

# ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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## CATALDO CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY -THURSDAY: 8:30 A. M.-3:30 P.M.

FRIDAY: 8:30-3:30 P.M.

## MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:30 P.M.

SUNDAY: 9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

WEEKDAYS: 8:00 A.M.

CATALDO SCHOOL STUDENT MASSES: THURSDAY 9:00 A.M.  
(WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION)

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH BENEDICTION

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH: 8:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.

## CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY: 3:15 P.M. - 4:00 P.M., OR BY APPOINTMENT

## ROSARY

MONDAY: 8:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH SITS BETWEEN CANNON HILL AND MANITO PARKS IN THE HEART OF SPOKANE'S HISTORIC SOUTH HILL NEIGHBORHOOD. IT HAS PROVIDED A PLACE OF WORSHIP FOR GENERATIONS OF CATHOLIC FAMILIES AND SERVES THE STUDENTS OF CATALDO CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

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***“God in your goodness you have made a home for the poor.”***

**~Psalm 68:4-5**

**MASS TIMES**

|        |         |            |                                  |
|--------|---------|------------|----------------------------------|
| Sat.   | Aug. 31 | 4:30 p.m.  | †Margaret McCoy                  |
| Sun.   | Sept 1  | 9:00 a.m.  | For Our Country                  |
|        |         | 11:00 a.m. | <i>Pro popoli</i>                |
| Mon.   | Sept. 2 | 8:00 a.m.  | Special Intention                |
| Tue.   | Sept. 3 | 8:00 a.m.  |                                  |
| Wed.   | Sept. 4 | 8:00 a.m.  | †John and †Elizabeth Schmidkofer |
| Thurs. | Sept. 5 | 8:00 a.m.  |                                  |
|        |         | 9:00 a.m.  | School Mass                      |
| Fri.   | Sept. 6 | 8:00 a.m.  |                                  |

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

|                  |                 |                     |
|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Sandy Alderman   | Jason Rocks     | Paula Willette      |
| Althea Beaver    | Erika Schearman | John R. Conley, Jr. |
| Isabel Brunkan   | Megan Simpson   | Frank Culhane       |
| Bill Campbell    | Tiffany Simpson | Pat Campbell        |
| Margaret Chastek | Ashley Sutch    | Tyler Lovett        |
| Pat Kingsbury    | Eley Vann       | Rosemary Leaver     |
| Mary Lenoue      | Doug Ward       | Kathy Korth         |
| Greg Renner      | Wilson Webb     | Linda Peterson      |

**WOMEN’S PRAYER GROUP**

***Second and fourth Fridays of the month, 10:30 a.m.***

Contact Mary Ellen Byrnes for more information and location (509) 747-6603.

**PRAYER SHAWL KNITTERS**

***First Thursday of the month, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.***

Newcomers always welcome! If you know someone who would appreciate a shawl, please contact the parish office.

**QUILTING GROUP**

***Wednesdays, 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Pearson Hall***

The quilting group is on break for the summer and will resume after Labor Day. Please contact the office if you are interested in joining this group next year.

**FAITH FORMATION**

Ivana Ackermann, Director of Religious Education  
(509) 747-7972 or  
iackermann@dioceseofspokane.org

**FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION:**

The registration for this coming year’s Religious Education classes is now open on our website. Hard copies are available in the office and in the vestibule. Please register your children by September 8.

**JOIN THE RCIA THIS YEAR!**

The RCIA program will start on September 17. If you know someone who is interested in the Catholic faith or in becoming Catholic, be sure to invite them to join our low-pressure, informative, and formative group. Alternatively, if you are already Catholic but are interested in deepening your faith, please consider joining us this year. Everyone is welcome to participate.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Sacramental preparation begins on September 29. Be sure to check out our website for more information or contact Ivana directly to sign up your child

**CALL FOR VOLUNTEER TEACHERS**

We can still use more religious education volunteers. We will provide support, training and classroom materials, so if you have an interest in teaching the Faith, this is a great place to start. Please contact Ivana if you are interested.

***Wine and Cheese***

**Saturday, September 14** following the 4:30 Mass.  
Hosted by one of our dinner groups!



***Coffee and Donuts***

**Starting up again September 15!** If your are interested in helping to serve coffee and donuts, please call the office.



