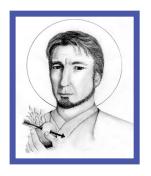
Saint Augustine & Saint Mary Catholic Churches



A Parish Family



March 20, 2022 3rd Sunday of Lent



Masses

Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Augustine Sun. 8:00 am - St. Augustine Sun. 9:30 am - St. Augustine Sun. 11:15 am - St. Mary

> See Lenten Mission Schedule Inside

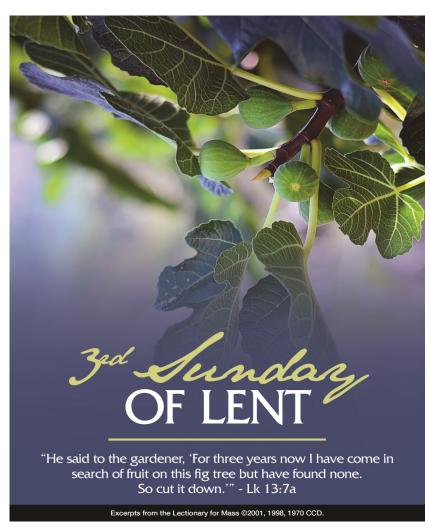
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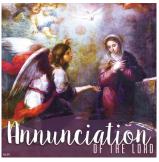
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Feast of the Annunciation (Friday, March 25)

"Let Gabriel's word be held in your mind for nothing is impossible to this glorious Majesty, who humbled himself for us and was born of our humanity"

- St. Ephrem

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March 19 Saturday	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Vigil Mass (James Waters, Sr, RIP'; Terisita Smith, RIP)
March 20 Sunday	8:00 am 9:00 am 9:30 am 10:30 am 10:45 am 11:15 am	Mass (Helen Hartman, RIP) Coffee & Donuts, PH/K Mass (Our Parishioners) Coffee & Donuts, PH/K Rosary at St Mary Mass at St. Mary
March 21 Monday	9am-12 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Office Unavailable Lenten Mission-Confessions/Mass/Talk, CH Agape, PH Special Sacraments/RCIA 6th-11th, CR1&2 Lenten Mission-Confessions/Talk, CH
March 22 Tuesday		Lenten Mission-Confessions/Mass/Talk, CH RE 1st, 2nd grade & Kinder, CR 1-5 Lenten Mission-Confessions/Talk, CH RE 9th - 11th grade, CR 1-4
March 23 Wednesday	9am-12 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm 6:30 pm	Lenten Mission-Confessions/Mass/Talk, CH RE 3rd & 4th grade, CR 1-4 Lenten Mission-Confessions/Talk, CH RE 7th, 8th & 12th grade, CR 1-4
March 24 Thursday	9am-12 pm 9:30 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Lenten Mission-Confessions/Mass/Talk, CH Mass CANCELLED at St Mary RE 5th & 6th grade, CR 1-4 Lenten Mission-Confessions/Talk, CH Stations of the Cross, Youth led
March 25 Friday	9am-12 pm 5:00 pm 5:00 pm	Lenten Mission-Adoration/Benediction, Mass & Talk, CH Stations of the Cross at St Mary Lenten Mission-Confessions/Mass/Talk, CH
March 26 Saturday		No Activities this morning



Lenten Mission
With Fr. Dwight Lewis
at St Augustine

"Zeal for You and Your House, O God, Have Done This!"

March 21 - March 24, Monday - Thursday

9:00 am	- 10:00 am	Confessions
10:00 an	n - 11:00 am	Mass
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5:00 pm	- 6:00 pm	Confessions
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6:30 pm - 8:00 pm Talk

March 25, Friday

9:00 am - 10:30 am	Adoration/Benediction
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Mass
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Talk
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Confessions
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Mass & Talk

Times subject to change

Please join us and help make this the richest Lent you have ever experienced!



We Pray for Our Family

Brooks Allen, Elnora Archer, Jim Arbuckle, Rene Blair, Fel Catabay, Eileen Catalano, Clint Copeland, Doris Dean, Mark Dean, Tom Dumit, Bob Ellis, Mamie Forbes, Douglas Hammer, Sheryl Henry, Marsha Kilgore, Jack Kraft, Mike Lund, Rebecca Lund, Angelina Lupino, CDR Scott Maynes USN, Rick McCormick, Patti McKinnon, Aislinn Moeller, Alexandria Molt, Maureen Relyea, Richard Rezabek, John Romanski, Nancy Bolin-Romanski, Tanya Shafer, Dennis Sionson, Jeanine Szuch, Tiffany Tienda, Chuck Tollefson, Doug Undesser, Jeanne Valdez, Patty Williams, Madeline Yakubchak, Diane Young

