d' Oro*, the final resting place of St. Augustine and celebrate Mass while there. Following a stop for lunch on our own, we continue to Milan, where we visit the place where St. Ambrose, baptized St. Augustine as a Catholic! While here we will renew our baptismal vows before heading to our hotel to relax. Dinner is on our own at one of Milan's notable restaurants. Overnight at our hotel in our 4-star hotel, NH Milano Touring in Milan.

**Friday, May 31 – Visitation - DAY 9 – MILAN –** This morning, our first stop is the Duomo di Milano, one of the largest cathedrals in Italy and a gem of gothic architecture and magnificent stained-glass windows. We then visit the tomb of St. Charles Borromeo, the first Archbishop of Milan and the "*Patron Saint of Seminarians*". Following Mass, we visit a hidden gem in Milan, the Church of St. Mary of the Fountain. Built in the early 16th century by the governor of Milan, Charles II d'Amboise. He had the church built to honor Mother Mary for a miraculous healing he received from the adjacent spring, which was incorporated into the design of the church. Though the exterior is rather nondescript, the interior is quite impressive. Following a break for lunch on our own we enjoy our last day in Milan and have this afternoon to relax, shop or sightsee. Tonight, we celebrate our farewell dinner and overnight at our 4-star hotel NH Milano Touring in Milan.

**Saturday, June 1 - DAY 10 - MILAN/RETURN TO U.S. –** Today, we make our way home with memories of a lifetime, cherishing the opportunity to walk in the footsteps of St. Augustine!

**\$50 Early  
Booking  
Discount if  
Reserved by  
Nov. 14, 2023**

## Father Bill Waters, O.S.A - Footsteps of St. Augustine Pilgrimage

Mail to: Unitours, Inc., 10 Midland Ave., Ste 202, Port Chester, NY 10573

Please reserve \_\_\_ seats on this Footsteps of St. Augustine Pilgrimage - May 23 - June 1, 2024

Enclosed please find deposit of \$500 per person (Payable to Unitours, Inc.)

PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT (Passport MUST be valid until December 01, 2024, or later.)

Name(s) as appears on passport

My Roommate:

Address:

City, State & Zip

Telephone:

Day Evening

Email address:

\_\_\_ Please assign a roommate (if available)

\_\_\_ I prefer a single room - \$932 supplement and limit in number.

**Apply \$50 if booked by July 12, 2023**

**To purchase optional travel insurance, please see [www.Unitours.com/travelInsurance](http://www.Unitours.com/travelInsurance), to cover preexisting conditions, coverage must be purchased within 21 days of this reservation.**

Charge my deposit to \_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_ Amex \_\_\_ Discover

Card #

Exp. Date

I understand that certain charges such as air taxes, fuel surcharges and rates of exchange can affect the final cost, and I agree to pay such costs should adjustments be necessary.

Signature

**TOTAL TOUR PRICE:** The tour price is based on airfare, cruise, land rates and rates of exchange in effect September 29, 2023. All rates are subject to change without prior notice. Should the rates go up or down, an adjustment would be made prior to departure. Refunds CANNOT be granted for any accommodations, services or events that are not used nor if you deviate from the tour. If fewer than 25 pilgrims participate a price adjustment may be necessary.

**PASSPORT AND VISA REQUIREMENTS:** A valid passport is required. At the time of printing, U.S. citizens holding valid passports DO NOT REQUIRE visas or immunization for the country or countries being visited. Passport MUST be valid until December 01, 2024, or later. Citizens of countries other than U.S. - please contact the consulate of the country or countries being visited to determine visa requirements.

**AIR TRANSPORTATION:** International flight reservations are being held on American and United Airlines. No stopovers are permitted. Any changes after ticket is issued carries a mandatory charge of \$200. Once the tickets are issued, they are NON-REFUNDABLE. Additional non-recoverable airline penalties of up to \$200 may be assessed for cancellations received within 90 days of departure.

**DOMESTIC AIRFARE:** For those who make domestic air arrangements to the originating city of this tour, your tour host and Unitours strongly recommend the purchase of tickets that can be changed without heavy fees and penalties as international flight schedules are always subject to change.

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:** Specially selected hotels based on twin occupancy with private bath. Single Room supplement of \$932 will be charged where requested and available. If you do not have a roommate and Unitours is unable to arrange one, you will be billed for the single room supplement. All singles are subject to availability.

