



St. Augustine Church

140 MAPLE AVE., NEW CITY, NY 10956

“Becoming what we receive - the Living Body of Christ - through worship, discipleship, community, ministry and outreach.”

PARISH OFFICE (*Parish Center*) Phone: 845-634-3641 Fax: 845-639-6118
Web: www.staugustinewcity.org
OFFICE HOURS ~ 8:30am to 4:00pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (*Parish Center*) Phone: 845-634-8462

The deadline for bulletin items is Monday 12 noon of each week, unless it's a holiday; then the Friday before. We ask for your cooperation. Thank you. E-mail ~ staug@optonline.net

BAPTISM: Baptism is celebrated on the first and third Sunday of the month at 1:30 pm (usually). There is a required Baptism class for the parents to attend prior to the baptism. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

MARRIAGE: Engaged couples should contact the parish office at least six months in advance. Diocesan regulations require a marriage preparation program for all couples. Ask for a parish policy brochure at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS: The parish religious education programs, grades 1-8, help bring about God's kingdom by proclaiming and teaching God's word, celebrating the sacraments, and placing value on service to all people. Call the office for more details.

DEVOTIONS: Miraculous Medal: All are welcome to attend following the Monday 9:00 am Mass. **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** First Fridays 3:00-8:00 pm; Holy Hour/Benediction 7:00-8:00 pm. **Rosary:** Recited each morning before the 6:30 am Mass and following the 9:00 am Mass. **Stations of the Cross:** Fridays in Lent 7:30 pm.

SERVED BY

Rev. William Cosgrove *Pastor*
Rev. Michael F. Achanyi.....*Parochial Vicar*
Jim Suchy *Deacon*
Sam Mobarek *Deacon*
Rowena Hoblin *Director of Religious Education*
Regina Schacht *Parish Office Manager*
Jessica Giglio *Youth Minister*
Anne Fallon *Trustee*
Don Mackenzie *Trustee*

THE LORD'S DAY: MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday evening..... 5:00 pm
Sunday7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 am
&12 noon
Weekdays..... 6:30 & 9:00 am
Saturday 9:00 am

Holy days of obligation and special feast days as announced.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:45 pm. Anytime upon request.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Communal Anointing announced in the Sunday bulletin. Anytime upon request.

PARISH REGISTRATION: We welcome all new members to our parish family. Please register at the parish office. We want to know and serve you. Please become an active part of our parish community. All adults (over age 21) who are working should register in the parish themselves and should use envelopes or ParishPay.com or website link to support the parish. Tithing is 5% of income; Stewardship is your decision in prayer. Please notify the parish office if you are changing your address or phone number so that we may have accurate records! This registration is our only means of certifying anyone as a member of our parish family, especially for Baptism and Confirmation sponsorship letters and for scheduling baptisms or weddings.

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 24, 2017



Office of the Cardinal

*As you may imagine, I receive quite a few letters from the faithful everyday. No letter cheers me more than that of a parishioner extolling the dedicated service of his/her pastor. And, as you know, so many of our pastors were spiritually formed and academically trained at our own **Saint Joseph's seminary in Dunwoodie, Yonkers.***

*Our Seminarians are the future shepherds of our flock, spiritual guides for our faithful and leaders in our communities. It is our responsibility, therefore, to ensure that they are as well prepared as possible to serve the Church here in New York. This year, **Saint Joseph's Seminary** begins its 121st year of forming and ordaining holy, faithful, and dedicated priests. Our seminary is held in the highest regard, each year with other dioceses and religious orders joining our priestly and diaconate formation programs.*

*With this letter, I invite you to consider, in your own prayer, a sacrificial gift to the **Annual Seminary Collection**, to be conducted the weekend of **September 30th and October 1st.** Your support will provide tuition and room and board for more than forty seminarians of the archdiocese. It also allows us to continue our solid tradition of excellence in academically training and spiritually forming candidates for the priesthood and diaconate. In short, your support will help prepare young men who will inspire those letters of admiration that I receive daily about so many of our great priests.*

The priesthood is a life of sacrifice and service. As you know, we do not have as many men making the commitment to serve as priests as we did years ago, and I am so grateful to those who accept the Lord's call. Please assist me in providing for our seminarians who will hand on the life and traditions of the Church as they embark on their training to become your priests.

*With prayerful best wishes, I am
Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York*



FASHION SHOW by CATHOLIC BIG SISTERS

**Thursday, October 5th ~ Pearl River Hilton
Cocktails 6:30pm Dinner to follow
Fashions by J. Jill, The Shops at Nanuet ~ Peter Duffy Furs
Tickets \$60.00**

Payable to St. Augustine Church

**Return to Parish Center no later than September 28th with a stamped self addressed #10 envelope.
Tables will be assigned as checks are received.**

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ **# of tickets** _____

Must attach list of names and table chair.