Permission is required from the individual prior to adding their name to the prayer list. Call 360-675-2303 to include a loved one,

We Connect With Each Other

- So Grief Share Weekly grief support group at the Church of the Nazarene. Meetings on Saturdays thru May 28 at 10:30 am. Registration cost is \$15.00. Please register online at www.griefshare.org or call 360-675-0705.
- Rosary For World Peace Join us in praying the rosary before Mass at 4:40 pm on March 5, 12, 19, 26, and April 2 at St Augustine. We will be offering this rosary for peace in the world, and for the people of the Ukraine.
- Brunch in Honor of Peggy Hennessy The Women of St Mary have planned a brunch to honor and remember Peggy at The Cedar & Salt Coffee House with Father Paul after the April 7th Mass. All parishioners are invited and will have an opportunity to share a memory of Peggy.
- Explanation Lenten Penance Service Thursday, April 7th at 6:00 pm in the St Augustine church
- Bible Study at St Augustine & Zoom "No Greater Love" classes, Mondays, March 7 April 11 (except March 21) at 10 am & 6:30 pm in CR 1&2 and on Zoom. See posters around the parish campus for more information.
- Baptisms The next Baptisms are Sunday, June 26 at the 9:30 am Mass at St Augustine and the 11:15 am Mass at St Mary, if needed. Baptism class is Saturday, May 14th from 9:00 am to Noon. Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 to register.
- Traveling Statue of the Blessed Virgin Mother Available to you for prayer and meditation in your home. Please call Heather to schedule a visit at 360-720-0722.
- Flame of Love of Immaculate Heart of Mary Join the ZOOM prayer group, 1 hour/week, Tuesday at 11:00 am and Thursday at 7:00 pm. Call Chris Pflugfelder at 360-675-2026 or cpflugfelder@comcast.net. Learn about the Flame of Love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, a critically important grace of our time, by watching a brief video at https://youtu.be/xMnOeyCEnP4



Ukraine Crisis

Support Ukraine in prayer, "Let us ask Our Lady, Queen of Peace, to bring a swift end to the violence, and thank you for your support of this subcommittee and its work!"

Support Ukraine by donating to:

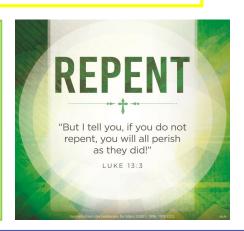
archseattle.org/give-serve/collection-to-aid-the-church-in-central-and-eastern-europe/



St Mary Pastoral Council Corner - March 20

We are excited to announce that we will be updating our St Mary website to include new and ongoing ministries here at our St Mary faith community. We have new leaders in some of our ministries that you will meet on the new website and there will be new/updated ministry descriptions. Stay tuned!

Join us in the Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent at 5:30 pm at St Mary and praying the Rosary at 10:45 am prior to the 11:15 am Sunday Mass.



We Are Stewards of God's Gifts

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses \$13,090 March 6 Offering \$18,713



Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses \$ 2,962 March 6 Offering \$ 3,397

We encourage you to use online bill-pay through your bank. Include your envelope number and mail your donations to our mailing address: <u>P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277</u>. If you need your envelope number please call the parish office 360-675-2303.





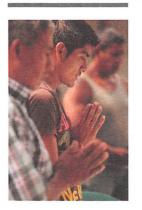


I should no longer say that I have neighbors to help, but that I must myself be a neighbor to others.

-Pope Francis, Fratelli Tutti, no. 81

The Catholic Relief Services Collection is an opportunity for you to help improve the lives of the most vulnerable people around the world and here in the United States. Your support funds organizations dedicated to aiding people affected by war and natural disasters, migrants and refugees in need of material and legal assistance, and people worldwide whose livelihoods are impacted by changing political and environmental conditions.

Guatemala is a leading producer of coffee, growing more than three million 132-pound bags annually, much of it exported



to the United States, Japan, and Canada. Aged farms, climate change, soil depletion, and a fungal infection called coffee leaf rust that causes leaves to fall off the plant and kill it—all of these pose challenges for small coffee farmers. Odilio Geronimo is one such farmer, whose ability to support his wife and young son was threatened by a fractured foot he suffered in an accident and by a crop destroyed by leaf rust.

Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is helping Guatemalan coffee farmers like Odilio through a water-smart agriculture program that teaches farmers practices such as soil-quality identification, use of cover crops, and use of better compost. Through this CRS-supported program, Odilio has had bigger and healthier harvests with the skills he learned, which help him provide better for his family. When you

support The Catholic Relief Services Collection, you provide emergency relief to those affected by disasters as well as longterm solutions that improve the lives of families like Odilio's.

Your Donations Help Our Brothers and Sisters . . . In the United States

Feed Jesus' hunger in suffering refugees . . . through the **USCCB's Migration and Refugee Services** (MRS).