**MEALS:** Breakfast and Table D' Hote dinners are provided daily except where noted in the itinerary. An extra charge will be made when coffee, tea or other beverages are not included in the menu of the day with the dinner meal.

**TIPS AND TAXES:** Tips and taxes normally appearing on hotel and restaurant bills as service are included, as are all government and local taxes on hotels and meals, portage of one suitcase per person. International departure taxes of \$110 plus current fuel surcharges of \$409 are included (subject to change). TIPS TO TOUR

MANAGER/GUIDES, DRIVERS OR DINING ROOMS STAFF OF \$96 ARE NOT INCLUDED. One average sized suitcase not exceeding 50 lbs total weight and 62 linear inches (height plus width plus depth) is permitted throughout the trip.

**NOT INCLUDED:** Expenses and items not specifically mentioned in this brochure are NOT covered, including but not limited to: passport and visa fees, meals not listed and items of a personal nature such as laundry, wines, liquors, mineral waters, after dinner coffee or tea, sightseeing or services other than those specifically mentioned, tips and taxes mentioned above, excess baggage and insurance, etc.

**DEPOSITS AND CANCELLATIONS:** A deposit of \$500 is required to secure reservations. Any balance is to be paid in full no later than 60 days before departure of tour. Final payments received at Unitours after 45 days before departure must include a \$25 late payment fee. (This does not apply for new reservations made after 45 days of departure.) Reservations made within 60 days of departure must include full payment. Amex, Discover, Visa and MasterCard are accepted with signed reservation form. Final payments will be applied to same credit card on final payment due date. Cancellations made from time of reservation to within 61 days prior to

departure - - \$400 processing charge plus any air penalties noted above. In the event of a cancellation from 60 to 8 days of departure - - \$400 processing charge plus up to 50% of the land cost, plus any air penalties noted above. There can be no refund for any services for cancellations received within 7 days of departure. All cancellation and refund claims must be in writing to Unitours, Inc.

**BANK FEE:** A fee of \$50 will be charged for any check that is returned to us for insufficient or unavailable funds.

**DEVIATIONS:** A service charge of \$50 pp will be applied for any deviations made in tour, (where possible), PLUS any additional air or land charges incurred.

**TRAVEL INSURANCE:** Optional Travel Insurance is strongly recommended for your trip. See [www.Unitours.com/travelInsurance](http://www.Unitours.com/travelInsurance) for full details and to purchase coverage. To cover preexisting conditions, insurance must be purchased within 21 days of Unitours' receipt of your reservation.

**LAND ARRANGEMENTS:** The tour operator reserves the right to change the itinerary due to unforeseen emergencies.

**RESPONSIBILITIES:** Unitours, Inc., the organizer, and their representatives act only as agents for the tour members in making arrangements for hotels, transportation, sightseeing, restaurants or any other services in connection with the itinerary. They will exercise reasonable care in making such arrangements, however, they do not assume any liability whatsoever, for any injury, damage, loss, accident or delay to person or property because of any acts of war or terrorism, any act of default of any hotel, carrier, restaurant, company or person rendering any of the services included in the tours. The tickets, coupons, tariffs, rules or contracts currently in use by any carrier, hotel, restaurant or other contractor rendering services shall constitute the sole contract between such contractor and the tour member. Unitours Inc., or the organizer, accept no responsibility for any damage or delay due to sickness, pilferage, labor disputes, machinery breakdown, quarantine, government restraints, weather or any other cause beyond their personal control. No carrier shall be responsible for any act, omission or events during the time passengers are not on board its own conveyance.

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**DISCLAIMER:** Actual hotels may change but will remain 4-star hotels always.





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# Italy



Milan  
Pavia

Bologna

Rome  
Ostia

100 km

**STEP** MAP

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**Welcome to Our Church!**

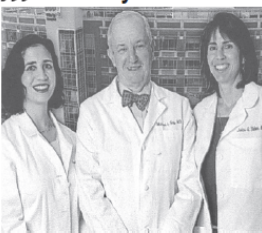


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 Understand your options for this life changing surgery.


You could be a candidate for the new implants that:

- Correct your Astigmatism
- Allow you to see far away and close up

**Wills Physicians and Surgeons**



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