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St. Augustine Catholic Church

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REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE:

(For Holy Days & Special Masses: see inside of Bulletin.)

Saturday (Anticipatory)

English..... 4:00 pm

Spanish..... 7:00 pm

Sunday

English..... 8:00 am: 10:00 am

Spanish..... 12:00 pm & 2:00 pm

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday 9:00 am

Confessions: **Saturday** 2:30-3:30pm

Monday - Friday 8:30 am

EMERGENCIES:

For sacramental emergencies: please call the Parish Office.

Our Mission

God has called St. Augustine Parish to be a community of followers of Jesus Christ: who form His Body: committed to living out and sharing the Good News of God's faithful love.



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 5, 2021

Masses of the Week

SUNDAY 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00am + Jeremy Dutton & + Bob Fletcher
 10:00am Pro-Populo (for the People)
 12:00pm + Lesly Rodriguez
 2:00pm + Felipa Arroyo, + Andrea Mandujano & + Leonila Almanza

MONDAY WEEKDAY

9:00am + Leo Seiler

TUESDAY WEEKDAY

9:00am + Hugo Reynoso

WEDNESDAY NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9:00am + Doreen Roth

THURSDAY ST. PETER CLAVER

9:00am + Eugene Henderson

FRIDAY WEEKDAY

9:00am + Eugene Henderson

SATURDAY WEEKDAY

4:00pm Pro-Populo (for the People)
 7:00pm + Victor Guerrero

SUNDAY 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00am Anniversary for Brent & Ladene Jahner
 10:00am + Rose Unrein
 12:00pm + Jazlyn Sanchez
 2:00pm + Jesus Nevarez

Schedule of Events

SUNDAY September 5

MONDAY September 6 OFFICE CLOSED

8:30am Confessions (CH)
 6:00pm NO Youth Group
 6:30pm Adult Choir (CH)
 7:00pm Llama del Amor (SCH)

TUESDAY September 7

8:30am Confessions (CH)
 9:30am ESL Classes (SCH)
 10:00am Legion de Maria (PLC)
 5:00pm Family of Faith (PLC)
 6:00pm Pipe Line Rehearsal (SCH)

WEDNESDAY September 8

8:30am Confessions (CH)
 9:00am Classical Conversation (SCH)
 10:00am Legion of Mary (PLC)
 6:00pm Religious Education (SCH & PLC)
 6:00pm RCIA (PLC - Hall)
 7:30pm Coro - Joel (SCH)
 7:00pm Coro - Antonio (CH-B)

THURSDAY September 9

8:30am Confessions (CH)
 6:30pm Youth Choir (PLC)
 6:30pm Coro - Marielos (PLC)

FRIDAY September 10

8:30am Confessions (CH)
 10:00am Estudio de Biblia (SCH)
 5:00pm Coro - Manuel (SCH)
 6:00pm Reunion de Padres (CH)
 6:30pm Grupo de Oración (CH-B)
 7:00pm Encuentro Matrimonio(PLC)

SATURDAY September 11

6:30am That Man Is You (PLC)
 10:00am English Baptism (CH)
 2:30pm Confessions (CH)
 5:00pm Catecismo (SCH & PLC)

Parish office will be **CLOSED** on Monday.



A BIG THANKS to the festival committee members, **ALL** the volunteers and everybody's generous donations to the parish festival. Thanks again to everybody who participated to make this event successful.

Announcements



WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 FUNDRAISER

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Saturday, September 25th

Come join us for some great food and help support World Youth Day!

Dinner
 5:00pm - 9:00pm
 Adults \$10 &
 Children \$5



Buy your tickets in the parish office or after Mass!



