# THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF St. Augustine

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# June 8, 2025 **NC**T

[Jesus] breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." - Jn 20:22-23

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# SUNDAY WORSHIP

Saturday Vigil: 4:15 pm Sunday: 8:30 am and 11:00 am All Masses are Interpreted for the Deaf

**DAILY MASS** Monday, Wednesday, and Friday: 5:30 pm

RECONCILIATION Saturday: 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE

Monday – Friday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

### SACRAMENTS

Call the parish office to prepare for sacraments such as Baptisms, Weddings, First Communion and Confirmation.

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# Welcome to St. Augustine Church!

### "A Samaritan Church with a Missionary Heart"



No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church, no matter your personal history, age, income, background, gender, disability, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, or spirituality, or marital situation. No matter your own self-image or holiness or virtue, you are invited, accepted, and respected here at St. Augustine Parish.

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### **Support Ministries**

Blind Ministry | Deaf Ministry | Mental Health Ministry Ministry@StAugustineCleveland.org

Outreach Ministry Outreach@StAugustineCleveland.org

### **Stay Connected**

Email: Info@StAugustineCleveland.org Facebook: /StAugustineCleveland Instagram: @staugustinecleveland YouTube: @staugustinechurch9835 Loving God, For all who feel on the margins, But who are at the center of your heart, We ask you to open our hearts. Help us to become a church and a nation where:

### All lives have dignity, All people are loved, And all are welcome!

Amen

All new parishioners are invited to register by filling out our Parish Registration located on our Parish Website or by scanning the QR Code.



### This Week at St. Augustine

Monday, June 9, 2025 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall) Tuesday, June 10, 2025 10:00 am: Buckeye Deaf Seniors (Deaf Center) 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall) Wednesday, June 11, 2025 9:30 am: AA Meeting (Walsh Hall) 3:00 pm: Links (Walsh Hall) 6:00 pm: Rosary (Church) 6:30 pm: Signing Hands (Deaf Center) Thursday, June 12, 2025 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall) Friday, June 13, 2025 3:00 pm: Links (Walsh) 6:00 pm: Rosary (Church) 7:30 pm: AA Meeting (Mylott Hall) Saturday, June 14, 2025 10:00 am: Ultreya (Walsh Hall) 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: Community Cupboard and Closet 4:15 pm: Mass (Church) Sunday, June 15, 2025 8:30 am: Mass (Church) 11:00 am: Mass (Church)

### Worship Aid: Pentecost Sunday

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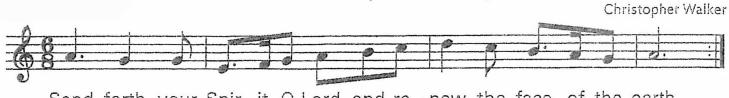
MI: Music Issue SM: Seasonal Missalette

# Gathering Hymn: "Gather Your People" #310 MI

# **First Reading**

### Psalm:

PSALM 104: SEND FORTH YOUR SPIRIT, O LORD



Send forth your Spir-it, O Lord, and re-new the face of the earth.

# Second Reading

Pentecost Sequence: Page 136 in the Seasonal Missalette

### **Gospel Acclamation**

Gospel

Homily

Creed

**Universal Prayer** 

Offertory: "O Breathe On Me, O Breath of God" #255 SM

**The Lord's Prayer & Exchange of Peace** 

**Communion:** "One Love Released" #331 *MI* 

Recessional: "One Spirit, One Church" - #445 MI

### **Coordinator's Corner**

The author of Acts of the Apostles describes a powerful scene filled with a strong, driving wind that filled the entire house. The Holy Spirit, in the form of tongues of fire, parted and came to rest on each of them. St. Paul reiterates this point when he explains that there is one Spirit but different gifts and different forms of service. The Holy Spirit, then, dwells in each of us as individuals and inspires us as individuals.

You are gifted! The way the Holy Spirit calls you to spread God's love in the world is unique to you. No one experiences the Holy Spirit quite like you, and the Holy Spirit comes to rest on you as you are right now and not as you could be in the future. You have everything you need to put the gifts of the Holy Spirit into action today.

