

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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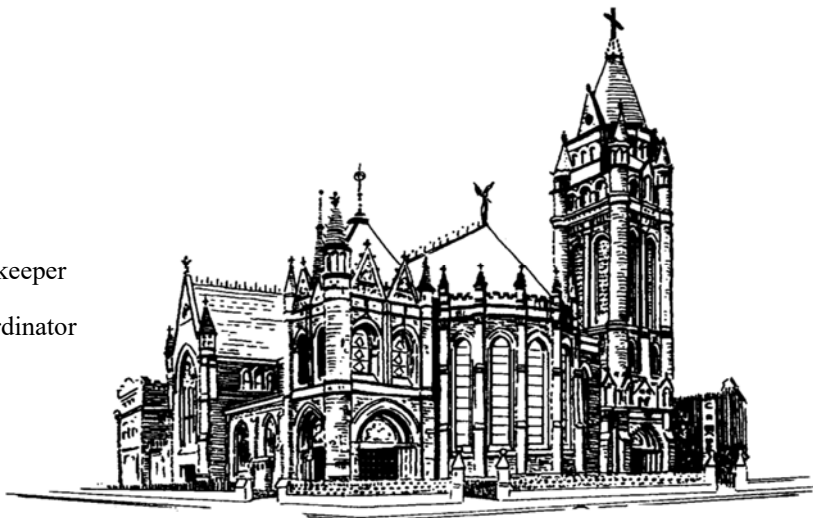
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM
1:00 PM to 4:30 PM
Saturday: 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM



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MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 PM (English)
Sunday: 9:00 AM (English)
10:30 AM (Spanish)
12:00 NOON (English)
1:30 PM (Haitian)

WEEKDAYS: 9:00 AM (English)
Wednesday 7:30 PM (Spanish)

HOLY DAYS: To Be Announced...

HOLY HOUR OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

First Friday of each month, February 1st 9:30—10:30 a.m..

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

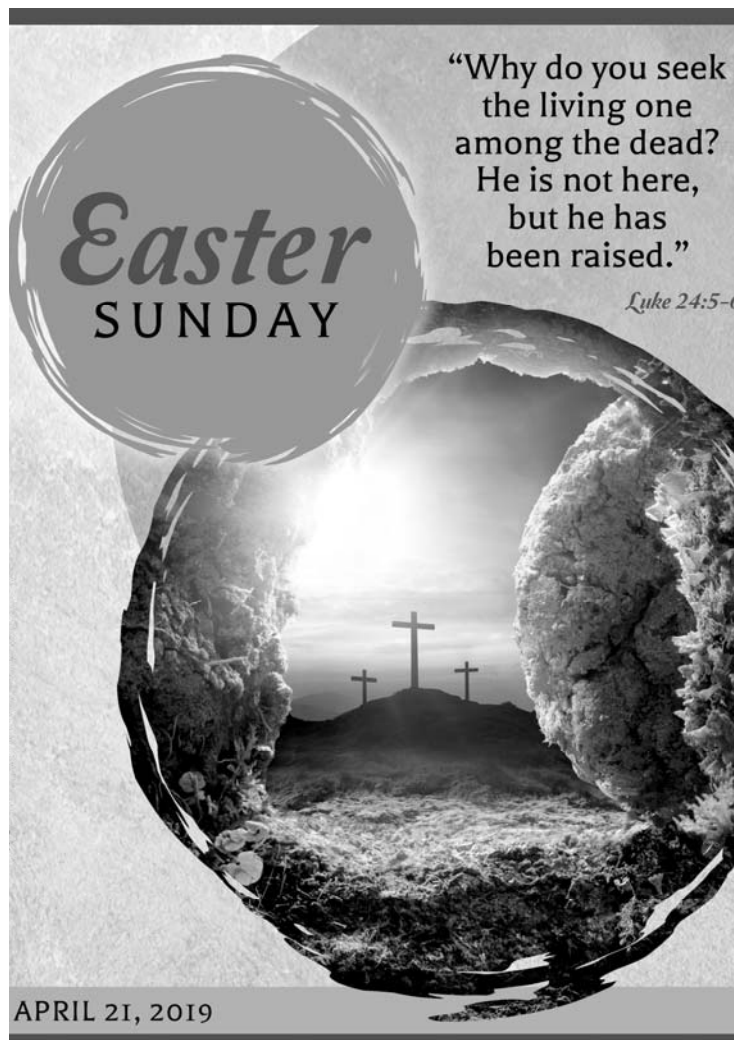
Please call Parish Secretary about the process of becoming a Catholic and/or receiving Eucharist and Confirmation.

