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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

**Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**September 18, 2022**

My Good People,

I hope you have enjoyed the cooler weather this week. First, I appreciate the feedback I have received regarding my Pastoral Letter. I often get overwhelmed with all the comings and goings associated with modern life, but as Christ tells Martha, “You are anxious about many things, but you need only be concerned with one.” I truly hope to please God in focusing on Prayer, Sacredness, and Play throughout my second term as Pastor. Please pray for me. Secondly, many of you are stepping out of your comfort zones and are embracing new ministries. I am so proud of you, and I humbly exhort all us to follow their lead.

The planning for the fair is coming along. I ask that each person/family sign-up for a three-hour block to work the fair. We especially need our teens and young adults to participate. Spread the word, we are going to have a great fair this year!

We currently have many beautiful souls preparing to enter into Full Communion with The Catholic Church at Easter. If you, or know of someone, would like to begin this conversion process please let me know this week. “I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord forever.”

In Service to Christ and His Church, Fr. Charlie

## Mass Schedule

Sept 17 Saturday 5:00 pm	Isabel Arceneaux, Greg & Leigh O'Brien & Family and Carolyn Rachal Dupree
Sept 18 Sunday 8:30 am	For An End to Violence and Doris Garlington
Sept 18 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish
Sept 19 Monday	No Mass
<b>Readings:</b> Proverbs 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Luke 8:16-18	
Sept 20 Tuesday	No Mass
<b>Readings:</b> Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13; Psalm 119:1,27, 30, 34, 35,44; Luke 8:19-21	
Sept 21 Wednesday 6:00 pm	In Thanksgiving for 90th Birthday of J B Llorence, Jr., Addie Metoyer, Henry Llorence, Sonny Llorence, Carolyn Dupree and People of Ukraine
<b>Readings:</b> Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-3; Psalm 4:1-7, 11-13; Mat 9:9-13	
Sept 22 Thursday 8:00 am	Anniversary of Joseph Edward Conant, Jr.
<b>Readings:</b> Ecc 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17bc; Luke 9:7-9	
Sept 23 Friday 8:00 am	Kathryn Meric
<b>Readings:</b> Ecc 3:1-11; Psalm 144:1b & 2abc, 3-4; Luke 9:18-22	
Sept 24 Saturday 5:00 pm	Isabel Arceneaux, Healing for Molly Rachal, Greg & Leigh O'Brien & Family, and Stella LaCour
<b>Readings:</b> ECC 11:9-12:8; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17; Luke 9:43b-45	
Sept 25 Sunday 8:30 am	For An End to Violence and Doris Garlington
Sept 25 Sunday 10:30 am	The People of the Parish

## This Week at a Glance



Wed, Mass 6 pm - St. Augustine, CCD begins  
AA Meeting Wednesday, 7:00 pm  
Sunday, Men's Prayer Group, 9:30 am

### Week's Offering:

September 11, 2021

St. Augustine

St. Anne Chapel

Weekly	\$4,043.00	\$ 501.00
Building	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Online 9/5-9/11	\$ 1,473.50	Building \$ 25.00

Thank you for your generosity!

## Parish Service Schedule:

	EUCARIST	LECTORS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS
<b>Saturday Sept 24 5:00 pm</b>	Suspended Covid 19	Bridget Payne	Farrell Christophe Kenneth Metoyer	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers
<b>Sunday Sept 25 10:30 am</b>	Suspended Covid 19	Minnie Metoyer	Barry Antee Mike Cayer	Suspended Covid 19	Volunteers

Interested in becoming Catholic, RCIA program will be starting soon.  
Please contact the office Wednesday thru Friday from 8 am - 1 pm @  
318.379-2521 or email @ [staugustine1803@gmail.com](mailto:staugustine1803@gmail.com)

Men's Prayer Group meets every Sunday @ 9:30 am

## On-Line Giving



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.

### Please pray for our Sick and Shut-In:

Andrew Balthazar, Karen Pichon, Wilma Pichon, Joe Raggio, Sylvester Sers, Margaret Velasquez, Claudine M Metoyer, Hanna Powell, Steven Hines, Ron Jones, Christopher Metoyer, Jeannie Llorence, Maxine Christophe, 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, Martha Jones, Jerry Jones, Dowl Bruce Dupree, Jr., David Christophe Sr., Darren Gallion, Diane Riley, Molly Rachal, Glenn Conant, Brian Conant, Jim Llorens, Clifton Rachal, Chris Garlington, Kurt Gulbrand, Betty Metoyer-Roque and Barry Antee.

**Retired Priests:** This weekend we participate in the **Retired Priests Collection** for our priests who have reached retirement age after years of faithful and dedicated service to the Diocese. With costs continually escalating, the monthly retirement benefit for our retired priests must be adjusted periodically as well. We appreciate your generosity in helping to assure that the needs of our retired priests will continue to be met, and ask that you remember them in your prayers.

The **Diocese of Alexandria Safe Environment Office** has the following available for viewing or download at [www.diocesealex.org](http://www.diocesealex.org) or you may request a hard copy:

- ♦ Diocesan Policy for the Protection of Minors
- ♦ Code of Pastoral Conduct for Priests, Deacons, Pastoral Ministers, Administrators, Staff and Volunteers

The flyer, "How to Report Sexual Abuse of a Minor by a Cleric or Church Worker/Volunteer of the Diocese of Alexandria" is located on the bulletin board and copies are available.

### September 22-24 Virtual Eucharistic Revival Conference ONLINE ONLY and FREE!

As a grassroots initiative in support of the National Eucharistic Revival, Virtual Catholic Conference will be offering a free annual virtual conference to help excite people, build momentum, and promote the National Eucharistic Revival. By registering for this free virtual conference, you will discover: How you and your family might make the most out of this season of Eucharistic Revival; what it means to be a truly Eucharistic people; how becoming Eucharistic people can transform the way we evangelize in today's Church; how to be Eucharistic in your school, parish, homes, and family. To register, visit <https://go.virtualcatholicconference.com/ERC22>

For more information contact Deacon Richard Mitchell at [dcnrmitchell@diocesealex.org](mailto:dcnrmitchell@diocesealex.org).

## Upcoming Events:

- ♦ **JAZZ Concert - September 17, 2022 @ 7:30 pm by THE BRIDGE TRIO**
- ♦ **Healing Mass with anointing of the Sick on Thursday, September 29 @ 6 pm**
- ♦ **Trivia Night—Food & Fun! September 30 @ 6:30 pm (6 players per team, choose your team name & theme and decorate your table)**
- ♦ **St. Augustine Creole Festival - October 7, 8, & 9.**
- ♦ **Women's ACTS Retreat - November 3 - 6, 2022 (Registration forms are available)**
- ♦ **St. Anne's Gumbo Supper - November 12**