DENVER CATHOLIC CATECHETICAL SCHOOL

ST. JOHN VIANNEY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY LAY DIVISION

Lay Division classes begin next week! You can still enroll! Listen to Pope Francis when he says, "A Christian's first task is to listen to the Word of God, to listen to Jesus." Join us to learn how to read the Bible or Catechism from a Catholic perspective. If you're still on the fence about enrolling, attend the first few weeks of class and see for yourself! Pick up a brochure at one of the parish entrances to learn more! You can also call 303-715-3195 or visit www.sjvlaydivision.org for more information and to view student testimonials.



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News

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adorers are needed for these hours,

Monday: Midnight, 1pm, 8pm
Tuesday: Midnight, **7am**, 2pm
Wednesday: Midnight, 1am, 9am, 1pm
Thursday: 1am, 3am, 8am, 10am, 1pm
Friday: 1am, 1pm, 11pm
Saturday: 1am, 3am, 8am, 10am, 2pm, 6pm
Sunday: 1am, 2am, 12 Noon, 1pm, 6pm, 11pm

Your willingness to choose one of these hours (or any other hour) is a precious expression of your faith in Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. To spend one hour a week as a regular adorers, please call:

Karime Raygoza 214 205 0249
 (Bilingual)
 Gil Chavez 720-683-2208

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

The **ENVIRONMENT TEAM** is looking for 3 people to help once a month clean the weekly altar linens. There is about 30 pieces each week the size of hand towels or smaller. The size of one load of laundry after the linens have been properly soaked and cleaned. Training, ironing and care instructions will be provided. Please contact Amanda Mazzuca, 720 987 5542, if you would like to help.

Father Chicas is happy to announce that he will be hosting a **PILGRIMAGE to ITALY in October 2022**. We will visit the tomb of St Augustine, Milan, Assisi, Sienna, and Rome. In Rome we will visit many sites including the Vatican and St Peters Basilica and participate in a Papal Audience. This will be a small group pilgrimage with a maximum of 50 people. If you would like to learn more about this pilgrimage, please contact Mike & Julie Dwyer at mdwyer@staugustinebrighton.org or visit the parish website and to place your name on a list of interested pilgrims.

YOUTH GROUP 9/20/21

All 6th through 12th grade students are welcome to join the youth group on Monday evenings. The next meeting will be on September 20th at 6:00pm in the parish life center and the topic will be community based on the scripture verse Acts 2:42-43. For more information please call Deacon Louis Arambula.

Information

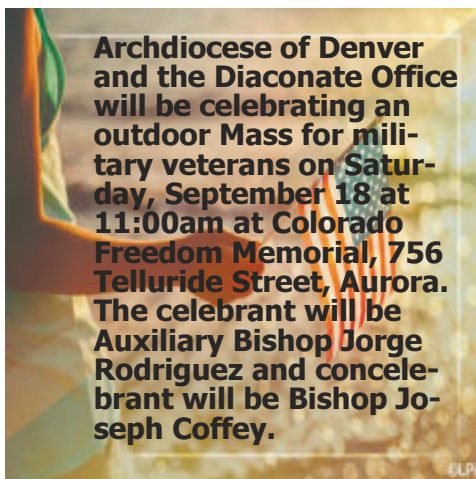
THAT MAN IS YOU is back starting September 11th. Come join us in the Parish Life Center on Saturday mornings starting **September 11th**. We will start at 6:15am and wrap up by 7:30am. This will be our 10th year of TMIY and we are so excited to be able to meet again! It's a great way to start your weekend with a focus on what's important - how we can be men fully alive with focus on our faith and families. **Give it a try!**



OUR LADY OF HUMILITY Mary is our greatest advocate intercessor as she pleads with her Son on our behalf. The **LEGION OF MARY** has been active at St. Augustine since 1970. Join us and the world wide fellowship after Mass every Wednesdays from 9:45-11:00am in the parish life center feel the joy as we evangelize the Good News. We are all for Jesus through Mary. Please call Denise Brownell at 303 637 0970, if you are interested in becoming a member of Mary's ministry to pray the Legion Prayers at home as an auxiliary member.

