

# SAINT AUGUSTINE PARISH FAMILY

Millville, Massachusetts

## PASTORAL STAFF

### PASTOR:

Rev. Lawrence J. Esposito

### ASSOCIATE PASTOR:

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### PARISH OFFICE:

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### OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday  
8:30am - 2:00pm

Closed : Friday, Saturday & Sunday  
(AND ALL CIVIC HOLIDAYS)

### PRIESTS' RESIDENCE:

Good Shepherd Rectory

121 Linwood Street Linwood, MA.

Telephone: (508) 234-7726

### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: Mon.-Thurs. 9:00 AM

Holy Days: As Announced

Confessions: Sat. 3:15 PM-4:00 PM

### MISSION STATEMENT

St. Augustine Parish Family is a Roman Catholic community established in 1884, in Millville, Massachusetts.

We are committed to: Worshiping God,  
Welcoming All, Sharing Faith,  
Caring For You.

We stand with every generation  
as we strive to live and grow in  
faith, hope, and love.



### FAITH FORMATION MINISTER:

Donna Wilson

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### OTHER KEY POSITIONS:

#### MUSIC:

Ann Lowney & Albert DeNoncour

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIR:

Gerald Finn

#### PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIR:

Colleen Curis

#### SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATORS:

Lisa Renault

#### DEVELOPMENT:

Ann Lesperance

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GRAND KNIGHT:

Leo Gauthier

#### ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:

Kathleen Zmetra

#### HOME VISITATION:

Lois Salome

#### SANCTUARY SETTINGS:

Lorraine Desjardins

If you are a visitor or if you are new to our parish, we welcome you. If you would like to become a member of our parish, you may call the parish office, contact us by e-mail or return this form by mail or by placing it in the offertory collection. This form may also be used for change of address or to request a call from a member of our staff.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

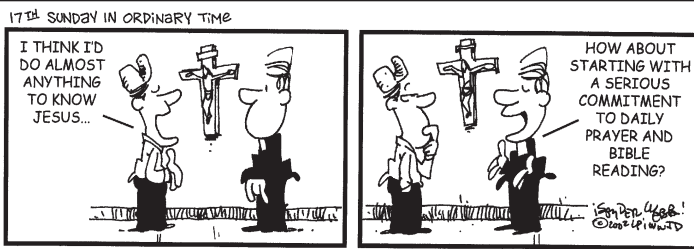
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

New parishioner \_\_\_ Change of address \_\_\_ Please contact me \_\_\_

**Readings for the Week of July 30, 2017**

**Sunday:** 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46  
**Monday:** Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-23/Mt 13:31-35  
**Tuesday:** Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-13/Mt 13:36-43  
**Wednesday:** Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5-7, 9/Mt 13:44-46  
**Thursday:** Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53  
**Friday:** Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58  
**Saturday:** Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12  
**Next Sunday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9



**Mass Intentions**

There are plenty of weekday Masses and the Sanctuary Candle still available in August & September.  
 The stipend is \$10.00 each.  
 Please contact Lisa Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-2:00pm.



**Liturgical Roles August 5/6, 2017**

**Lectors**

4:30 PM R. Lozeau  
 8:00 AM V. Fanelli  
 10:30AM L. Therien

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

4:30 PM C. Curis, N. Zagaglia, Jackie Greenhalgh  
 8:00 AM R. Gauthier, L. Gauthier, J. Mullaly  
 10:30 AM A. Trank, J. Therien, P. Laliberte

**Altar Servers**

4:30 PM  
 8:00 AM  
 10:30 AM M. Laplume, N. Cook

**Money Counters**

Team #1: J. Ethier, S. Giardini, T. Petrowicz

**Mass Intentions**

**Sat., July 29**

4:30pm Harry Thistle by: Mr. & Mrs. Marcel Laplume

**Sun., July 30**

8:00am Frederick Oseicki by: Mr. & Mrs. Robert LaBarre  
 10:30am Mr. & Mrs. Frances Lockwood by: The Family

**Mon., July 31**

9:00am People of St. Augustine

**Tues., August 1**

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Margaret, Peggy, Jim, & Becky Keegan

**Wed., August 2**

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Mary Lou Anderson

**Thurs., August 3**

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Rosalie Levitre

**Sat., August 5**

4:30pm Harold Thistle by: Leo & Roberta Gauthier

**Sun., August 6**

8:00am Joe & Connie Knapik by: The Family  
 10:30am Lou & Marcel Lucier by: Nancy Lucier-Proiotti