Offer legal assistance to Jesus in struggling immigrants . . . through the **Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.** (CLINIC).

Reach out to comfort Jesus' loneliness in isolated workers . . . through the pastoral work of the USCCB Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church.

And Around the World

Give water to quench Jesus' thirst in the people of Syria and Niger . . . through the humanitarian work of **Catholic Relief Services** (CRS).

Advocate on behalf of Jesus in the poor and marginalized . . . through the public policy work of the USCCB Department of Justice, Peace and Human Development.

Send aid to Jesus in the victims of natural disaster . . . through the **Holy Father's Relief Fund**.

	Grants	Amount	Percentage	
The	Catholic Relief Services	\$5,118,278	52.35%	
Catholic	■ USCCB Migration & Refugee Services	\$1,558,012	15.94%	
Relief	CLINIC (Catholic Legal Immigration Network)	\$917,124	9.38%	
	■ USCCB Cultural Diversity in the Church*	\$687,134	7.03%	
Services	USCCB International Justice & Peace	\$574,700	5.88%	
Collection	■ Holy Father's Relief Fund	\$500,000	5.11%	
2020	■ USCCB Justice, Peace & Human Development Education & Outreach	\$137,675	1.41%	
	Administration			
	Promotion & Education Costs	\$154,764	1.58%	
	Administrative Expenses	\$128,744	1.32%	



The Catholic Relief Services Collection

REVELA EL AMORDE



Entonces, ya no digo que tengo "prójimos" a quienes debo ayudar, sino que me siento llamado a volverme yo un prójimo de los otros.

-Papa Francisco, Fratelli Tutti, no. 81

The Catholic Relief Services Collection es una oportunidad para ayudar a mejorar la vida de las personas más vulnerables alrededor del mundo y aquí, en los Estados Unidos. Tu apoyo ayuda a financiar a las organizaciones dedicadas a ayudar a las personas afectadas por la guerra y por los desastres naturales, a los migrantes y a los refugiados que necesitan asistencia legal y material y a personas en todo el mundo cuyo sustento se ve impactado por las cambiantes situaciones políticas y

condiciones ambientales.



Guatemala es un líder en la producción del café, cultivando anualmente más de tres millones de sacos de 132 libras, muchos de los cuales son exportados a los Estados Unidos, a Japón y a Canadá. Las tierras agrícolas viejas, el cambio climático, el agotamiento de la tierra y la infección por hongos llamada roya de la hoja del café, hace que las hojas se caigan y que la planta muera—todo esto les presenta un gran

reto a los pequeños agricultores del café. Odilio Gerónimo es uno de esos agricultores, cuya capacidad para mantener a su esposa y a su menor hijo se vio amenazada cuando sufrió un accidente y se fracturó un pie y su cosecha fue destruida por la roya de la hoja.

Catholic Relief Services (CRS) está ayudando a los guatemaltecos productores de café mediante un programa basado en el uso inteligente del agua, el cual les enseña a los agricultores prácticas

como la identificación de la calidad del suelo, el uso del cultivo de cobertura y el mejor uso del material orgánico como abono. Mediante este programa financiado por CRS, Odilio, con los

conocimientos que adquiridos ha podido conseguir cosechas más grandes y saludables y eso lo ha ayudado a ser un mejor proveedor para su familia. Cuando apoyas a The Catholic Relief Services Collection, estás dando una ayuda de emergencia a las personas afectadas por desastres, así como soluciones a largo plazo que mejoran la vida de familias como la de Odilio.

Tus donativos ayudan a nuestros hermanos y hermanas...

En los Estados Unidos

Alimentando el hambre de Jesús en los refugiados que sufren. . . a través del **USCCB's Migration and Refugee Services** (MRS).

Ofreciendo asesoría legal a Jesús en los inmigrantes que luchan por salir adelante. . . a través del **Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.** (CLINIC).

Acercándose a consolar la soledad de Jesús en los trabajadores que se sienten aislados. . . a través de la labor pastoral del USCCB Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church.

Y, alrededor del mundo

Dando agua para saciar la sed de Jesús en los pueblos de Siria y Níger. . . a través de la labor humanitaria de **Catholic Relief Services** (CRS).

Abogando en nombre de Jesús por el pobre y el marginado... a través de la labor que hace en las políticas públicas el USCCB Department of Justice, Peace and Human Development.

Enviando ayuda a Jesús en las víctimas de desastres naturales. . . a través del **Holy Father's Relief Fund**.

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*La Diversidad Cultural en la Iglesia, de la USCCB, incluye el Cuidado Pastoral de Migrantes, Refugiados & Viajeros (\$447,490) y los Asuntos de Asia y las Islas del Pacífico (\$239,644)