**In Memory of
Dr. Desiree Pardi
Requested by
Roy & Diane
Dougherty**



**In Memory of
Joseph Scaglione
Requested by
Audrey**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION EVENT

**Does the everyday stress of being a parent seem overwhelming to you sometimes?
Do you wish there was a way to take control over your anxiety and live a calmer,
happier life? Well, we've got the answer.**



Join NYT Bestselling Author, Marriage and Family Therapist and frequent TODAY Show expert Hal Runkel present **SCREAMFREE PARENTING. Hal will give you a new, better way to think about parenting and create the family life you want most. Join us on **Wednesday October 4th at 7PM at St. Augustine Church in the Zoeller Center**. Visit <http://screamfree.com/StAug> for details and to buy tickets.**

GROWING OLDER GRACEFULLY

Drawing from the wisdom of Sister Joan Chittister, a Benedictine nun, Father Bill will reflect on a number of themes that Sister Joan has used in her book: *The Gift of Years*. Her writings point us beyond the physical dimension of aging to the spiritual dimension which commonly increases. Father Bill will reflect on a number of her themes e.g. regret, fear, possibility, letting go, solitude, memories, loneliness, the present. Come and discover the gift of growing older gracefully.

Tuesday, October 3 and 10 at 10 a.m. in the Zoeller Center (Church basement)

MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS 2017

- ADULT FAITH FORMATION.....Ellen Rice, 215-5501
- ALTAR SERVERSFather Michael, 634-3641
- ALTAR LINEN SOCIETY.....Mary Downey, 634-0458
- BEREAVEMENTArlene Melillo, 634-3882
- BIBLE STUDY GROUPBarbara Wood, 634-2215
- BINGO CHAIRMAN.....Joseph Agnello, 548-8071
- BLD FAITH COMMUNITYEric Macalintal, 914-419-2916
- BOY SCOUTS, SCOUTMASTERMichael Davidson, 222-2870
- BOY & CUB SCOUTS REPJohn Kelly, 721-8592
- BOY SCOUTS, COMM. CHAIRMatt Feidberg 914-263-8767
- CALENDAR COORDINATOR.....Bill Galvin, 634-8450
- CATHOLIC BIG SISTERS.....Fran Amendola, 634-6130
- CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP.....Helen Reck, 634-3404
- CHURCH DECORATING GROUP.....Judy McCready, 634-9070
- CUB SCOUTS, CUBMASTEREmanuel Giachetti, 608-7124
- CYO BASKETBALL COORDDan O'Sullivan, 914- 260-6550
- EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS COORD...Deacon Jim Suchy, 634-3641
- FAMILY FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE.....Richard Morreale, 708-0461
- FOOD PANTRYGerry Kelleher, 634-6749
- GRAND KNIGHT, K. OF C.....Brian Vettoso, 551-427-8720
- GREETERS MINISTRYAnne Fallon, 634-7165
- HOLY NAME SOCIETY, PRES.....Andrew Farrelly, 634-6150
- HOMEBOUND EUCCHARISTIC MIN.....Deacon Jim Suchy, 634-3641
- HOSPITALITYElaine Conover, 826-0606
- LECTORS COORDINATORDeacon Jim Suchy, 634,3641
- PARISH COUNCIL, PRES.....Andrei Alcruz, 646-460-3499
- RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation Adults)Deacon Jim Suchy, 634-3641
- RELIGIOUS ED. DIRECTORRowena Hoblin, 634-8462
- ROSARY SOCIETYJudy McCready, 634-9070
- SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEEPeter Palko, 638-0965
- ST. VINCENT de PAUL.....Father Bill, 634-3641
- USHERS.....Deacon Sam Mobarek, 638-6155



**Friday evenings in the school gym.
Doors open at 5:30pm
Bingo begins at 7:15pm. For more
info, call Joe Agnello at 548-8071**

COLLECTION



- September 10, 2017 \$15,853
- September 11, 2016 \$16,639
- September 17, 2017 \$14,904
- September 18, 2016 \$14,978

**125 Families using Parish Pay
1,070 Families receive envelopes
2,713 Registered Families
354 Envelopes used this week**

A RUMMAGE SALE sponsored by the Blessed Mother Sodality of St. Anthony's Church in Nanuet will be held from 2pm to 6:30 pm on Saturday, October 21st and from 9a.m. to 2p.m. on Sunday, October 22nd in the ST. Anthony's School Cafeteria. **A**

BAKE SALE will also be held.

Questions: contact Diane Hennessy 623-3939

October is Respect Life Month. Could you please announce these two events in your church bulletin and website/Facebook page?

The 25th Annual Rockland Life Chain
Respect Life Sunday -- Oct. 1

Come join the Christian community of Rockland standing in peaceful, prayerful solidarity in defense of the unborn. We'll be at the intersection of Route 59 & Middletown Rd in Nanuet from 2 to 3:30 pm.

40 Days for Life

Our 21st prayer vigil for life will begin Sept. 27 at 3 pm on PUBLIC property on Perlman Drive in Spring Valley. It will run for 40 consecutive days. Please take one hour and be a prayerful witness for LIFE. For information call 845-492-6709 or email rachelminister1@aol.com

*Jim & Phyllis Gilroy, Ruth Kavanagh,
Maria Ponterosso, Jodi Dove
Innerfield, Rose Fischetti, Terry
Fishman, Thomas A. Downes, III
Nicole Fishman,*



Please remember these and the names mentioned in the prayer of the faithful in your own private prayers in your home during the week. Prayers are the powerful tools of the Lord in healing.