**MEET THE NEW MUSIC DIRECTOR**

Heather Fuller-Johnson || hfullerjohnson@dioceseofspokane.org

Welcome to our new Music Director! To many of you, Heather Fuller-Johnson is a familiar face or even a dear friend. She and her family have been a part of our parish for many years, and we are thrilled to have her join the staff as our new music director.

In recent years, Heather’s sweet voice has been heard at St. Peter Parish and the Cathedral, but she has also been a cantor at St. Augustine. Her husband, Craig, and two children, Isaac and Teresa, regularly accompany our choir with their saxophone, violin and clarinet. We are grateful to God for providing our parish with such a musical family, and we look forward to worshipping with Heather again.



## OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY

Regular office hours resume after Labor Day. (Mon-Thurs: 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Fri: 8:30 a.m.-noon)

### DINNER GROUPS

Dinner groups are beginning soon! While many of you have expressed an interest in keeping your same group, we encourage you to join a new one. You can still meet with your old group, continue to foster those friendships, while getting to know a new group of people as well. These are small, casual gatherings where 8-10 people that meet a few times a year. This is a great way to know parishioners outside of Sunday Mass. There is no pressure to host a dinner in your home, so don't let that dissuade you from joining. We will realign our dinner groups this fall, so please let us know if you would like to join one. Call/text Teresa Reuter at (509)991-2631 or email at [treuter@dioceseofspokane.org](mailto:treuter@dioceseofspokane.org).



### SUMMER PROJECTS UPDATE



**Vestibule:** The work in the vestibule is nearly complete. Over the last several weeks, workers have painted the walls, hung new paneling in the baptistery, and removed carpet in the vestibule and around the font to expose the terrazzo floors. We hope to keep the disruption to a minimum and appreciate your patience as we work to refresh the space.

**Terraced Gardens & Grotto:** Work continues on the parish grounds. You may have noticed new perennials coming to life. We have planted rhododendrons on 18th Avenue. The sprinkler system has now been repaired and is working well. The Sorrows of Mary statues now have lighting and personalized plaques at each, with a special plaque for Mothers of Lost Children in the area at the northeast corner of the parking lot near the Pieta and Crucifix.

**The Organ:** The Bond Organ Company has completed the first portion of the repairs on the organ. They have made some adjustments so that the notes and pedals are not "sticking" as they had been doing previously. They also performed some routine tuning and regulation that should be regularly done if the organ is to remain in good condition. They will return after the heat has passed and into winter to continue repairs.

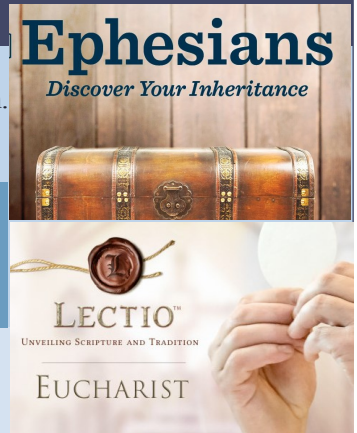
**Your Support is very much appreciated:** Thank you for all of your donations to make these upgrades possible.

### SAINT AUGUSTINE BIBLE STUDIES

**Ephesians~ Discover Your Inheritance** is an 8-week session that meets Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the St. Ambrose Room at the parish center. This session begins Tuesday, September 17.

**Eucharist~ Discovering the Mass in the Bible** is a 10-week session that meets Thursdays at 9:00 a.m. in Pearson Hall. This session begins Thursday, September 19.

Register at [www.staugustinespokane.com](http://www.staugustinespokane.com). Childcare is available upon request. Please contact Jeff Klein if you have questions: (509)919-6940.



### PARISH STEWARDSHIP

|                                     | Weekly Collection | Guatemala   | Poor        | Children's | Summer 2019*  |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Week of August 25                   | \$ 4,970.00       | \$ 15.00    | \$ 100.00   | \$ 95.00   | \$ 357.00     |
| Total August Offertory              | \$ 22,702.00      | \$ 846.00   | \$ 1,195.00 | \$ 156.00  | \$ 609.00     |
| Fiscal Year to date (Jul'19—Jun'20) | \$ 40,584.00      | \$ 2,218.00 | \$ 2,895.00 | \$ 199.00  | \$ 23,594.00* |

\*Summer collection total includes all Summer 2019 contributions.