

# St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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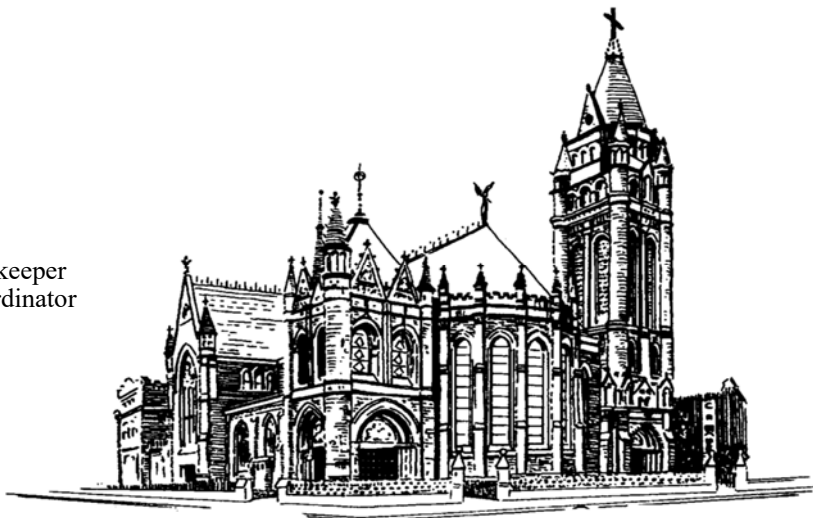
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## OFFICE HOURS

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:

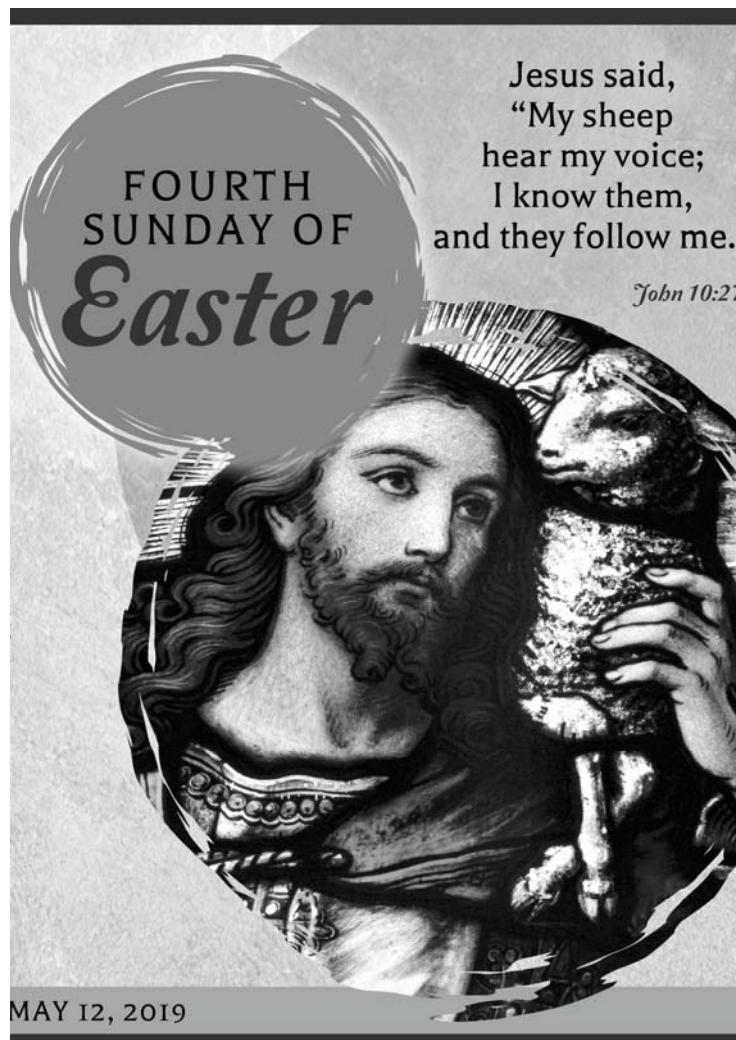
Please call Parish Secretary about the process of becoming a Catholic and/or receiving Eucharist and Confirmation.

