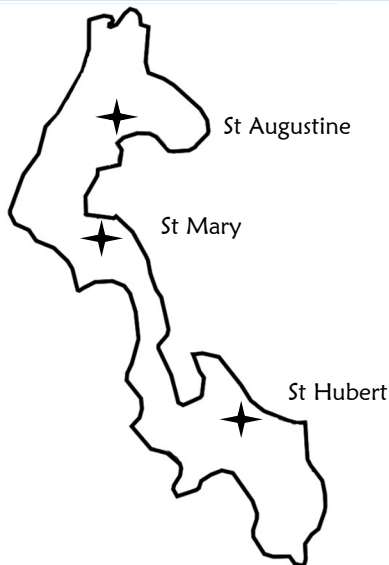




Whidbey Island Family of Catholic Churches

St Augustine · St Mary · St Hubert

Pastor: Father Chris Hoiland frchris@staugustineoh.org

St. Augustine - 185 N. Oak Harbor Street, Oak Harbor, WA 98277

St. Mary - 207 North Main Street, Coupeville, WA 98239

Mailing Address for both parishes - P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277

St. Hubert - 804 3rd Street, Langley, WA 98260

Mailing Address - P.O. Box 388, Langley, WA 98260

*~October 13, 2024~
27th Sunday, Ordinary Time*

Regular Mass Times

Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Augustine*

Sat. 5:00 pm - St. Hubert

Sun. 8:00 am - St. Augustine

Sun. 9:00 am - St. Hubert

Sun. 9:30 am - St. Augustine

Sun. 11:15 am - St. Mary

Wed. 9:30 am - St. Augustine

Wed. 10:30 am - St. Hubert

Thur. 9:30 am - St. Mary

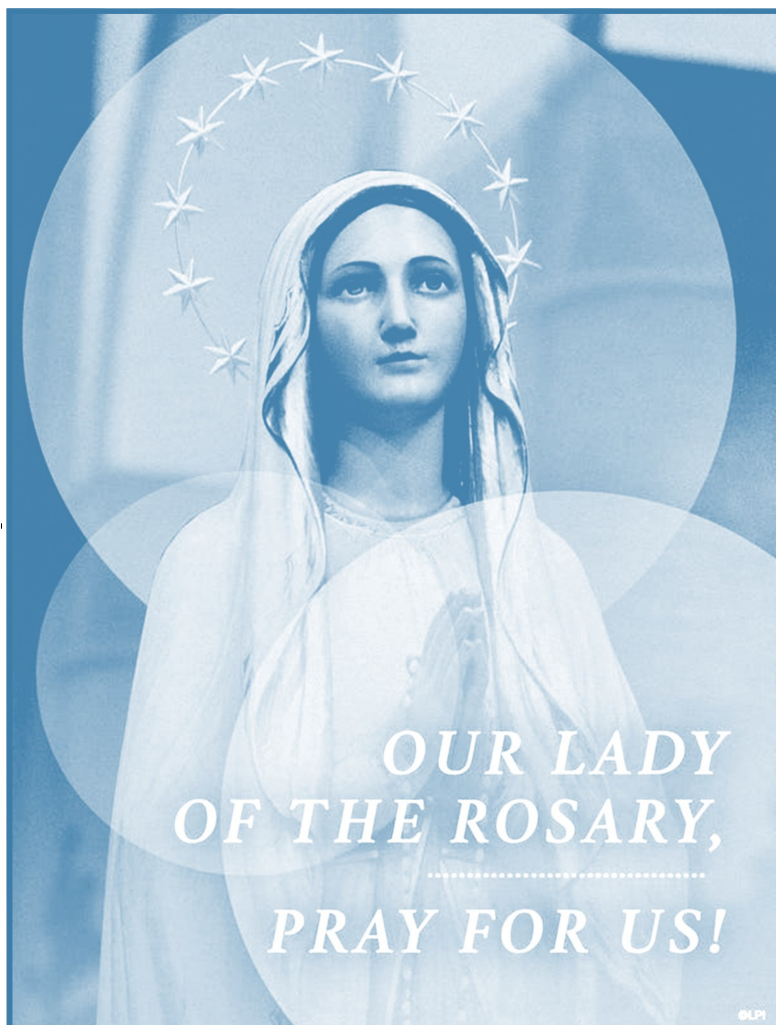
Fri. 9:30 am - St. Augustine

Confessions

Saturday, 4:00 pm - St. Augustine*

Saturday, 4:00 pm - St. Hubert

(*The 3rd Saturday of each month, Vigil Mass and Confessions will only be at St. Hubert)