5TH ANNUAL CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE OF DENVER

The theme of this year's conference is "The Future of Humanity Passes by Way of the Family" from JP II's apostolic exhortation, Familiaris Consortio. The conference will be held at the Assumption of the Virgin Mary Parish on **September 18th**. It will be held both in person with a virtual option available. Tickets are \$50 and for more information please contact Megan at 303 907 9005.



Noticias

LA ADORACION EUCARISTICA PERPETUA

Se necesitan Adoradores para los siguientes días y horas: Su consentimiento para escoger una asignada hora es una expresión preciosa de su fe que Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento es bienvenido: es amado y es adorado por Usted:

lunes: 12 Medianoche, 1pm, 8pm
martes: 12 Medianoche, **7am**, 2pm
miércoles: 12 Medianoche, 1am, 9am, 1 pm
jueves: 1am, 3am, 8am, 10am, 1pm
viernes: 1am, 1 pm, 11pm
sábado: 1am, 3am, 8am, 10am, 2pm, 6pm
domingo: 1am, 2am, 12 mediodía, 1pm, 6pm, 11pm

Para pasar una hora a la semana como adorador habitual, llame a:

María Fontes 720-227-4773
 Martha Vázquez 303-219-7571

CLASE PRE-BAUTISMO La clase se ofrecerá el lunes: **13 de septiembre**, a las 7 de la tarde en el centro parroquial. Requisitos para bautizar: Se pide que padres y padrinos asistan a la clase pre-bautismal. Necesita presentar el acta de nacimiento del niño/a y registrarse para la clase antes del jueves, **9 de septiembre, en la oficina**. Los bautizos se celebran el primer sábado o el tercer sábado de cada mes a las 10 de la mañana. Por favor llame a la oficina para apartar la fecha del bautismo.

El Padre Chicas se complace en anunciar que será el anfitrión de una **PEREGRINACION A ITALIA** en octubre del **2022**. Visitaremos muchos sitios, incluidos el Vaticano y la Basílica de San Pedro, y participaremos en una audiencia del Papa. Esta será una peregrinación en grupos reducidos con un máximo de 50 personas. Si desea obtener mas información sobre esta peregrinación comuníquese con Mike y Julie Dwyer en mdwyer@staugustinebrighton.org o visite el sitio web de la parroquia y coloque su nombre en una lista de peregrinos interesados.



¿Re enamorarte de tu cónyuge? El encuentro matrimonial mundial será el 24, 25 y 26 de septiembre. Para mas información llamar con Ramon y Margarita Martínez al 720 936 7737 o 720 323 8156.

“Debemos esforzarnos en abrir el corazón y la mente, para acoger la realidad divina que viene a nuestro encuentro. Se trata de tener fe: la falta de fe es un obstáculo para la gracia de Dios” (Papa Francisco (8/7/2018). El Profeta Isaías lo proclama así: “Entonces los ojos de los ciegos se despegarán, y los oídos de los sordos se abrirán, los cojos saltarán como cabritos y la lengua de los mudos gritará de alegría” (Isaías 35:5-6). Las tres lecturas de la liturgia de hoy están impregnadas de signos, gestos y palabras que manifiestan la salvación de Dios.

Solo necesitamos fe y creer en el “Effetá”, que quiere decir ábrete. Los débiles, los enfermos y los pobres ocupan un lugar privilegiado en el Reino de Dios. Jesús lo demuestra hoy con el milagro de curar al sordomudo. Todos se admiraban y decían: “Todo lo ha hecho bien; hace oír a los sordos y hablar a los mudos” (Marcos 7:37). Ayúdanos, Señor, a que se nos suelte la lengua para hacer el bien, para decir te quiero, lo siento mucho, para defender a los sin voz. Ayúdanos, Señor, y ábrenos los oídos a las quejas de los que sufren, a los gritos de los inmigrantes que buscan justicia, a la voz de los que piden trabajo. Que, a ejemplo de Jesús, que ama a todos por igual, aprendamos a no tener favoritismos en nuestras formas de actuar en la familia y en la sociedad. Que en este tiempo difícil nos mostremos solícitos y cercanos con los que más lo necesiten. ¡Que así sea!

