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Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

St. Augustine.....Saturday, 5:00 pm
.....Sunday, 10:30 am
St. Anne:.....Sunday, 8:30 am

*Holy Day's of Obligations & All Special Celebrations
will be at 6:00 pm

Weekday Masses:
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 8:00 am
Wednesday 6:00 pm
1st Friday, Holy Hour after Mass

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 23, 2022

My Beloved People

Practicing our beautiful Catholic Faith isn't like going to the supermarket where you pick up some Grace, maybe a little bit of God's mercy in the confessional, and then head out the door. Instead Faith is like exercise. It is the dedication and the actual doing of the exercises (prayers, rituals, penance, study, devotions), that results in us becoming 'fit. Therefore, in Catholicism we boldly proclaim that we cooperate in our own redemption. Yes, Christ's Incarnation, Suffering, Passion, Death, and Resurrection are the origins of our redemption, but unless we are formed into His Disciples we will not recognize His voice. Faith is so unsatisfying to the great majority of Catholics because it doesn't change their lives: it doesn't move them from despair to Hope; from loneliness to companionship; to anxiety to peace; from normal to extraordinary. For unless faith moves you; unless it is constantly challenging, changing, forming your thoughts, behaviors, and desires; it will never become the pearl of great price. A Disciple is a person who embraces the disciplines and teachings of its leader. Thus, I challenge you to live this week fully according to the disciplines of Christ! In Service to Christ and His Church - Fr. Charlie



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Mass Schedule

Jan 22 Saturday 5:00 pm	Lou Begnaud, Joseph D. Roque, James L. Metoyer, Sr., and Theresa L. Roque
Jan 23 Sunday 8:30 am	Those Suffering Addiction & Depression
Jan 23 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish
Jan 24 Monday	NO MASS
Readings: 2 Sam 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26; Mark 3:22-30	
Jan 25 Tuesday	NO MASS
Readings: Acts 22:3-16; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mark 16:15-18	
Jan 26 Wednesday 6:00 pm	Todd Roque
Readings: 2 Tim 1:1-8; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mark 4:1-20	
Jan 27 Thursday 8:00 am	NO MASS
Readings: 2 Sam 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14; Mark 4:21-25	
Jan 28 Friday 8:00am	NO MASS
Readings: 2 Sam 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7. 10-11; Mark 4:26-34	
Jan 29 Saturday 5:00 pm	Todd Roque, Maria Conant Jones, Anniversary of Sidney Pichon and Darren Gallion
Readings: 2 Sam 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mark 4:35-41	
Jan 30 Sunday 8:30 am	Increase of Priestly Vocations
Jan 30 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish

This Week at a Glance

Wed, Mass 6 pm followed by CCD
AA Meeting Wednesday, 7:00 pm



Week's Offering:

January 16, 2021

	St. Augustine	St. Anne Chapel
Weekly	\$ 2,813.00	\$565.00
Building Fund	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Thank you for your generosity!		

Parish Service Schedule:

	EUCCHARIST	LECTORS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday Jan 29 5:00 pm	Suspended Covid 19	Anita Evans	Mike Bordelon James Connt	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers
Sunday Jan 30 10:30 am	Suspended Covid 19	Minnie Metoyer	Fred Jacobs Patrick Jones	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers

**2022 Envelopes are on the table at the entrance of the church.
2021 Contributions statements will be mailed by January 31, 2022. Thanks!**

Christian Mothers Meeting, Friday, January 28, 2022 @ 6 p.m.

On-Line Giving



We have exciting news! St. Augustine is now offering online giving services to better serve our parishioners. To give online through our new platform, visit our giving page on our website <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/staugustinecaneriver> You can also give through text message by sending "Give" to 318-217-8833 or just scan the QR code.

February 5 - Priestly Vocations Retreat

There will be a day of reflection on Feb. 5 at Maryhill Renewal Center in Pineville from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for any man who is discerning priesthood or wants to know more about seminary. Any high school, college, or adult male is invited to attend, to do so please contact Fr. Luke LaFleur at frlafleur@diocesealex.org.

Please pray for our Sick and Shut-In:

Andrew Balthazar, Karen Pichon, Wilma Pichon, Joe Raggio, Sylvester Sers, Margaret Velasquez, Claudine Meziere Metoyer, Hanna Powell, Steven Hines, Ron Jones, Charles Henry Christophe, Christopher Metoyer, Jeannie Llorence, Maxine Christophe, Garnett Cumbo, Patricia Rachal, Ashley & Nicole Llorens, Ted Duggan, Sr., Allison Hillary, William Antee, Sister Sylvia Conant, Michael Thomas, Cuc Lam, Rose Mary Addison, Nick Jackson, Walter Delphin, Dee Hawthorne, Gerald LaCaze, Julie D. O'Brien, Martha Jones, Jerry Jones, Dowl Bruce Dupree, Jr., David Christophe Sr., Darren Gallion and Barry Antee.

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2ND COLLECTION: The Church in Latin America: The week of January 23, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. For many in Latin America and the Caribbean, a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers all present obstacles to practicing the faith. Your support for the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our Catholic faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. To learn more about how your gifts make a difference, visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

FEBRUARY 8 The Church Today: We will be taking up a special collection for our diocesan newspaper, the Church Today. Every month, this 24-page newspaper is mailed FREE to every Catholic household in the diocese. All donations to this special collection go directly to the Church Today to help defray the cost of printing and mailing. If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the Church Today FREE each month, call (318) 445-6424, ext 209 to request it. Please be generous today and support our diocesan newspaper, the Church Today.