St Augustine/St Mary Parish Office Hours

Monday: Closed to the public

Tuesday - Friday: 10:00 am-12:00 pm & 1:00 pm-4:00 pm

information@staugustineoh.org (360)675-2303

St Hubert Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:30 am - 4:30 pm

Friday: Closed to the public

sthubert@whidbey.com (360) 221-5383

Weekly Calendar - St. Augustine

~Flowers - In celebration of All October Birthdays (Courtesy of: John & Veronica McCoy)~

Oct 13	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass
		9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
		9:30 am	Mass (<i>Agatona Robel, RIP;</i> <i>The Migual Hernandez Family, INT</i>)
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH

Oct 14	Monday	10:00 am	Adult Faith Education, CR 1&2
		4:30 pm	Agape Meal, PH

Oct 15	Tuesday	6:00 pm	OCIA, CR 1&2

Oct 16	Wednesday	9:30 am	Mass (<i>Special Intention</i>)
		10:00 am	Vocations Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration, CH
		4:00 pm	RE (grades K-5), CR1-5
		6:30 pm	RE (grades 6-12), CR 1-5

Oct 18	Friday	9:30 am	Mass (<i>Suzanne Patterson, INT; George Howard, RIP</i>)
		10:00 am	Vocations Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration, CH
		5:30 pm	Young Adult Bible Study, CR 4
		6:00 pm	Catechist Certification Class, CR 1-2

Oct 19	Saturday	4:00 pm	Confessions
		5:00 pm	Vigil Mass
		<i>Confessions/Vigil Mass will be at St Hubert in Langley</i>	

Oct 20	Sunday	8:00 am	Mass
		9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH
		9:30 am	Mass (<i>Agatona Robel, RIP</i>)
		10:30 am	Coffee & Donuts, PH

Weekly Calendar - St. Mary

Oct 13	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH
Oct 17	Thursday	9:30 am	Mass
		10:20 am	Bible Study, HH
Oct 20	Sunday	11:15 am	Mass
		12:15 pm	Coffee & Conversation, HH

Saint Augustine

Weekly Expenses \$ 13,090
September 15 Offering \$ 19,842



Saint Mary

Weekly Expenses \$ 2,962
September 15 Offering \$ 5,494

We encourage you to use online bill-pay through your bank as there is no cost to the parish or to you.

Include your envelope number and mail your donations to: P.O. Box 1319, Oak Harbor, WA 98277.

If you need your envelope number please call the parish office 360-675-2303. Thank you!

Sacraments

Baptisms

- ⌘ The next Baptism Class is January, 2025
- ⌘ The next Baptisms are Oct. 26 at 11:00 am
- ⌘ We schedule a maximum of 4 children per Baptism.
- ⌘ Call the parish office at 360-675-2303 for more information or to register for class.

Anointings:

- ⌘ Please call the parish office at 360-675-2303 on Wednesday - Friday from 10:00 am - 4:00pm to request an anointing or last rites. On Tuesdays, please call the St. Mary, Anacortes office number at 360-293-2101.
- ⌘ After 4pm Wednesday-Sunday, call the office at 360-675-2303 and listen to the message to receive the **emergency anointing or last rites only** phone number. *On any Monday*, please call another parish to request an anointing.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) and Children (OCIC)

Adults: OCIA - Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:30 pm in classrooms 1 & 2

Children: OCIC begins **October 29, 2024**, 4:00 - 5:00 pm in classroom 4

Classes are for:

- ⌘ Non-baptized or baptized adults and children (7-17) of a different denomination wishing to enter into Full Communion with the Catholic Church
- ⌘ Baptized Catholics who have not received First Communion and/or Confirmation
- ⌘ Catholics and non-Catholics wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith

Please email Mary E Waters at adultff@staugustineoh.org for more information or to register

Prayer for Vocations

In your loving kindness, O good and gracious God, you sent your Son to be our shepherd and guide. Bless Father Chris as he continues Christ's ministry of working in the vineyard by sustaining and guiding him and all of your holy people. Let your Spirit uphold Father Chris always in his service to the people of his parishes. We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen!