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Las lecturas de la semana del 5 de septiembre

Domingo: Is 35:4-7 Sal 146:7-10 Sant 2: 1-5 Mc 7:31-37
Lunes: Col 1:24-2:3 Sal 62:6-7,9 Lc 6:6-11
Martes: Col 2:6-15 Sal 145:1-2,8-11 Lc 6: 12-19
Miércoles: Miq 5:1-4 o Rom 8:28-30 Sal 12: 6 Mt 1: 1-16,18-23 o 1:18-23
Jueves: Col 3:12-17 Sal 150:1-6 Lc 6:27-38
Viernes: 1 Tm 1:1-2,12-14 Sal 16:1-2,5,7 -8,11 Lc 6: 39-42
Sábado: 1 Tm 1:15-17 Sal 113:1-7 Lc 6: 43-49
Domingo siguiente: Is 50:5-9 Sal 114:1-6,8-9 Sant 2:14-18 Mc 8:27-35

From the time we are born into this world until we die, our human radar picks up signals about how to respond to life. What we picked up on when we were very young carries an even greater power. The messages we receive and process tell us what we are "supposed" to do with our feelings, how to understand and cope with disappointment, anxiety, failure, death, illness, and what to expect out of life. As life unfolds for us, these radar messages kick in and resonate in us at very deep levels. Sometimes what we have learned is helpful and sometimes it is not. The stories we have been told, especially when we are young, about how life is best lived and how to negotiate its pain carry a heavy weight.

Life can be challenging and frightening. Sometimes, it really hurts to be a human being. It also can be quite unpredictable and, at times, unfair. We face our vulnerability and brokenness of all kinds: physical, emotional, and spiritual. It doesn't take much for life to quickly fall apart. What we knew to be familiar and true is gone and something we relied upon, physically, emotionally, or spiritually, can be taken away. It is hard to confront our limitations and sit with our incompleteness. Often, life hurts us so much that we find ourselves sitting in a pool of sadness, not sure what we are supposed to do. It is particularly hard when the signals we have inherited tell us that we need to be successful in what we do, and we have to avoid life's unfairness. We can feel like a failure, wondering what precisely we did to deserve this fate, or ruminate about what we did not do correctly. But it's really not about us. We are part of a bigger picture and a much more fascinating story!

If we cease doing battle with life's incompleteness and see ourselves, as God does, on a journey toward wholeness and completeness we can better accept our disappointments and stand firm. The prophets told us, and Jesus reassured us: Be strong! Fear not! Sometimes we have to update our stories and replace them with newer, more accurate ones. When we make God's story our own and tune our radar into His voice, what we hear is all about restoration, healing, and rejuvenation! This is true even when we think we have hit rock bottom and can go no further. There is always hope. Remember the words of Julian of Norwich: God made us, God loves us, and God keeps us. Now, listen to God when He says, "be opened!" Be healed and allow your stories to change.

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Readings for the week of September 5

Sunday: Is 35:4-7a Ps 146:7-10 Jas 2:1-5 Mk 7:31-37
Monday: Col 1:24-2:3 Ps 62:6-7,9 Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday: Col 2:6-15 Ps 145:1b-2,8-11 Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30 Ps 13:6ab, 6c Mt 1:1-16,18-23 or 1:18-23
Thursday: Col 3:12-17 Ps 150:1b-6 Lk 6:27-38
Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2,12-14 Ps 16:1b-2a,5,7-8,11 Lk 6:39-42
Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17 Ps 113:1-7 Lk 6:43-49
Next Sunday: Is 50:5-9a Ps 116:1-6,8-9 Jas 2:14-18 Mk 8:27-35

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