Paramus Catholic High School cordially invites 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students and their parents to visit us during one of our Open Houses on Sunday, October 1st, 2017 from 1:00-4:00 PM, and Wednesday, October 18th from 7:00-9:00 PM. The school is located at 425 Paramus Road, Paramus NJ. For more information, please contact the Admissions Office at 201-445-4466 ext. 104.

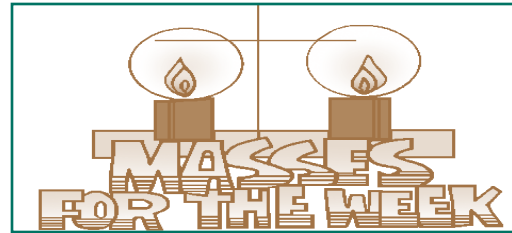
Saint Patrick's Cathedral

**Columbus Day Mass & Parade
Monday, October 9th at 9:30am**

Celebrant:

**His Eminence, Timothy Michael
Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York**

**To reserve free tickets, please email
columbusday@archny.org or call
646-794-2000**



Saturday, September 23rd, Vigil Mass

5:00 PM Carlo & Josephine Bruno

Sunday, September 24th, 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Egan & Keenan Families

9:00 AM Mary Franklin

10:30 AM For the Parishioners of St. Augustine

12:00 PM James A. Kane

Monday, September, 25th, Weekday

6:30 AM Michael Downey

9:00 AM James & Margaret McLoughlin

Tuesday, September 26th, Weekday

6:30 AM Mary Miniaci

9:00 AM James & Helen Sammon

Wednesday, September 27th, St. Vincent de Paul

6:30 AM Mike & Sally Lyons

9:00 AM Ralph Schocher

Thursday, September 28th, Weekday

6:30 AM Marie Roscia

9:00 AM Robert Klotz, Jr. ~ 5th Anniversary

**Friday, September 29th, Saints Michael, Gabriel & Raphael
Archangels**

6:30 AM Magnone Family

9:00 AM Richard O'Neill

Saturday, September 30th, St. Jerome

9:00 AM Nicola Federici

5:00 PM Vigil Mass ~ Harold & Kenneth Jorgensen

Sunday, October 1st, 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Desiree Pardi

9:00 AM Rocco DiMatteo

10:30 AM For the Parishioners of Saint Augustine

12:00 PM Erlinda Gan

THANK YOU!

The Jesus Outreach Preparatory School in Ghana expresses their gratitude to all those who donated to their school so that they can have washrooms for orphans and needy children who attend their school. St. Cecilia Educational Centre in Ghana also wishes to thank everyone who donated to their school which will provide them with a modern computer laboratory in this technical age.

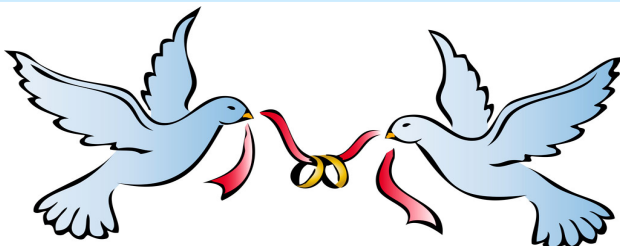
Msgr. John

Liturgical Ministers for September 30th & October 1st

Celebrant	EME	Lector	Greeter	Altar Servers
Saturday, 5:00pm Father Bill	Monaghan Jamieson Bruno S. Giglio Haggerty Deacon Sam	Scanlan	D'Aquino Melillo	Juan Duy A J Rodriguez Carlos Duluc+
Sunday, 7:30am Father Michael	Costanzo Procino	Termini		Faylin McCormack Kiera McCormack Dominic Procino+
Sunday, 9:00am Father Bill	Crothers Pearson Lyden Kelly DeLoughery Deacon Jim	Reck	J. Nassivera C. Nassivera	Miguel Alvarez+ Shon Antony Damian Bednarski
Sunday, 10:30am Father Michael	J. Beckley Forgione Lynch Whelan Santiesteban Deacon Sam	W. Beckley	G. McCabe J. McCabe	Jay Sta. Cruz Jenna Sta. Cruz+
Sunday, 12:00pm Father Bill	Fajardo Cruz Conover Yonskie Urzi Deacon Jim	Hoblin	Fredericks	Shaina Stone+ Jaron Paul Justin Paul



We welcome William Eric Campbell, Noah Manuel Deveras, Darren Thomas Upton & Ximena Flores, into our faith and we pray that they will continue to grow in wisdom and grace with the assistance of their godparents and our prayers.



BANNS WEEK 1

**Kelsey Fisher & Chris Pellicone
Elizabeth Pawlowski & Jon Sicinner**

INFORMATION SHEET

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