

St. Augustine R. C. Parish

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 3, 2023

"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.



National Shrine of
Santo Niño de Cebú

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Website: 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)

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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

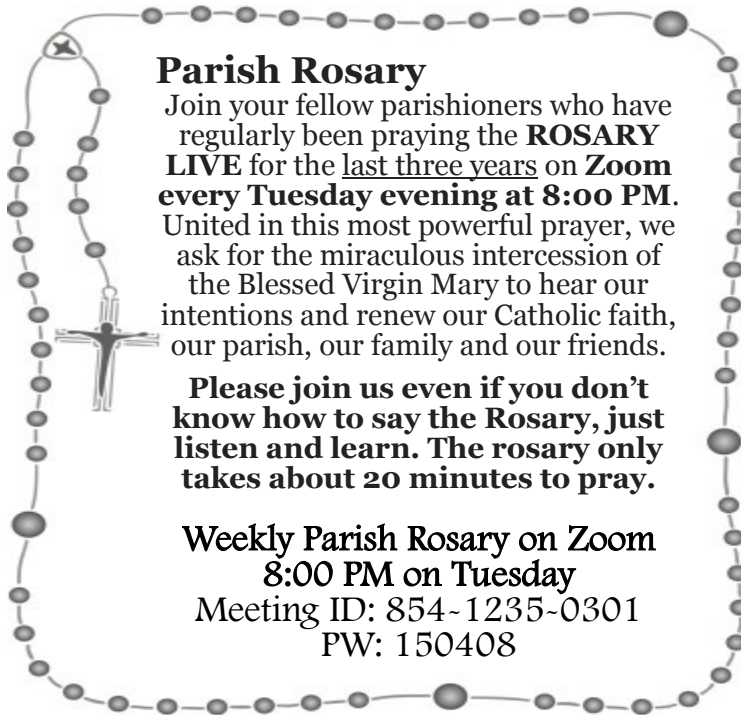
The Parish Council, Filipino Sub-Council, and Finance Committees assist the staff in serving the parish. Please contact the parish office or see Fr. Bill for information about serving on these various committees.

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



Parish Rosary

Join your fellow parishioners who have regularly been praying the **ROSARY LIVE** for the last three years on **Zoom every Tuesday evening at 8:00 PM**. United in this most powerful prayer, we ask for the miraculous intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary to hear our intentions and renew our Catholic faith, our parish, our family and our friends.

Please join us even if you don't know how to say the Rosary, just listen and learn. The rosary only takes about 20 minutes to pray.

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Saturday, September 16th St. Peregrine Day, The Patron Saint of those with Cancer

Free all day event with the purpose of bringing encouragement and spiritual renewal to those with cancer and their loved ones. To find the full day schedule visit: www.resurrectphila.org/CANCER
Location: Resurrection of Our Lord Parish, 2000 Shelmire Avenue, Phila., PA 19152



Monday, September 04, 2023 is Labor Day and Daily Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 AM.

The Parish Office will be CLOSED on Labor Day.

September 2023 to May 2024 Catholic Grandparents Ministry

Grandparents, You have a great influence for evangelizing the family. Please join the Catholic Grandparents Ministry to support other Grandparents and to pray for our children and grandchildren. You can help build a vibrant Grandparents ministry and become equipped to pass on the faith.

Location: Zoom meeting

More info: Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 7PM by zoom. Our next meeting is Tuesday, September 5. If you need more information, want to be added to our email list and get the zoom link, please contact **Lidia Manieri 610-350-7232** OR lidia@mmanieri.com

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call. *Ephesians 1:17-18*



Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 3, 2023
 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM
 11:00 AM † Severino Manguba
 7:00 PM

Monday, September 4, 2023
 LABOR DAY

10:00 AM † Christina Dambach

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

12:05 PM

Wednesday, September 6, 2023

12:05 PM † Rosemarie McGinty

Thursday, September 7, 2023

12:05 PM The Parish Community

Friday, September 8, 2023

12:05 PM

Saturday, September 9, 2023
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† = Deceased



## Capital Campaign News

**Goal: \$750,000 (Phase 1) To date:**  
 Pledges: 221 Percentage: 116.0018%  
 Amount Pledged: \$870,013.68  
 Pledges Received: \$814,153.68  
 In-Kind Gifts Received: \$10,437.71  
 Campaign Total Rec'd: \$824,591.39

## Sacrificial Giving August 27, 2023

Number of Envelopes Used: 22  
 Amount in Envelopes: \$900.00  
 Average \$/Envelope: \$40.91  
 Electronic Giving: 44  
 Amount Electronic: \$1,518.00  
 Average \$/Electronic: \$34.50  
 Loose Money: \$314.00  
 Total Collection: \$2,732.00