Tips & Etiquette

The USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops) states that Catholics are **required** to go to Confession *at least* once a year and **should** go if they are aware of having committed a mortal sin.

However, the Church also encourages Catholics to go to Confession more frequently to grow closer to Jesus Christ and the Church!

Homebound Eucharist Ministry

Eucharistic Ministers to the Homebound bring Communion to parishioners who are unable to attend Mass. This essential ministry allows them to be able to receive Our Lord in the Eucharist and helps them stay connected to our parish. Training is mandatory as is a reverence for the Eucharist and a desire to perform this Corporal Work of Mercy. If you feel called to this ministry or know someone who would like receive Eucharist, please contact Mary E Waters at adultff@staugustineoh.org

Parish Job Opening

St Augustine Catholic Church is seeking to hire an accompanist (piano and/or organ) to provide music for parish liturgies and other designated celebrations. The position would collaborate with the Pastor or other assigned consultive body. The candidate will need to audition for the Pastor. The position is a year round position up to ten hours per week. Successful candidates should be registered to a Catholic parish and be an active participant in Catholic worship and parish life. The complete job description and application packet are available on our website staugustineoh.org or by sending a request to amin@staugustineoh.org

News and Events

- ☞ **Month of The Holy Rosary** - The month of October is dedicated to the Rosary. Need a rosary or know someone who does? Stop by the office and select a *free* rosary and prayer guide.
- ☞ **Partners in the Gospel Mass Change** - On October 19, 4:00 pm Confessions and 5:00 pm Vigil Mass will only be at St Hubert in Langley. All Whidbey Island Family of Catholic Churches members are encouraged to join Fr. Chris at St Hubert or attend the 8:00 am or 9:30 am Sunday Masses at St Augustine (Oak Harbor) or the 11:15 am at St Mary (Coupeville).
- ☞ **Monstrance for Vocations** - The Monstrance will be present for Eucharist Adoration throughout the month of October, Wednesdays & Fridays following 9:30am daily Mass. Vocation prayer books, prayer cards, and discernment information is available during these special Holy Hours.
- ☞ **St Augustine's Christmas Bazaar** - Drop-off for requested items is Wed/Fri, Oct 2-30, 10:15-noon, and after the 9:30 Sunday Mass at the back door of the Parish Hall. Many volunteers are still needed to receive & sort donations, set up/clean up, and work the days of the bazaar (November 1-3). Contact Kathy Jones (360)929-7632 kathy@jjjonesjr.com
- ☞ **Catholic Daughter's Coat Drive** - Coat drive drop-off box will be available in the vestibule Oct 5 - Dec 1. Please bring new or gently used clean coats and jackets in sizes 2 toddler through 2X adult. Dark or neutral colors are preferred for the adult sizes. Coats will be distributed to Oak Harbor schools, The Haven, Spin Café, and Ryans House.
- ☞ **Catholic Daughters White Ribbon Sunday** - Catholic Daughters (CDA) representatives will be in St Augustine's vestibule after all Masses, October 26 & 27, to answer questions about the White Ribbon Against Pornography (WRAP) campaign
- ☞ **Priest Appreciation Dinner** - The Knights of Columbus will be hosting this annual dinner on November 8th. Ticket sales start soon.
- ☞ **St Mary's Christmas Bazaar** - Saturday, December 7th for the public 9-2pm and Sunday, December 8th for the parish after Mass. Please plan to donate hand crafted items, new gift items, and home baked goods. Contact Janet Rojas 360-969-1609 mjrojas@whidbey.net
- ☞ **Coming SOON** - Religious Education Trunk or Treat (Oct 30), CDA Angel Tree (Nov 23), CDA Taste of Chocolate (Nov 23-24), Women of St Mary's Fall Bakesale (Nov 24)



