

August 16, 2020 → 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rev. Scott Pogatchnik, Rector Rev. Brady Keller, Parochial Vicar

Church of St. Augustine

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Masses

Sun 9:00 am Thurs - Fri 8:30 am

St. John Cantius Church

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Masses

Sun 7:30 am and 10:45 am Tues - Wed 8:30 am

St. Mary's Cathedral

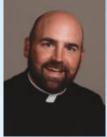
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Masses

Sat 5:00 pm (vigil) Sun 9:30 am and 6:00 pm Mon - Sat 7:00 am Mon - Fri 12:05 pm Mon - Thu 5:30 pm

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What Are Your Foundations?

Fellow Brothers & Sisters:

"O woman, great is your faith. Let it be done for you as you wish!"

So says Jesus to the persistent foreigner - this Canannite woman - whose pleads from a deep and desperate life of faith serve as an example for us all.

At each weekend Mass we make a profession of faith. So routine, it can tempt me to simply mouth the words and not ponder the realities. But the Nicene Creed, as well as the Apostles' Creed, and many other creeds written down through the history of the Church to synthesize boundless beliefs are vital to our identity as a Catholic people, commissioned by Jesus to preach, teach, and baptize.

In a conference on the virtue of faith given during my seminary days, Archbishop Timothy Dolan reflected on the vibrant yet tumultuous post-Vatican II days as relayed to him by one of his first pastors. It was the late 1960s when the institutions of church and state that culture so relies on were going through tectonic change. Some make comparisons to the times we're going through now.

As so much was changing, many faculty and students at the local Kenrick Seminary in St. Louis suggested the place might as well close. "I dare you to tell me what we can possibly teach our students now that has not changed, that will not change, that can be stated with any amount of conviction at all. I dare you to tell me!," said the spokesperson.

With cameras rolling, and all eyes fixed on the pastor, he responded, "I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth..."

A stormy time is always a call to return to our foundations, our deepest identity in Christ, and the faith He handed on to the Church. Faith is always a relationship first - not a dusty text nor set of rules. But to say "Credo - I believe - I trust - is no small matter. That invitation may seem too trite or simple for some, but it's our sure foundation.

Take some time this week and read prayerfully through the Apostles' Creed, Nicene Creed, or another in the Church's history - I especially like Pope Paul VI's Credo written in June of 1968. May these inspired words help us live inspired lives.

In peace, Fr. Scott

Our Parishes

Celebrating the Sacraments



Bella Newbauer Oliver Meemken Nicholas Julius Ella Montag Blaich Churchill Jayden Craig

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Parker Skuza Owen Henrichs Adrien Orthman Ivy Vassar

St. Mary's Cathedral



Nora Audrey Brown daughter of Jason and Leanne

Quinn Rose Simon daughter of Justin and Kristina

Church of St. Augustine



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Dylan Flood and Hannah Jung September 6 | St. Mary's Cathedral



Celebrate the Feast of St. Augustine

All are invited to join St. Augustine Church as we celebrate the Feast of St. Augustine on Sunday, August 30, with Mass at 9:00 am. We will also collect nonperishable food items, toiletries and school supplies for Catholic Charities Food Shelf. Food Shelf donations may be dropped off along the sidewalk in front of church on Wilson Ave SE.

Eucharistic Adoration time change at St. Augustine

Hours have been extended to pray before the blessed sacrament at St. Augustine. The new time is 9:00 am -4:00 pm every Thursday. Spend an hour with Jesus.

St. Augustine Family Room one last detail

The St. Augustine Family Room is complete! We are excited to have a multi-use space that can be available as a cry room, parish meeting space, gathering room for funeral families during visitation, and bride room for weddings. There is one last detail needed before the bride room can be used: blinds for the windows. The estimate for blinds to fit that space is \$570. If you would like to make a donation or memorial contribution toward the cost of the blinds, please call Deacon Rick at 529-3234.