RECONCILIATION: Confessions heard Saturdays
4:00 - 4:45 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENTS FOR ADULTS OVER 18: Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the sick. Please call the Parish secretary as early as possible.

SACRAMENTS FOR CHILDREN UP TO 18: Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick. Please call Parish Secretary as early as possible.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS: After the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass in preparation for First Holy Communion/Confirmation, English and Spanish. Please call Parish Secretary to register.



APRIL 21, 2019

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, April 21

8:00 (Sat.) Easter Vigil
 9:00 Winnie Dooney 'Gift of Life'
 10:30 +Dwayne Habel (Milan Habel)
 12:00 +Michael Conway (Marge Miller)
 1:30 +Lelia Bichotte

Monday, April 22

9:00 Ana Burgos

Tuesday, April 23

9:00 Ralphie Figueroa

Wednesday, April 24

9:00 +Tommy May
 7:30 Jose Chalen(Divino Nino)

Thursday, April 25

9:00 Irma Bien-Aime (Deacon Joe)

Friday, April 26

9:00 Special Intention

Saturday, April 27

9:00 Morning Prayer
 5:00 James McLaughlin

Sunday, April 28

9:00 Grace Brown Early 'Gift of Life'
 10:30 Jose Chalen (Chalen Family)
 10:30 +Nicola Sciacovelli (Loving Family)
 12:00 Mary Treacy 'Gift of Life'
 1:30 +Lelia Bichotte 'Death Anniversary'

Upcoming Events/Meetings

- **Terce...** is every Sunday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- **Vespers** is every Saturday before 5:00 p.m. Mass.
- **Holy Hour...** will be March 1st at 9:30 a.m.
- **Baptism Class...** the next Baptism class will be on Wednesday, May 22nd at 7:30 p.m. in the Rectory. Please call the office to sign up.
- **HOPE Dinner...** every third Sunday at 3:00 p.m. in St. Monica Hall.
- **Bereavement Group....** Meets every first and 3rd Tuesday of the month in St. Monica Hall.
- **Nicotine Anonymous...** meets every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. I St. Monica Hall.



Second Collection - Today!

This week's second collection this week will be for Retired Priests. Please be generous.


Parish Social: Annual St. Augustine Parish Social to benefit our sister parish, St. Andre, in Dufort, Haiti will be on Sunday, April 28, 2019 in the PS77 auditorium. 3 to 7 p.m. Ticket and raffle sales have begun. Volunteers are needed. Call Pat or Jim at 718-783-7947 or leave a message at the rectory.

Ministers of Hospitality

We need Ministers of Hospitality, if you are interested, please call the rectory.

Please silence phones before entering the church! Thank you.

TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

April 20  HOLY SATURDAY	9:00 a.m. 8:00 p.m.	Morning Prayer Easter Vigil Tri-lingual
April 21 EASTER	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 1:30 p.m.	English Spanish English Haitian

The Paschal Candle

Donated by Molly Ganpat, In Loving Memory of her mother, Boodoo Abdool.

Happy Easter! Alleluia! He is Risen!

Saying those words is like drinking a tall glass of cold water after being out in the desert all day. Lent is over and it is now time to celebrate the great joy of Easter! At the Easter Vigil, the Exsultet is sung as Mass begins in darkness, illuminated only by candles throughout the church. The Exsultet is a beautiful hymn of rejoicing in Christ's triumph over sin and death. Easter is a time when we must do just that. We must "cling" to our resurrected Lord! We must cling to Jesus who is alive and well. We must cling to His Resurrection and strive to share in it. How do we cling to our Resurrected Lord? There are many ways. Take joy in everything. Start with whatever it is that burdens you the most. Whatever it is that makes you angry, sad or depressed. Whatever that is, it can potentially become one of your greatest sources of grace and joy. This is the meaning of Easter! Easter means that nothing can keep us from the joy that God wants to give us. Nothing can steal that joy away. Sure, at times we will struggle just as Jesus did in the Agony of the Garden and the Via Dolorosa (the Way of the Cross),

The Resurrection won with Christ and it will win with us when we cling to Him. Jesus persevered and, in the end, rose victorious. This is Easter! Know that God wants you to experience the joy of Easter in your life. Let Him fill you with hope and with the joy that only the Resurrection can bring. God wants Easter to begin now in our lives! Happy Easter! Lord, help me to cling to You in Your Resurrection. Help me to let you transform every cross and burden in my life into joy. Lord may Your joy fill my life and be my strength in all things.

Jesus, I trust in You.