The sanctuary candle burns brightly this week for

**William B. Roth**

Requested by:

**His Daughter Lisa**

**WE KNOW**  
*that in all things*  
**GOD WORKS**  
**FOR THE GOOD**  
*of those who*  
**LOVE HIM,**  
**WHO HAVE BEEN**  
**CALLED ACCORDING**  
*to his purpose.*  
 — Romans 8:28

**This week at St. Augustine**

7/30	8:00 AM	Mass
	10:30 AM	Mass
7/31	9:00 AM	Mass
8/1	9:00 AM	Mass
8/2	9:00 AM	Mass
8/3	9:00 AM	Mass
8/4	7:30 PM	AA
8/5	4:30 PM	Mass
8/6	8:00 AM	Mass
	10:30 AM	Mass

**8/2 to 8/6 Soulfest in N.H. (Youth Group)**

**SHARING OUR BLESSINGS**

**Weekly Goal \$3779.00**

( The Participation of all is very important and appreciated by the whole community. )

**Weekend of July 22/23, 2017**

Offertory Collection	\$1914.00
Electronic Giving ( 5 )	<u>\$155.00</u>
<b>Total Offertory</b>	<b>\$2069.00</b>
<b>Other Income</b>	
Utility Fund	<u>\$49.99</u>
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>\$49.99</b>

**Total Income: \$2118.99**

**Thank You!**

**Members of Saints Francis & Therese Catholic Worker** will be here on the weekend of August 19 and 20, 2017 with our homemade baked goods. The sale of our wholesome bread and muffins, made with organic ingredients, is the main source of income which supports our ministries. We shelter homeless men and women, and we work for justice and peace. There is no set price for the bread as we prefer to depend on your generosity to carry on the works of mercy.

If you need anything put into the bulletin, please contact Lisa **as soon as possible.**

**In Remembrance Forms** can be found on the bookshelves inside all the doors to the church.

**JULY 30, 2017**

**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it." Jesus today gives us the image of a merchant who knows he has discovered a great treasure. In fact, its value is so tremendous that the man is willing to sell everything else in order to possess it. Why? Because he knows it will all be worth it. He knows that the pearl will bring him more reward than anything else he has ever owned, more even than all his possessions combined.

This Gospel story is meant to help us understand the unfathomable value of the kingdom of heaven. Nothing else can compare to it. No material item, no honor or success, can compete with this pearl of great price. Everything we have, short of this, is finite: limited, temporary, and ultimately fleeting. Eternal happiness, on the other hand, is infinite. It never ends. This is the deep contentment, the satisfaction, the peace, and happiness that we crave, the kind that doesn't disappoint.

Like the merchant in the parable, we too should understand the value of this discovery. As Christians, we have "found" the treasure beyond all other treasures! Life in Christ, both now and in heaven, is truly the pearl of great price. The only question is whether we are willing to "sell" all that we have to obtain it. In other words, are we willing to release the other things that claim hold on us? Are we ready to put Christ first in our lives? All of us need to take pause from time to time and examine our attachments and priorities. Money, pleasure, success, or comfort can often seem so important to us that we falsely begin to imagine these things will bring the happiness we so desire. But the message is loud and clear today: the kingdom of heaven is the true treasure we long for.



***In Remembrance***

Alfred & Rina Berthelette  
 Frank A. Borek  
 Roland & Maria Bouvier  
 Henry & Eileen Cabana  
 Cabana & Logan Families  
 Thomas & Ruth Coady  
 Rev. Roland Chenier  
 Joseph & Anna Curis  
 Agnes L. D ' Aniello  
 Dow & Dudley Families  
 Leo & Gertrude Ethier

Florence M. Femia  
 Fierley & Ranslow Families  
 James A. Keegan Sr.  
 Paul & Denise Lafayette  
 Robert H. Laflamme Sr. & Robert Laflamme Jr.  
 Laplante & Parker Families  
 Christopher, Pauline & Chris Lesperance  
 Henry G. Levitre  
 John McNamara & Collins Family  
 William Bruce McClelland

Louis Mercure  
 Emile "Bill" & Beatrice ( Gray ) Morin  
 James & Frances Mullaly  
 William B. Roth  
 Leo & Jeannette Roy  
 Jack & Mary Ryan  
 Mary & Frank Sarlin & Daughter Sheila  
 Joseph F. Szlosek Jr., the Szlosek Family & Rawinski Family  
 Walsh, Whalen & Viera Families  
 John & Vilma Zagaglia  
 Helen & Walter Zekanoski