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DEACON: Ion Gottron

PARISH MANAGER: Laurie Brubaker • SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Ginny Minnick

Join us for worship

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Spanish Mass - 2nd Sunday each month, 1:00 p.m.

REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday * 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closed Mondays and Weekends

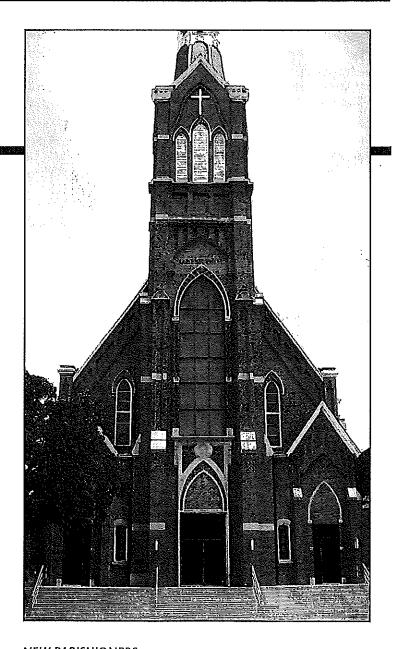
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / FORMATION

Educatina all our children for lifelona, faithful, participating membership in St. Augustine Parish

- ST. AUGUSTINE SCHOOL (Pre K-8) Ginny Minnick, Principal, 419-592-3641
- PARISH RELIGION PROGRAM (PRP) (1-8) Sunday morning, 9:00 - 10:15 a.m. during school year. Catholic Education for Parish children attending public school
- Life Teen (High School Youth) meets every Sunday at 6:00 p.m. during the school year
- Edge (6th 8th grade) meets bi-weekly on Wednesdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. during the school year
- PRE-SCHOOL during Sunday 10:30 Mass



NEW PARISHIONERS

Please arrange to register at the Parish Office PRAYER CHAIN ~ Please contact the parish office BULLETIN DEADLINE - Tuesday noon

Be Not Afraid... Only Believe!

Do not be afraid, Jesus' message to Jairus. Fear is a common human emotion or experience. Many fear the unknown. Many fear death. Yet God calls believers not to live in fear. Rather, we are to fear God. Is fear helpful? It depends upon which form of fear you may be speaking of. Some fear is good and some not so good, some is contrary to faith. That fear leads to doubt and despair and results from the attack of evil.

The command "Do not fear; only believe" does not contradict the command to "fear God". In fact, it is in fearing God that we are able to believe in Him and live without fear. The one who fears God is able to say, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust" (Psalm 91). It is wonderful to know that those who trust in God can live fearlessly... Alleluia! Jesus commands believers to fear the Lord, not our circumstances.

In Confirmation we come to know the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit; which one of them is "Fear of the Lord". Remember I said, there is Good Fear. This is what we refer to as a "Holy Fear" which is a useful fear. Proverbs say... The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, which one aspect of it is very useful; it makes you aware of your sins and failing, which unfortunately gives us the fear of punishment. But in the ideal form of fear of the Lord we must strive for what is called "filial fear"... Holy Fear. This is grounded in a profound love of God and leaves one filled with God and leaves one filled with a desire to please Him.

Faith allows us to live out what Jesus instructed: "Do not fear; only believe." To believe in God is to have assurance in who God is and what He has done. He who gave Himself for us is trustworthy and worthy of our faith, Our faith does not have to be big. It just needs to be placed in the right person, be persistent, and have the right intent. Jairus trusted in Jesus and witnessed the miracle of Jesus bringing his daughter back to life.

This does not mean that everything we pray for will be answered the way we want. When Jesus told Jairus, "Do not fear; only believe," He did not promise Jairus that He would raise his daughter from the dead. He did not even tell Jairus whether the outcome would be favorable. When we pray, we must pray according to God's will: we must be open to whatever time and whatever way the Lord chooses to answer our prayer. This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him. In the case of Jairus, it was God's will for Jesus to heal his daughter.

Ministries for the Sunday Liturgies

Saturday, July 6, 2024

4:30 p.m.