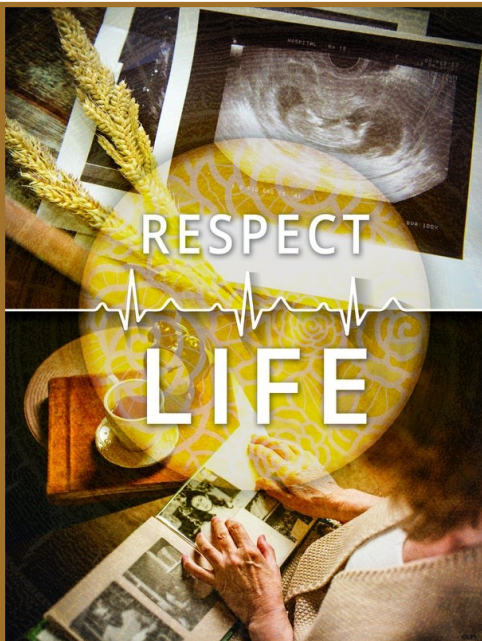
The weekends of October 5/6 and 12/13, the World Famous Pie Ladies will be selling fall favorites - starting with apple and Dutch apple followed soon by pumpkin and pecan - after all Masses! If you would like to reserve a pie (or few), contact: Theresa Frazer (360)675-9840 or tjfrazer@gmail.com

We Pray for Our Family

Ruth Abrea, Fr. Larry Bailey, Marrisa Blas, Gary Barrett, Lynnie Ochoa-Brown, Jim Brady, Pete Caldwell, Patrick Cantwell, Eileen Catalano, Kathy Collantes, Daniel Cook, Mary Coplea, Cecilia Crook, Justin Day, Jacquie Diaz, Tomasa Dagdagan, Bob Ellis, Debbie Gallo, Douglas Hammer, Lynn & Jerry Hendricksen, Sheryl & Mikey Henry, Donald Hubner, Teresa Jauregui, Marsha Kilgore, Jack Kraft, Laura Lafranchise, Carol LeClercq, Phyllis Lund, Pat Magorrian, Dick Malone, Martha McAllister, Alexandria Molt, Marlene Olson, Jasmine Patricio, Onee Hedeem & Richard Rezabek, Denise Robertson, Nancy & John Romanski, Lou & Lulu Santos, Jadwiga & Philippe Sebrechts, Dennis Sionson, Steven Spencer, Kathy Stratton, Don Stubenrauch, Chuck Tollefson, Carmela Tubo

Permission is required from the individual prior to adding their name to the prayer list.

To include a loved one, please call the parish office at 360-675-2303



October is Respect Life Month

Every October, the Church in the U.S. celebrates Respect Life Month. We reflect on the gift of every human life and how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death.

Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist, gives us the fullness of life. He calls each of us to respect that gift of life in every human person. While we live in a society that often rejects those who are weak, fragile, or vulnerable, they are the most in need of our care and protection. Pope Francis reminds us that “every child who, rather than being born, is condemned unjustly to being aborted, bears the face of Jesus Christ, bears the face of the Lord, who even before he was born, and then just after birth, experienced the world’s rejection.”

All Catholics are invited to join in a concerted effort of prayer this month by daily praying the USCCB Respect Life Month “Prayer for Life to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament”

Jesus, you came that we might have life—and have it in abundance. Together with the Father and the Holy Spirit, you form us in our mothers’ wombs and call us to love you for all eternity. As your most precious gift of human life is attacked, draw us ever closer to your Real Presence in the Eucharist. Dispel the darkness of the culture of death, for you are the light that shines in the darkness, and the darkness cannot overcome it. By the power of your Eucharistic Presence, help us to defend the life of every human person at every stage. Transform our hearts to protect and cherish all whose lives are most vulnerable. For you are God, forever and ever. Amen.

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Knight of Columbus

Father John E. O'Brien Council 3361

Priest Appreciation Dinner

(In honor of our Priest)

(Celebrating the Past, Present and Future of Priesthood)

(This dinner is in support our Priests)

Friday, November 8, 2024

St. Augustine Parish Hall

Social Hour: 5:30 PM

Dinner: 6:00 PM

DINNER MENU

Pork Roast Dinner

Baked Potato w/fixings

Sweet Corn

Hawaiian Dinner Rolls

Dessert

Cheesecake w/cherries Jubilee

Ice Cream (Dixie cups) or

Dessert provided by the Columbiettes

Coffee, Tea, Water

Beer/Wine available by donation

Cost: \$25.00 per person

\$50.00 per couple

\$75.00 per family of three or more

All sales are final. No tickets sold at the door for event. Must be purchased in advance. No Take-out or sales at the door.