**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.



MAY 12, 2019

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Sunday, May 12

9:00 +Joel Roth 'Gift of Life'  
 10:30 +Cecilio Alvarado (Rosa Alvarado)  
 10:30+Ana Hidalgo (Rosario & Ana)  
 10:30+Sonia Aguilar (Maria Aguilar)  
 12:00+ Lillian Jimenez (Wilbur& Nancy Jimenez)  
 1:30 For the people of the Parish

### Monday, May 13

9:00 Jimmy- Charley Mclaughlin (Gift of Life)

### Tuesday, May 14

9:00 Cecilia Socci (Gift of Life)

### Wednesday, May 15

9:00 + Marcella Treacy (Gift of Life)  
 7:30 +For the people of the Parish

### Thursday, May 16

9:00 Joan & Margo Vincent (Gift of Life)

### Friday, May 17

9:00 +Joseph & Margaret Shopis ( Nancy Tim)

### Saturday, May 18

5:00 + Geraldine Mills ( Nancy Tim)

### Sunday, May 19

9:00 For the people of the Parish  
 10:30+ Luis Alfredo Lopez ( Luz Lopez)  
 10:30 Rebecca Sacoto ( Luz Lopez)  
 10:30Pascuala Cruz (Eva Acosta )  
 12:00 For the people of the Parish  
 1:30 Anne Andre

## 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 at 7:00 p.m..
- *Nicotine Anonymous...* meets every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. I St. Monica Hall.
- *Haiti Support Group...* every first Monday of the month at 7:15 in St. Monica Hall

### Parish Tours!

Introducing, guided tours! Every Saturday at 3:00 pm we will conduct guided tours of our beautiful church. Please join us and bring along your family and friends!

### Ministers of Hospitality

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

### MOTHERHOOD

Mothers hold their childrens hands for a short while, but their hearts forever.

Please silence phones before entering the church! Thank you.

### Reflection 4th Sunday of Easter

Ignatius of Loyola had a meditation to offer – that the Divine persons would look down on the world from heaven, and see us all. Many of us were lost. They had compassion and sent one of them, the Son of the Father, to find and take us home. That was Jesus, Son of God and son of Mary, divine and human, on a life's mission to guide us to God. He would do this by his own example and then by leaving the job to us! We are now the ones to be guided and to guide. The good shepherd has made shepherds out of sheep. Only because we at times lose ourselves and only we can lead others home. We are in a partnership with God and with each other, each in our own way, and this is the meaning of Vocations Sunday. A vocation in the Christian sense is to take part with God in saving his people and in guiding them at lost times. People today can get lost in many ways – addictions, unhealthy relationships, financial anxiety, I despair – the work of the community of the disciples is to bring the word and the love of God at those points of the journey where we are most lost.

The compassion of God has sometimes not been mirrored in the Christian community's approach to people when they are at their lowest. Jesus' heart goes out to all, and especially those in most need, because nobody can steal anyone from God – and nobody can steal God's love from anyone. The call today is to give as best we can of ourselves in sharing the best of life we have, in sharing love and compassion and knowing that each of us with whatever our talents and goodness are, can partner God in guiding others to him.

In Christ,  
 Deacon Dean



### Volunteer with Seniors

Every Sunday 10:00—11:45 a.m. for Mass Service

Every Monday 6:00—7:30 p.m. for Prayer

### Hopkins Center for Rehabilitation & Healthcare, 155 Dean St, Brooklyn, NY 11217

Take a moment to step outside your normal day to spend some time with some elderly folks during a Sunday Mass Service or a short prayer (Monday) with the Community of Sant'Egidio. It will be time well spent—both for you and for the people you'll meet.

E-mail; santegidiousa@gmail.com; t.davoli@gmail.com to rsvp.

### What is the Community of Sant'Egidio?

Begun in Rome in 1968, the Community of Sant'Egidio is an international organization that shares a life of friendship, common prayer, and service to the poor.