In Christ,
Deacon Dean Dobbins



Próximos eventos / reuniones

- **Terce** ... es todos los domingos después de la misa de 9:00 a.m.
- **Las vísperas** son todos los sábados antes de las 5:00 p.m. Masa.
- **Hora Santa** ... será el 1 de marzo a las 9:30 a.m.
- **Clase de bautismo** ... la próxima clase de bautismo será el miércoles 24 de abril a las 7:30 p.m. en la rectoría. Por favor llame a la oficina para inscribirse.
- **El Grupo de Apoyo para Haití** ... será el primer lunes del mes a las 7:15 pm en el Salón St. Monica. Todos son bienvenidos.



Segunda Colección - ¡Hoy!

La segunda colección de esta semana será para los sacerdotes retirados. Por favor sea generoso

**¡Felices Pascuas!
¡Aleluya! ¡Él ha resucitado!**

Decir esas palabras es como beber un vaso alto de agua fría después de haber estado en el desierto todo el día. La Cuaresma ha terminado y ahora es el momento de celebrar la gran alegría de la Pascua. En la Vigilia Pascual, el Exsultet se canta cuando la misa comienza en la oscuridad, iluminada solo por velas en toda la iglesia. El Exsultet es un hermoso himno de regocijo por el triunfo de Cristo sobre el pecado y la muerte. La Pascua es un momento en el que debemos hacer precisamente eso. ¡Debemos “aferrarnos” a nuestro Señor resucitado! Debemos aferrarnos a Jesús que está vivo y bien. Debemos aferrarnos a Su resurrección y esforzarnos por compartir en ella. ¿Cómo nos aferramos a nuestro Señor resucitado? Hay muchas maneras. Disfruta de todo. Comience con lo que sea que más le carga. Sea lo que sea lo que te hace enojar, triste o deprimido. Sea lo que sea, potencialmente puede convertirse en una de tus mayores fuentes de gracia y alegría. ¡Este es el significado de la Pascua! La Pascua significa que nada puede impedirnos el gozo que Dios quiere darnos. Nada puede robar esa alegría. Claro, a veces lucharemos como lo hizo Jesús en la Agonía del Jardín y en la Vía Dolorosa (el Camino de la Cruz),

La Resurrección ganó con Cristo y ganará con nosotros cuando nos aferremos a Él. Jesús perseveró y, al final, resucitó victorioso. ¡Esto es la Pascua! Sepa que Dios quiere que experimente la alegría de la Pascua en su vida. Deja que te llene de esperanza y de la alegría que solo la Resurrección puede traer. ¡Dios quiere que la Pascua comience ahora en nuestras vidas! ¡Felices Pascuas! Señor, ayúdame a aferrarte a ti en tu resurrección. Ayúdame a dejar que transformes cada cruz y carga en mi vida en alegría. Señor, tu gozo llene mi vida y sea mi fortaleza en todas las cosas. Jesús, en ti confío.

**En Cristo,
Diácono Dean Dobbins**



We pray for the sick...

Recemos Por los enfermos. . .

Requests for public prayers for the sick should be made by the sick person **her/himself** or a **family member**, since at times the person does not wish the illness to be made public. Please call the parish secretary. The names will remain on the sick list for three weeks and thereafter repeated as requested by a family.

WEEK 1 WEEK 2 WEEK 3

Helena Severin	Lino M.	Mike Meehan
Daisy Rijo	Jane Erickson	Dorinda Baéz
Jose Colon	Jerome Knittle	Alex Ramos
Janie Gamble	Wendy Valle	Julie Elle Brittner
Carmen M Mercado	Carmen Torres	Maritza Arroyo
Nancy Cimino	Angelo M. Ramos	Hector Davila
Jackie Strachen	Barbara Merrill	Kitty Denega
Robert Katan	Col. Ret. Will Merrill	Pascuala Vidal
Angela Ramos	Pedro R. Garsed	Paul Callahan
Barbara Mangilardi	Severina Caban	Christopher Neves
James Leune	Sonia Bonilla	Monique Maumec
Olive Bouaz	Anthony Tuitt	Yvette Reyes
Tiffany Rios	Nilda M. Morales	Kathy Cruz
Mr. John Demby	Anthony Vega	Kip Jones
Rosario Ortiz	Andrew P	Donna Walter
Ines Robles	Sonia Garcia	Candida Alacan

**We pray for members and friends serving in the military:
Rezamos por miembros y amigos que estan sirviendo en el Servicio Militar:** Sgt. Estephen Shirverts, Col. Will Merrill, Lt. Jeanell Merrill, Capt. Peyton Hurley, Manny Otero, PFC Anthony J. Jolimeau, Paul Valdez, Jorge E. Moreira, Jerry Moreira, David Garcia, Samantha Vega, L.C. US Marine Corps, Capt. Richard Martinez, US Marines, Air- man Clara Lyde, 1 Lt. Ignacio Naudon, LCPI Max Andrew Polster.