Lector:

Nelda Irving

Servers: Extraordinary Emily Flowers, Molly Huddle Steven Reiser, Volunteers (4)

Min. of Com.:

Ushers:

Kevin Glanz, Ruth Like

Sunday, July 7, 2024

8:00 a.m.

Lector:

Gene Grime

Servers:

Cora Coolman, Brady McKenzie

Min. of Com.: Deacon Jon Gottron, Katie Collins,

Ann Grime, Joe Krueger, Volunteer

Ushers:

Doug Monnin, Volunteer

Sunday, July 7, 2024

10:30 a.m.

Lector:

Will Roth

Servers:

Kelsi Eicher, Isaac Westhoven,

Volunteer

Extraordinary

Vicky Delventhal, Vivian Dominique,

Min. of Com.: Sandra Martinez, Mark Meyer,

Lori Siclair

Ushers:

Larry Hilvers, Chad Roth

Eucharistic Ministers: Week of July 1, 2024

Nursing Home: Volunteer Homebound: Volunteer Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 29, 2024

4:30 p.m. - Jeanne Lytle

Sunday, June 30, 2024

8:00 a.m. - Mary Ann Widdowson

10:30 a.m. - Rose Dulle and Brenda Heuer

Monday, July 1, 2024

No Communion Service

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

8:45 a.m. - Ronald Fisher

Wednesday, July 3, 2024

6:00 p.m. - Amparo Bongco

Thursday, July 4, 2024

8:45 a.m. - Mass

Friday, July 5, 2024

8:45 a.m. - Mass

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Saturday, July 6, 2024

4:30 p.m. - Ken Kryling, Vic and Pauline Ramus

Sunday, July 7, 2024

8:00 a.m. - For the Parish 10:30 a.m. - Elizabeth Small

Tellers: July 8, 2024 - Chris Peddicord, Jan Stover,

Dorothy Walker

Save the Date

June - July

Vacation Bible School June 30th – July 3rd (6:00 – 8:00 p.m.)

September

TurtleFest 20th - 21st

FORMED Family Focus

Read: Pier Giorgio Frassati:

A Hero for Our Times

Watch: Freedom (The Movie)
Listen: In God We Trust

2025 MASS INTENTIONS: Our 2025 Mass intentions book is here. Mass intentions can be made for deceased loved one or ones in your family. The Mass intentions are said for your loved one/ones as well as for others. They are \$10.00 per Mass. The intention can be scheduled for every third week, not each or every other week to allow for as many parishioners as possible to schedule for the Mass that they are accustomed to attending. Please remember that we can schedule also for the daily Masses as well as the 2:00 Friday afternoon school Mass during the school year. You can drop your request in the collection with your suggested dates, your name & your phone number and the office will contact you with the availability of your requested dates. You can also call in or stop in the office to schedule your Masses. ~Thank you for your understanding.~

CATHOLIC COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP - The

Kline Family Catholic Scholarship has funds available for the next school year. A graduate of any of the four high schools of Henry County is eligible for this \$1,000 award. Catholic college students enrolled in their second year or beyond are candidates. The student may contact the Henry County (Ohio) Community Foundation (application online), the high school guidance counselor, or call John/Mary Jane Kline directly for information (419) 592-5382.

FUNERAL LUNCHEON VOLUNTEERS - Jan Neiling has taken over the calling of volunteers asking if you would be willing to make a dessert or salad for a funeral. Please note that her cell phone number is out of our area code and you may think that it is a robo call. How about adding her as a new contact in your cell phone directory? Her number is (803) 367-7042. ~ Thank you ~ Funeral Committee



Life Teen - For incoming freshmen to outgoing seniors. If you would like to keep up to date on all events, sign up for text reminders on Flocknotes by texting "STAUGIE210" to 84576.

Upcoming Events:

 Teens will be leaving on the 30th to head to CYSC for a week of summer camp! Please keep them in your prayers.



Edge - Edge is our youth group for incoming grades 6-8. Parents, if you would like to keep up to date on all events, sign up for text reminders on Flocknotes by texting "STAUGIE210" to 84576.