Unfortunately, we tend to make excuses. I'm too old. I'm not ready. I'm dealing with a lot right now. I'm really sinful. I have some disabilities. I'm an addict. I'm not that smart. No one listens to me anyway. It doesn't make a difference. I'm nervous. I need to get my life straightened out.

Do any of those resonate with you? Me, too. The Good News is that the Holy Spirit does not look for perfection; the Spirit looks for a willing heart. The fundamental question is simply this: do you believe the Holy Spirit would come to rest on a person like you? Given all your faults and imperfections, all your doubts and fears, all your struggles, do you really believe God would come to dwell in you? The Church answers that with a resounding YES!! And I say most definitely....YES!! God's Spirit dwells in you for a reason, and God's Spirit, and the gifts the Spirit brings, are ready to transform the world in a way that is unique to you.

Never worry if your experience of the Spirit is different than those around you. There is no need to boast and never a reason to compare. Take time, each day, to ask the Spirit to enter you more deeply and to inspire you more clearly. If what you believe the Spirit is calling you to do is true, then someone's life will benefit, the world will benefit.

A good friend once reminded me to look in the mirror each day and smile. It's a good way to remember that God loves me, the Holy Spirit is in me, and I'm alright. In the midst of everything that makes up my complicated life, I'm alright. So are you! And may the peace of God's Spirit fill you today and always. Happy Pentecost Sunday!

> Anthony Camino Parish Life Coordinator

# How Do You Pray?

"One consistent message in the Bishop's Pastoral Letter is how we need to dedicate at least fifteen minutes a day in prayer. This may seem difficult as you try to prepare for work, get the children ready for school, take the dog for a walk. We can complicate our life with God by our own expectations. You can start simply by saying," Good morning, thank you Jesus!" as your feet first hit the floor. Then seeing your spouse prompts a, "Bless them Jesus!", as does seeing each child as they spill milk on their cereal....and the table! Driving to work you can see the sun shining through the trees and thank God for their life as they absorb heat and cool our environment. As you see God everywhere, you will start to desire to sit with Him. You may find a few minutes to read a psalm in the Bible before you go to sleep at night. Or, set your radio alarm to a Chrisitan radio station to wake to music dedicated to God and let it touch your heart. The Holy Spirit dwells in you and you can let Him move you, as the days go by, to spend more time with God. Mother Teresa said:" God speaks in the silence of the heart. Listening is the beginning of prayer." Sit with Him." -Pat Takacs

In the hustle of daily life, finding time for prayer can be a challenge—but it can also be a beautiful opportunity. We'd love to hear how you stay connected to God in the midst of your day. Do you pray during your commute? Whisper a quick prayer before a meeting? Use alarms or Scripture cards as reminders?

As a community, we grow by learning from one another. Sharing how you make space for prayer during a busy day could encourage and inspire someone else. Let's help each other deepen our prayer lives, one idea at a time!

Please email your responses to jneuhart@staugustinecleveland.org!



### **Prayers and Offertory**

If you or a family member are sick, please call the Parish Office or email Ministry@StAugustineCleveland.org to add the name to this list. **Names will be listed in the bulletin for 6 weeks.** Please let us know if this time period needs to be extended. We want to know how you are doing and want to offer you the support of our prayers.

Kathy Kohout Mike Perciado Mary Smith Kim Ambro Ella McGowan Brian Pfeiffer Norma Turner

Fr. Joe McNulty Sheila Rock Peggy Gerovac Nora Orozco Andrea Slosar Donna Baker Bridget Patton Richard Slosar Kathy Toth

And for all those who are ill, home-bound, elderly, in nursing care, living with a chronic illness, or living on the margins, we pray.