HORARIO DEL TRIDUO

Sábado Santo - 20 de Abril

9:00 a.m. - Oración en la mañana
8:00 p.m. - Vigilia de Pascua Tri-lingüe

Domingo de Pascua - 21 de Abril

9:00 a.m. - Inglés
10:30 a.m. - Español
12:00 p.m. - Inglés
1:30 p.m. - Haitiana

Parish Social: El evento social anual de St. Augustine para beneficiar a nuestra parroquia hermana, St. Andre, en Dufort, Haití será el domingo 28 de abril de 2019 en el auditorio de PS77. 3 a 7 p.m. Se han iniciado las ventas de boletos y sorteos. Se necesitan voluntarios. Llame a Pat o Jim al 718-783-7947 o deje un mensaje en la rectoría

Ministros de hospitalidad

Necesitamos ministros de hospitalidad, si está interesado, llame a la rectoría.

TRIDUUM**Samedi Sen– 20 Avril**

9:00 a.m. - Priè

8:00 p.m. - Vijil Twa Lang Fet Pak

Dimanch Pak– 21 Avril

9:00 a.m. - Angle

10:30 a.m. - Espanol

12:00 p.m. - Angle

1:30 p.m. - Ayisyen

Minis nan Ospitalite

Nou bezwen Minis nan Ospitalite, si ou enterese, tanpri rele preskripsyon lan.

SAVE DAT: Anyèl Saint Augustine Pawas Sosyal pou benefis parish sè nou an, St. Andre, nan Dufort, Ayiti ap fèt nan Dimanch 28 avril 2019 nan oditoryòm PS77 la. 3 a 7 p.m. Tikè ak lavant rafal yo ap kòmanse 3/31 nan do legliz la. Volontè yo bezwen tou de anvan ak nan jou a nan evènman an.

Balèn nan Paschal

Bay Molly Ganpat, nan memwa renmen manman l, Boodoo Abdool.

Bon fet pak!**Alelouya! Li resisite!**

Di mo sa yo se tankou bwè yon vè wotè dlo frèt apre yo te soti nan dezè a tout jounen an. Karèm se sou yo ak li se kounye a tan selebre kè kontan nan gwo Pak! Nan Vigil Pak la, Exsultet a chante kòm Mass kòmanse nan fènwa, eklere sèlman pa bouji nan tout legliz la. Exsultet a se yon kantik bèl nan kè kontan nan triyonf Kris la sou peche ak lanmò. Pak se yon tan lè nou dwe fè jis sa. Nou dwe "kenbe kò nou" a Seyè nou resisite! Nou dwe rete kole sou Jezi ki vivan e ki byen. Nou dwe rete kole sou Rezirèksyon li epi fè efò pou nou pataje li. Ki jan nou ka rete kole ak Seyè nou an ki resisite? Gen plizyè fason. Pran kè kontan nan tout bagay. Kòmanse ak kèlkeswa sa li se ki chay ou pi plis la. Kèlkeswa sa li se ki fè ou fache, tris oswa deprime. Kèlkeswa sa ki se, li ka potansyèlman vin youn nan pi gran sous ou nan favè ak kè kontan. Sa a se siyifikasyon Pak la! Pak vle di ke pa gen anyen ka kenbe nou soti nan kè kontan nan ke Bondye vle ban nou. Pa gen anyen ki ka vòlè kè kontan sa a ale. Asire w, nan fwa nou pral lite menm jan Jezi te fè nan agoni nan Jaden an ak Via Dolorosa a (chemen an nan kwa a).

Rezirèksyon an te genyen avèk Kris e li pral genyen avèk nou lè nou rete kole sou li. Jezi te pèsevere epi, nan fen a, leve viktorye. Sa a se Pak! Konnen ke Bondye vle ou fè eksperyans kè kontan nan Pak nan lavi ou. Se pou l 'ranpli ou avèk espwa ak kè kontan ke sèlman Rezi-rèksyon an ka pote. Bondye vle Pak kòmanse kounye a nan lavi nou! Bon fet pak! Seyè, ede m 'rete kole sou ou nan Rezirèksyon ou. Ede m 'kite ou transfòme tout kwa ak chay nan lavi mwen an kè kontan. Seyè, se pou kè kontan ou ranpli lavi m 'yo epi yo dwe fòs mwen nan tout bagay sa yo.

Jezi, mwen gen konfyans nan ou.

**Nan Kris la,
Dyak Dean Dobbins**