WOMEN'S GROUP - We started a Summer Bible Study on Saturday, June 29th at 10am, at the Ministry Center. Join other women as we journey through the book of Esther. Feel free to join us for whichever days you can. Babies are welcome and coffee will be served.

To keep in the loop about Bible Study plans and to know what readings are next, please text "STAUGIE210' to 84576 and sign up for the Bible Study Group on Flocknotes.

VOLUNTEERS TO CLEAN THE CHURCH - We are looking for volunteers to clean and sweep the church and two bathrooms. What a privilege it is to clean Our Lord's Home. Please contact the parish office at 419-592-7656.

RIGHT TO LIFE - the next Henry County Right to Life meeting will be held on Mon., July 8, at 7:00 p.m. a St. Paul's Catholic Church basement, Hamler. Enter at the north door going to the basement.

RECENT BAPTISM - Leo Henry Slee, son of Justin and Miriam (Kline) Slee and grandson of John and Mary Jane Kline, was baptized here last weekend. We ask God's blessings on him.

TURTLEFEST NEWS - Plans are in full swing for our 24th annual TurtleFest on September 20 and 21. Also, we are in need of a helper to be on hand at the silent auction on Friday and Saturday nights. All donations and set up will be taken care of ahead of time. Please contact Jess Green at 419.371.5607 for more information.

JEWELRY FOR TURTLEFEST - St. Augustine is again collecting costume jewelry no longer worn or wanted for the annual TurtleFest. Please drop off jewelry at the Ministry Center as soon as possible to give us time to clean and prepare the jewelry for resale at the festival. Thank you.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION - Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.valen.html.

HELP US TIDY UP OUR PEWS - At the end of every Mass you attend, please take a moment to put your pew back into proper order. Kneelers should be placed in the upright position, and return your missalette to the book rack. Please remove any personal items or trash including children's snacks. *Thank you!*

HELP NEEDED - We are in need of more Eucharistic Ministers to bring Jesus to our Homebound and Nursing Home residents. Prayerfully consider this need for our Parishioners. Please call the office at 419-592-7656 if you have any questions. ~ Thank you for your consideration~

HENRY COUNTY CHORALE CONCERT - to take place on Sun., June 30 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Glenwood Ave., Napoleon. Concert will be streamed live at www.youtube.com/stpaulnapoleon. A free will offering will be accepted to benefit the Henry County Chorale and St. Paul Lutheran Church.

Are you still traveling? If so, please pick up a bulletin from a church you visit and drop it off in the office. We are always looking for new ideas! ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL - We want to thank all of our Parishioners who joined together in pledging their gift to the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal. If you have not made your commitment, today would be a convenient opportunity to do so. Pledge cards and envelopes are available in the back of church. Every gift is so significant. Thank you for your generosity. Our goal is \$29,882. We are currently at 66%.

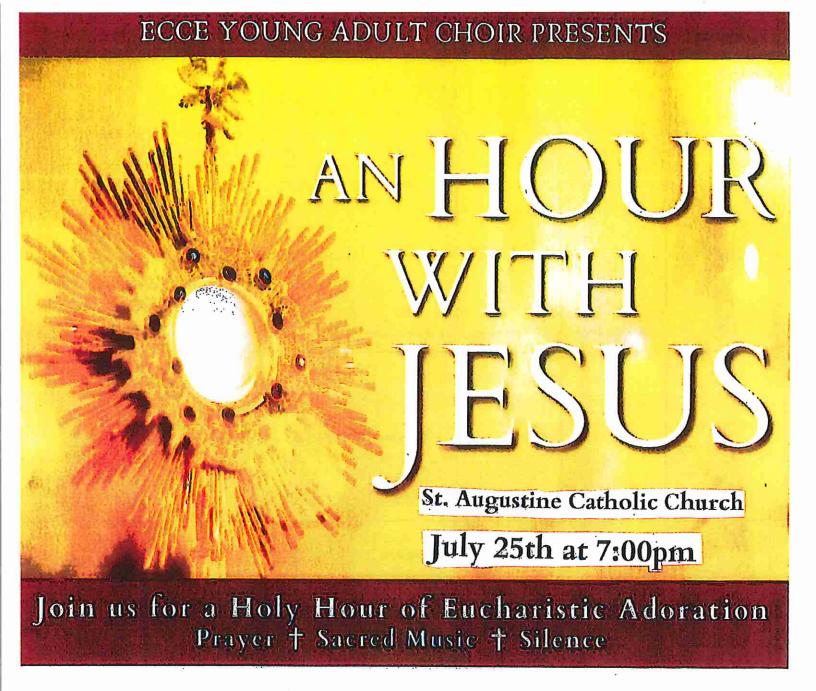
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS - The volunteer appreciation dinner was a success with 45 people attending. We would like to thank Henry County Hospital for catering our meal, it was delicious!