## Electronic Giving

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[www.st-augustinechurch.com](http://www.st-augustinechurch.com)  
 and click on:  
 "Sign Up For Electronic Giving"



## The Bulletin Board

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**Sunday, September 3, 2023**  
 4:00 PM Maguire-Kelly Wedding

**Monday, September 4, 2023**  
 LABOR DAY

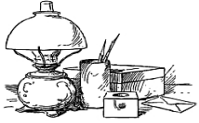
**Tuesday, September 5, 2023**  
 7:00 PM Sexaholics Anonymous (SA)  
 8:00 PM Weekly Parish Rosary—Zoom

**Wednesday, September 6, 2023**  
 7:00 PM 3-5 Year Plan Meeting

**Thursday, September 7, 2023**  
 4:00 PM Macias-O'Donnell Rehearsal  
 7:00 PM Parish Scripture Study—Zoom  
 7:00 PM Sexaholics Anonymous (SA)

**Friday, September 8, 2023**  
 3:30 PM Macias-O'Donnell Wedding

**Saturday, September 9, 2023**  
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A word from Fr. Bill...

Dear Parishioners:

As we celebrate Labor Day this weekend, I think it is appropriate for me and all of us to recognize those on our parish staff who labor for the betterment of our parish community. Some of our parish staff are better known to you than others, but by all of them sharing their talents and energy with us, it helps us to function smoothly as a parish.

Jacob Marquart, O.F.S., is beginning his 10th year with us as Director of Parish Services. He does many things, some of which are more visible than others. He prepares the bulletin each week, answers the phone and door, makes the arrangements for Masses as well as Mass Cards, keeps all the supplies up to date, keeps our parish website current, oversees the paperwork for employees-including payroll, oversees the calendar for use of parish events, keeps the sacramental registers up to date, helps to maintain the "paperwork" for upcoming weddings, plus many other things. Jacob serves on the Parish Finance Commission, Parish Pastoral Council and Steering Committee.

Jean Mangini, is in her 12th year as our parish Wedding Coordinator. Unlike most parishes, we have 50-60 weddings a year. Jean is in constant contact (often over a year or longer) with the couples dealing with the details for the preparation to make sure the celebrations go smoothly. She (or she makes sure a replacement) is at the rehearsals and the weddings themselves. There are many, many details involved in Jean's role and as you can imagine many different personalities to keep informed and to keep calm.

Kim Barroso, has been involved at St. Augustine since 2004 and has served as Music Director for the parish since 2006, going back to Fr. Joe Mostardi's time as pastor. Our parish is very well known for its superb music. This includes planning the music for each week, orchestrating (pun intended) the Filipino choir, the young adult choir, working with the cantors, and a number of Instrumentalists. It especially includes the preparation for special events like the Sinulog, Holy Week Liturgies, and of course one of the parish highlights of the year, our Pre-Christmas Concert. Kim serves on our Parish Pastoral Council.

Tim Babbage, has been with the parish 15 years, going back to Fr. Jim McBurney's time as pastor. He has served the parish in many different capacities. He started cleaning the church and doing general maintenance around the parish. He currently oversees all the finances of the parish, including preparing the yearly parish budget, giving the necessary regular reports to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and Parish Finance Commission, paying the bills, and often making contacts with vendors. He currently works closely with our Parish Maintenance Director. Tim serves on the Parish Finance Commission and Steering Committee.

Adam Klukiewski, our Director of Maintenance, is one of our newest employees in the parish, beginning last December. Adam oversees the maintenance of the entire parish complex, including those to whom we rent. This includes cleaning, painting, electrical work, and plumbing. A very significant amount of Adam's time is being the contact person for the parish with our many vendors which includes getting estimates for projects and setting up timetables for the projects to be completed. Adam serves on the Parish Finance Commission and Steering Committee.

Greg Smith, is our newest employee, having just begun about six weeks ago. Greg has worked for 20 years and continues to work in the Maintenance Department at Villanova. Greg is our housekeeper which means cleaning the friary, the parish offices and the church. He comes in three days a week for four hours each day.

Probably the most important employee is **Nancy Barry-Raymer**. She is our cook. Nancy was here about eight years ago, left for several years, and has been back for several years. Nancy prepares the menus, does the food shopping and then prepares the food for dinner. She comes in two times a week and each time prepares two dinners. We don't starve the other nights.

I am very fortunate to be working with such fine people. I say it often and I mean it sincerely, I could not do any one of their jobs.

As we celebrate Labor Day, may we show our appreciation to those who labor among us on a regular basis and who make our life in the parish community function so smoothly.

Have a great week.

Fr. Bill

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