For ticket sales see our representatives after mass in the back of the church. We will sell tickets on Saturday 5:00 pm, and Sunday 8:00 and 9:30 masses.

Come and support our Priest.

JOIN US FOR

THE FILM SCREENING OF

UNTHINKABLE

AN ABBY JOHNSON FILM



TO WATCH THE TRAILER, VISIT:
UNTHINKABLEDOC.COM



OCTOBER 26 | 6:00 PM

CAMANO CHAPEL IN HERITAGE HALL

867 S West Camano Dr Camano Island, WA 98282

**EMERGENCY
COLLECTION**

HURRICANE RELIEF

*Support the
Catholic Charities
U.S.A. Disaster
Relief Fund*

DONATE NOW

Second Collection:

Support Hurricane Relief

Less than two weeks after Hurricane Helene, Hurricane Milton is making landfall in Florida as a major storm. Local Catholic Charities Agencies are ready to deploy and provide life-sustaining assistance after the storm passes.

Today there will be a special collection for those affected by Hurricanes Helene and Milton. If you are making a donation by check, please make it out to St. Augustine Church, with Hurricane Relief in the memo line. If you would like to make your donation online, click or scan the QR Code



below to take you to the parish Online Giving Page. From there select the

Hurricane Relief Fund, enter the amount you would like to give and click on the **Next** button to complete your donation.

Catholic Charities USA, as the official domestic disaster relief agency of the Catholic Church in the United States, has launched a dedicated Helene disaster relief campaign. All donations received for disaster aid will be allocated to the Catholic Charities agencies providing critical relief – including shelter, food and other humanitarian aid – to those most in need.

100% of donations go to helping those affected by this disaster.

Christmas Bazaar

~St Augustine~

*Friday, Nov 1 from 10am to 3pm ~ open to the public
Saturday, November 2 from 9am to 2pm ~ open to the public
After all Masses November 2 & 3 ~ parish only*

Drop Off Donations: Every Wednesday and Friday Oct 2-Oct 30 10:15am – noon, Parish Hall back door or bring to the parish hall after 9:30am Mass

Craft Items: All hand-crafted donations welcome. Please price them.

Baked Goods: Accepted Oct 31 & Nov 1/2. Breads, cookies, cakes and brownies, cupcakes etc. Please no cream pies, jams jellies or items needing refrigeration. Please price items and write description including allergen warnings

Household Treasures: Gently used or regifted Fall or Christmas decorations, jewelry, coffee table books, Christmas stories and children's books, toys, bikes, puzzles, games, Legos, gift wrap, nativity sets, tree decorations, tree lights, outdoor lights, collectibles, and new electronics.

Wreaths: Fall, Thanksgiving, or Christmas - deadline for submission Nov 1. Please price items.

NO USED CLOTHING, USED ELECTRONICS, OR CAR SEATS PLEASE!

Have questions or want to help sort & price donations, set up or tear down, or work during the bazaar? Contact Kathy Jones (360)929-7632 or kathy@jjjonesjr.com



~St Mary~

*Saturday, December 7 from 9am to 2pm ~ open to the public
Sunday, December 8 after Mass ~ parish only*

We will be accepting donations of: Craft Items, Gift Items, Baked Goods!

Have questions? Contact Janet Rojas 360-969-1609 or mjrojas@whidbey.net



Catholic Daughters

Coats for Kids & All People

Coat Drive

What:

- * New & clean, gently used coats and jackets
- * All sizes - 2 toddler through 2xx adult
- * Note: Little kids love colorful coats but adults and teens prefer dark or neutral colors

When:

The drop box will be in the parish vestibule October 5 – December 1

Who:

Through the generosity of you, our fellow parishioners, the Knights of Columbus, and Catholic Daughters of America Court of Our Lady of the Islands, we plan to provide coats to every school in Oak Harbor, The Haven, Spin Café, and Ryans House.

*"For I was hungry and you gave me
food...naked and you clothed me..."*
Matthew 25:35-36

