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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

Ascension of the Lord
May 29, 2022

My Good People,

This has been a most rewarding week. I challenged you to send me two things you learned about Catholicism, and I have received nearly a hundred responses. Please be aware that there exists a temptation to maintain the faith versus grow in the faith. You only need to look at your physical body. Today your body will replace 300 billion cells (about %1 of its total). When you can no longer accomplish this renewal, you die. It's the same with the Christian Faith. If you are like me, you forget things you learn; that's okay! But we ought to make the effort to replace what has been loss. Utilize the Catechism, FORMED, or the Compendium of the Catholic Church to rebuild. The fruit of doing so is both life and hope; two essentials in the spiritual life. Please continue to email me things you learn and experience. Also, let me know what you desire to learn! Our Faith is Wondrously Beautiful.

On a humorous note: for the first week in my priesthood, I ministered more to people that are younger than me. If you look around our Church, you will notice more and more young families. This is a very good thing. And lastly, let them babies cry at Mass, I am happy they are here and there screams are much wiser than what I can say. For unless you become like a child, you will not enter the Kingdom of Heaven.

Know that you reside in my heart, your priest, Fr Charlie

Prayer for Vocations: God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons, religious , and consecrated persons. Send your Holy Spirit to help us respond generously and courageously to your call. May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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Mass Schedule

May 28 Saturday 5:00 pm	Joseph Delphin, Yvonne Jones, Mildred Patin, Emanuel Dupree and Benedict LaCour
May 29 Sunday 8:30 am	The People of Ukraine
May 29 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish
May 30 Monday	NO MASS
Readings: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; John 16:29-33	
May 31 Tuesday 6:00 pm	Fr. Vincent Vu Van Duyet
Readings: Zep 3:14-18a; Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Luke 1:39-56	
June 1 Wednesday 6:00 pm	Todd Roque and Timothy Turner
Readings: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab; John 17:11b-19	
June 2 Thursday 8:00 am	Intentions of All Catholic Priests
Readings: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1, 2a & 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; John 17:20-26	
June 3 Friday 8:00 am	People of Ukraine
6:00 pm	Vespers
Readings: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; John 21:15-19	
June 4 Saturday 8:00 am	First Saturday Mass - Conversion of Souls
5:00 pm	Lillian Kochinsky LeCoure, Emanuel Dupree, Edwin Romain, Jr. and Benedict LaCour
Readings: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5 & 7; John 21:20-25	
June 5 Sunday 8:30 am	The People of the Parish
June 5 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish



This Week at a Glance

Wed, Mass 6 pm - St. Augustine
AA Meeting Wednesday, 7:00 pm

Week's Offering:

May 22, 2021

St. Augustine

St. Anne Chapel

Weekly	\$ 2,909.00	\$542.00
Building Fund	\$ 50.00	
Online 5/16-5/22	\$ 803.50	Building \$ 5.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Parish Service Schedule:

	EUCCHARIST	LECTORS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday June 4 5:00 pm	Suspended Covid 19	Jackie Metoyer	James Conant Vanue Lacour	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers
Sunday June 5 10:30 am	Suspended Covid 19	April Matt	Fred Jacobs Patrick Jones	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers

HOMELESS CARE PACKAGES, SUNDAY, MAY 29 @ 9:30 AM

Please come and help make care packages for the homeless on Sunday, May 29 beginning at 9:30 am in St. Augustine Church Hall. The homeless care packages will be distributed at the end of the 10:30 am Mass, Sunday, May 29.

NEEDED FOR THE CARE PACKAGES ARE APPROPRIATE READING MATERIALS SUCH AS: CATHOLIC DIGEST, READERS DIGEST, ETC. Please place these magazines in the box at the entrance of the church.

Please join in congratulating Dr. Mark Guidry, as he will be ordained to the permanent diaconate on Saturday, June 4, at 10 am, St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, Alexandria, LA. Due to limited seating in the Cathedral, we regret that the ordination will not be open for public attendance and is limited to the deacon candidates' families only. However it will be live-streamed on the Cathedral's Facebook page.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, JULY 11—15, 2022, 8:00 am Mass each day

Theme: Celebrating God's Greatness begins at 9:00 am - 12:05 pm

Volunteers are needed! Registration will begin on June 7.

For more information, please contact Deloris Jones at 318.471.4168

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Please pray for our Sick and Shut-In:

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Discernment Retreat - June 3-5

Join us for a Discernment Retreat for diocesan priesthood and religious life at St. Joseph Abbey in Covington, LA. Our speakers will be Fr. Josh Johnson and Sr. Josephine Garrett. All men and women ages 18-40 are invited to attend. For more information or to register, please visit www.diobr.org/vocations.

GARAGE SALE: sponsored by Cane River Chapter, National Society of Daughters of American Revolution. Proceeds to support DAR's Project Patriot [serving active duty service members and families] and St. Augustine Catholic Church. **June 4, 2022,** St. Augustine Catholic Church parking lot. Donations welcomed. For more information call Peggy Aycock, 318-729-4660 or Laney Sylvia 318-201-3274. See Flyer