Pray the Rosary

There are several opportunities to pray the Rosary at all three parishes:

St. Augustine:

8:30 am Sunday before Mass 12:00 pm daily in the prayer garden

St. John Cantius:

20 minutes before each weekday and weekend Masses

St. Mary's Cathedral:

6:30 am Monday—Saturday

Worshipers limited to 250 in main church

Due to the State Ordinance, space is limited to 250 in our churches (160 at St. John Cantius). Plans are in place to livestream Sunday Masses (9:00 am at St. Augustine and 9:30 am at St. Mary's Cathedral). We have a large screen TV and extra seating in the lower church at St. Mary's and cafeteria at St. Augustine if we exceed that number. To ensure a seat in the main church, parishioners and guests are encouraged to arrive early. Also, as a courtesy to others, face masks are required. May God bless us as we navigate these difficult times.



Parish Contributions

St. Augustine

Envelopes/Plate \$7,325.00 Weekly Goal \$11,300.00 **Difference** (\$4,505.00)

St. John Cantius

 Adult
 \$1,952.00

 Weekly Budget
 \$2,880.00

 YTD Actual
 \$15,532.00

 YTD Budget
 \$17,280.00

 YTD Difference
 (\$1,748.00)

St. Mary's Cathedral

Envelopes/Plate \$3,672.00 Weekly Goal \$10,300.00 **Difference** (\$6,628.00)

Confirmation dates set

Confirmation candidates have their choice between three dates across the ACC:

- ♦ October 18 at 2:00 pm
- ◆ October 21 at 7:00 pm
- ◆ November 8 at 2:00 pm

Locations will be announced soon.

Stay in the loop

If you are unable to go to Mass, you can view our parish bulletin on your parish website, or you can receive a hard

copy in your mail box. To receive a hard copy, please call your parish office manager who would be happy to mail one to your home each week. Stay in the loop!





MASSES

INTENTIONS

MON 8/17

7:00 am SMC † Holy Souls in Purgatory 12:05 pm SMC Cathy and Regis LeFleur

5:30 pm SMC † David Augustine

TUE 8/18

7:00 am SMC † Fayola Gaspar 8:30 am SJC † John "Jack" Sjogren 12:05 pm SMC † Anthony Buhl 5:30 pm SMC Tom Zabinski

WED 8/19 St. John Eudes, Priest

7:00 am SMC † Anthony Buhl 8:30 am SJC † Elmer Ostendorf 12:05 pm SMC Fr. Jerry Mischke 5:30 pm SMC † Anthony Buhl

THU 8/20 St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

7:00 am SMC Conversion of Sinners 8:30 am CSA † George Torrey 12:05 pm SMC Nathan Hagemeier 5:30 pm SMC † Pope John Paul I

FRI 8/21 St. Pius X, Pope

7:00 am SMC Deb Metoyer

8:30 am CSA †† Andrew and Elizabeth Benko

12:05 pm SMC Special Intention

SAT 8/22 The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 am SMC Fr. Riley Durkin 5:00 pm SMC † Bernice Gohmann

SUN 8/23 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am SJC People of the Parishes

9:00 am CSA † Bob Brennan

9:30 am SMC † Bob & Nancy Zabinski's 50th Wedding Anniversary

10:45 am SJC † Wally Sworski 6:00 pm SMC Tyler Lahr

EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

SUN 8/16 10:00 am CSA Baptism of Nora Audrey Brown

Baptism of Quinn Rose Simon

WED 8/19 4:30 pm SMC Curbside prayer and blessing in St. Mary's

lower parking lot

SAT 8/22 8:00 am SMC Men's Prayer Group (Mary Ctr.)