When sending in your LIVING CHRIST payments, you can send them directly to: Pastoral Center, Diocese of Toledo, ATTN: Living Christ Campaign, 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604 or directly to the Processing Company: Living Christ Campaign, Diocese of Toledo, P.O. Box 7293, Kensington, CT 06037.

REMINDER - CPC Women's Health Resource of Napoleon is reminding us to turn in the baby bottles with loose change for their 2024 campaign. Please return them to the church office as soon as possible. There are still four bottles outstanding.

2024 CENTURY FARM AWARD APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE - Catholic Charities is now accepting applications for Century Farm Awards. This award designation honors Catholic families who have maintained a farm or homestead within their family for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo, emphasizing well-preserved working farms. Applicants must submit a registration form, copies of old deeds, and pictures to support claims. The information submitted must show family residence and ownership of a farm for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo. Applications should be submitted no later than Fri., Oct. 4, 2024. Bishop. Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate a Mass honoring Century Farm Award recipients at 9:00 a.m. on Wed., Oct. 16, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 66 Chapel St., Monroeville, OH 44847. For more information or to request the registration form, please contact Paula J. Kidney at (419) 214-4898 email: pkidney@toledodiocese.org. o r

FRIDAY ADORATION will take place each First Friday of the month after 8:45 Mass until 5:30 p.m. We will have a sign -up sheet in the back of the church and would appreciate folks filling the day so that our Lord is not exposed on the altar without anyone present If you are not able to come for your hour of adoration, please call Jane Recker at 419-508-0711. The day will end with Benediction at 5:30 p.m. Due to July 4th, we will have Adoration on July 12th this month.



Ecce Choir 'Unveils' Nature of Sacred Music

The Second Vatican Council expressly taught that "the musical tradition of the universal Church is a treasure of inestimable value, greater even than that of any other art." In recent years, Jessica Schuster, an artist passionately dedicated to making this treasure better known and appreciated by the faithful; she along with a group of beautiful young adult voices will bring this experience of inestimable treasure through their singing, chanting and praying in a most sacred way. They will provide singing during a very special Holy Hour providing Sacred Music with the Divine Mercy Chaplet; reconciliation will be available beginning from 6:45. A social hour will follow in the Ministry Center with snacks and beverages. I invite and encourage every member to experience this sacred experience in the presence of our loving Lord.

Jessica Schuster once said about one their songs... "Adoremus Te Christe", "When we are faced with the overwhelming love of God, when we behold His beauty, our hearts can only respond, 'We adore You, O Christ, and we bless You, because by Your holy cross You have Your holy cross You have redeemed the world.' His love for us is why we sing ... it is the only reason why we sing."

Proverbs says... The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom and holiness; an aspect of it is very useful, it makes you aware of our need of His "Divine Mercy" and love. Please find time to join us.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., June 30	Vocation Bible School 6 - 8 p.m.
Mon., July 1	Vocation Bible School 6 - 8 p.m.
Γues., July 2	Vocation Bible School 6 - 8 p.m.
Wed., July 3	Vocation Bible School 6 - 8 p.m.
Sat., July 6	Confessions 3:30 p.m.
	Rosary 3:55 p.m.