### **Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, June 7** 4:15 pm † Lindsey Collins

#### Sunday, June 8

8:30 am	† Ray Zak
11:00 am	† Deceased members of the
	Halupnik & Rawlings families

Monday, June 9 No Mass

Wednesday, June 11 No Mass

Friday, June 13 No Mass

Saturday, June 14 4:15 pm † Bob Bencic

#### Sunday, June 15

8:30 am † Parishioners of St. Augustine 11:00 am † Greg Evans

### The Pope's Monthly Intentions for 2025 June Prayer Intention

#### That the world might grow in compassion



Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

#### Offertory

#### May 31<sup>st</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup>

Regular Collection	\$1,510.00
E-Giving	\$300.00

Counter Team B is scheduled for Monday

† Deceased

# Deanery News

Daily Mass Schedules at the parishes in our Deanery:

St. Michael the Archangel, 2114 Scranton Rd., Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays: 9:00am & 2:00pm

**St.Rocco**, 3205 Fulton Rd., Daily: 6:45am & 6:30pm

St. Patrick, 3602 Bridge Ave., Wednesdays: 5:30pm

St. Malachi, 2459 Washington Ave., Tuesdays & Fridays: 12:00pm Noon

St. John Cantius, 906 College Ave., Mondays through Fridays: 9:00am & 3:00pm

St. Stephen, 1930 W. 54 th St., Monday through Fridays: 9:00am & 5:00pm

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**, 6928 Detroit Ave., Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays: 6:00pm Tuesdays & Thursdays: 6:30am

St. Wendelin, 2281 Columbus Rd. Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays: 11:00am



### **Around the Parish**



### We are HIRING at Augustine Rainbow Camp! Now Hiring:

#### Summer Camp Cook

Are you passionate about cooking and enjoy working in a fun, energetic environment? Rainbow Camp is looking for a dedicated Cook to prepare and serve daily lunches for 130–140 campers and staff throughout the summer season. Food Safety training/experience required.

Apply today by scanning the QR Code:



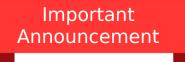


### In the month of May, the

St. Augustine Community Cupboard and Closet welcomed 1,175 guests

including the 199 new guests that registered at the cupboard and closet.

Thank you for your continued support of this influential ministry! The success of the Community Cupboard and Closet is made possible by your generous donations and prayers.



Fr. Ben will be away the week of June 9, 2025. As a result, Daily Mass will be <u>canceled</u> on **Monday, June 9; Wednesday, June 11; and Friday, June 13.** 

We will welcome visiting presiders for the following liturgies:

Saturday, June 14 at 4:15 PM

#### Sunday, June 15 at 8:30 AM

Fr. Ben will return to celebrate the **11:00 AM** Mass on Sunday, June 15.

#### The Cleveland Catholic Deaf Center (CCDC)

invites you to a breakfast served on Sunday, June 22, 2025 from 9:15 AM until 12:30 PM. The cost is \$5 for members and \$10 for non-members.

Please <u>RSVP by June 15, 2025</u> by calling:

(216) 201-9056 VP or (216) 243-7229 VP

You can also RSVP by emailing ministry@staugustinecleveland.org

We look forward to this time spent in fellowship together! All are welcome!

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Priest Deacon	Fr. Ben Jimenez, SJ (H) Deacon Chris DePenti	Fr. Ben Jimenez, SJ (H)	Fr. Ben Jimenez, SJ (H) Deacon Chris DePenti
Lectors	Migdalia Santiago-White	Joe Lewandowski	Karen Halupnik Alice Weaver
Extraordinary Ministers of the Blessed Sacrament	Mag Rivera (1) Bonnie Robertson (2)	Lin Janson (1) Kathy Yarmock (2)	Dawn Dingledein (1) John Kowalchik (2)
June 14 <sup>th</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday: 4:15 PM	Sunday: 8:30 AM	Sunday: 11 AM
Priest Deacon	Fr. Pat Anderson (H) Deacon Chris DePenti	Fr. Don Oleksiak (H) Deacon Chris DePenti	Fr. Ben Jimenez, SJ (H)
Lectors	Theresa Fallon	Debbie Sollars	Kate Slosar Carl Zelinkski