LITURGICAL ROLES St. John Cantius

SUN 8/23

7:30 am Mass

Lector: Alan Block

Communion: Carol Ringwelski

Ushers: Mike Dombrovski, John Sworski

10:45 am Mass

Lector: Anna Rydberg

Communion: Dcn. Frank Ringsmuth Ushers: Clarice and David Schroeder

CSA-Church of St. Augustine | SJC-St. John Cantius | SMC-St. Mary's Cathedral

READINGS

MON 8/17 Ez 24:15-24/Dt 32:18-19, 20,

21[cf. 18a]/Mt 19:16-22

TUE 8/18 Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab,

27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab

[39c]/Mt 19:23-30

WED 8/19 Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4,

5, 6 [1]/Mt 20:1-16

THU 8/20 Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-

15, 18-19 [Ez 36:25]/Mt 22:1-

14

FRI 8/21 Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6

-7, 8-9[1]/Mt 22:34-40

SAT 8/22 Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and

10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt

23:1-12

SUN 8/23 Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3,

6, 8 [8bc]/Rom 11:33-36/Mt

16:13-20





Our Community

St. Cloud Metro Area Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:00 pm Holy Spirit 4:30 pm St Anthony 4:30 pm St. Michael

5:00 pm St. Mary's Cathedral

Sunday

7:30 am St. John Cantius 7:30 am St. Joseph 8:30 am St. Anthony 9:00 am St. Augustine

9:00 am Newman Center (parking lot)

9:00 am St. Paul

9:00 am St. Joseph (Latin) 9:30 am St. Mary's Cathedral

10:15 am Holy Spirit 10:30 am St. Peter

10:45 am St. John Cantius 11:00 am St. Joseph (Spanish) 11:15 am Newman Center

5:00 pm St. Michael

6:00 pm St. Mary's Cathedral

8:00 pm Newman Center (parking lot)

Got Needs? Get Prayer!

Curbside Prayer! Wednesdays in Aug 4:30-6pm

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

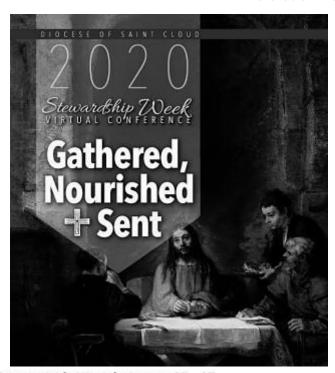
Perhaps you've seen this billboard off Division Street. Stop by St. Mary's parking lot any Wednesday in August from 4:30—6:00 pm to pray with a group of prayer warriors. You don't even need to leave your car!

Don't let COVID stop you: give blood

Following strict safety protocols, the Red Cross continues to meet high demand for life-saving blood donations. Keep your "I" on the solution by giving the gift of life on Friday, August 21, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at Holy Spirit. In addition to supporting those most in need, you will also be tested for coronavirus antibodies. Appointments are needed. Please call Claudia Janku at 253-5683 to schedule a convenient time.

Requesting Mass intentions

The practice of requesting a Mass to be offered for loved ones, living or deceased, is a beautiful and meaningful part of our Catholic tradition. Masses are offered for many reasons — for souls in purgatory, in remembrance of someone who is deceased, or in honor of a birthday. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone, please call your parish office. Masses are scheduled as times are available. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.



Stewardship Week is August 25 – 27

This year, the entire event is online and being offered at no charge to participants. The Diocese welcomes anyone interested in stewardship as a way of life — at home, in parishes and within Catholic communities — to register.

Please visit <u>www.stcdio.org/stewardshipweek2020</u> for more information and to register. If you have questions, please contact Anna at <u>akampa@gw.stcdio.org</u> or 320-258-7654.

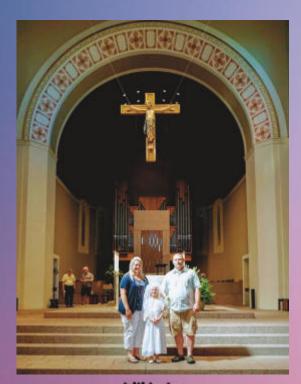


Connections

First Communion at St. Mary's Cathedral



Eduardo Sanchez



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Parish Staff

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Liturgy	
Randy Symanitz (St. Mary's)	251-1840 x2
Dcn. Rick Scheierl (St. Aug.)	529-3234
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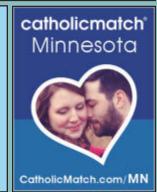
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