Adoration Friday - Due to July 4th, we will have Adoration on July 12th this month.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE PARISH OFFERTORY

Sunday Collection	\$	4,499.60	
On-Line	\$	1,805.00	
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School	\$	208.00	
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www.staugie.net and select online giving from the side menu.			

MAY THEY DEST IN DEACE

Janet M. Rothrock (75) - 7/3/21 Wilbur B. "Web" Clark (78) - 7/6/01 William Conn (64) - 7/7/89

Remember those who have gone before us. Please pray for them. Due to space we are listing only the past 25 years. If you would like a parishioner listed who passed away longer than 25 years ago, please contact the office.

IN MEMORIAM

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND - to take place the weekend of July 26 - 28 for the Toledo Diocese. This program is for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationships. For more information call 419-481-1116 or email at

BANNS OF MATRIMONY

III - Aaron S. Letinski and Katelyn D. Echler

FROM THE SCHOOL

St. Augustine Catholic School is seeking a dedicated and enthusiastic candidate as our Preschool Teacher. This position is full-time with a full benefits package. We encourage recent graduates to apply! Qualified candidates must hold a High School Diploma. Candidates must provide a positive learning environment, create engaging lessons, and be able to collaborate as a member of our team. Interested applicants should email cover letter, resume, references, and letters of recommendation to Principal Ginny Minnick at ginny.minnick@augustinenapoleon.com. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Summer is an ideal time to set aside just 15 to 30 minutes a day for helping your child(ren) in areas of difficulty. Online resources offer a wide variety of learning materials, computer games, and other types of games to reinforce and strengthen scholastic skills. Students may wish to play learning games with their friends to help make the time fly by and make learning more fun. Summer Learning leads to a great start to the new school yearl

Become a Saint!

St. Augustine educates children from Preschool through 8th Grade with small class sizes and dedicated, licensed teachers providing a wonderful faith-based academic experience. We offer affordable onsite Before-care beginning at 7:00amand After-care until 6:00pm. Our Full Day Preschool Program has openings in the 3-year-old class (Tuesday & Thursday) and our 4 or 5-year-old class (Monday's, Wednesday, & Friday or Monday through Friday). If your child was born before September 30, 2019, he/she is eligible to enroll in our Kindergarten program. We offer scholarships to every student and have multiple financial aid opportunities. If you have any questions or would like to set up a family tour, please call the St. Augustine School office @419-592-3641. Thank you for considering this important investment in your children's future!

Blessings to your family, Ginny Minnick, Principal

HADDY BIRTHDAY

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- 7/1 Addilyn Crossland, Haley Oehler
- 7/2 Maria Garcia, Bradley Heinrichs, Laura Storch, Bailey Tejkl
- 7/3 Pat Milius, Nathaniel Minnick, Mary Westhoven
- 7/4 William Lytle, Juana Sifuentes
- 7/5 Haley Baden, Ashton Creager, Pedro Garcia, Moniques Steiner
- 7/6 Vilma Aguiar, Everleigh Cramer, Brice Gaylord,
 Danuta Minnick
- 7/7 Diane Gottron, Michael Grattan, Elizabeth Ward

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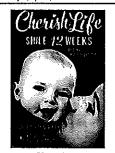
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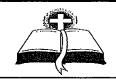


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SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM To schedule instructions for the Sacrament of Baptism; contact the church office at 419-592-7656 before your child is born for directions to complete online classes.

RECONCILIATION Saturday at 3:30 p.m. and by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK The Parish Office should be notified whenever any parishioner is suffering from severe or prolonged illness. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered by request.

MARRIAGE "As soon as a couple makes a decision to marry and at least six months before the anticipated wedding date they are to make contact with the priest/deacons in order to begin the various steps of the Marriage Preparation Program" (Diocese of Toledo Directive). Official dates for wedding celebrations at St. Augustine Parish must be approved by the Pastor or Parish Deacon. ADULT INITIATION/FULL COMMUNION - RCIA Anyone interested in joining or learning more about the Catholic Church is invited to be a part of this for-

HOLY ORDERS/VOCATIONS Contact the Parish Office.

mation process. Call the Parish Office for details.