More info: <http://www.santegidio.org>

**Reflexión 4º domingo de pascua**

Ignacio de Loyola tenía una meditación que ofrecer: que las personas divinas mirarían desde el cielo al mundo y nos verían a todos. Muchos de nosotros estábamos perdidos. Tuvieron compasión y enviaron a uno de ellos, el Hijo del Padre, a buscarnos y llevarnos a casa. Ese fue Jesús, hijo de Dios e hijo de María, divino y humano, en una misión de vida para guiarnos a Dios. ¡Lo haría por su propio ejemplo y luego dejándonos el trabajo! Ahora somos los que debemos ser guiados y guiados. El buen pastor ha hecho pastores de ovejas. Solo porque a veces nos perdemos a nosotros mismos podemos llevar a otros a casa. Estamos en asociación con Dios y con los demás, cada uno a nuestra manera, y este es el significado del Domingo de las Vocaciones. Una vocación en el sentido cristiano es participar con Dios para salvar a su pueblo y guiarlo en los tiempos perdidos. La gente de hoy puede perderse de muchas maneras (adicciones, relaciones malsanas, ansiedad financiera, desesperación), el trabajo de la comunidad de los discípulos es llevar la palabra y el amor de Dios a aquellos puntos del viaje donde estamos más perdidos.

La compasión de Dios a veces no se ha reflejado en el enfoque de la comunidad cristiana hacia las personas cuando están en su nivel más bajo. El corazón de Jesús se dirige a todos, y especialmente a los más necesitados, porque nadie puede robar a nadie de Dios, y nadie puede robar el amor de Dios a nadie. El llamado de hoy es dar lo mejor que podamos de nosotros mismos para compartir lo mejor de la vida que tenemos, compartir amor y compasión y saber que cada uno de nosotros, sea cual sea nuestro talento y bondad, podemos acompañar a Dios para guiar a otros hacia él.

**En Cristo,  
Diácono decano**



**Voluntariado con personas mayores**

Todos los domingos de 10: 00—11: 45 a.m. para el servicio de masas

Todos los lunes de 6:00 a 7:30 p.m. para la oración  
**Hopkins Center for Rehabilitation & Healthcare, 155 Dean St, Brooklyn, NY 11217**

Tómese un momento para salir de su día normal y pasar un rato con algunas personas mayores durante un servicio de misa dominical o una breve oración (lunes) con la Comunidad de Sant'Egidio. Será un tiempo bien empleado, tanto para usted como para las personas que conocerá.

Email; santegidiousa@gmail.com; t.davoli@gmail.com a rsvp.

**¿Qué es la Comunidad de Sant'Egidio?**

Iniciada en Roma en 1968, la Comunidad de Sant'Egidio es una organización internacional que comparte una vida de amistad, oración común y servicio a los pobres.

Más información: <http://www.santegidio.org>



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.

**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.

**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

**Evènman à / reyinyon**

- Terce ... se chak dimanch apre 9:00 a.m.
- **Vèsè** yo chak Samdi anvan 5:00 p.m. Mass.
- **Batèm klas** ... pwochen klas la Batèm yo pral nan Mèkredi, 24 avril nan 7:30 p.m. nan Rectory la. Tanpri rele biwo a pou enskri.
- **Gwoup Sipò Ayiti** ... ap premye Lendi nan mwa a nan 7:15 pm nan St Monica Hall. Tout yo akeyi.

**Minis nan Ospitalite**

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

**Parish Tours!**

Entwodwi, Tours gide! Chak Samdi nan 3:00 pm nou pral fè vizit gide nan bèl legliz nou an.

Tanpri rantre nan nou epi pote ansanm fanmi ou ak zanmi!

**PATNÈ manman**

Menm si li te manman Seyè a, ankò li te vle aprann lòd yo nan Seyè a, ak li ki te fè Bondye, ankò vle konnen Bondye.

--St. Ambròs

**MANMAN**

Manman kenbe men pitit yo pou yon ti tan, men kè yo pou tout tan.

- Anonim

**Refleksyon 4yèm Dimanch nan Pak la**

*Ignatius nan Loyola te gen yon meditasyon yo ofri - ke moun yo diven ta gade desann sou mond lan soti nan syèl la, ak wè nou tout. Anpil nan nou te pèdi. Yo te gen pitye pou yo e yo te voye youn nan yo, Pitit Papa a, pou yo te jwenn nou e pou yo te mennen nou lakay. Sa ki te Jezi, Pitit Bondye a ak pitit Mari, divin ak imen, sou yon misyon lavi pou gide nou pou Bondye. Li ta fè sa pa pwòp egzanp li ak Lè sa a, kite travay la ban nou! Nou se koulye a yo menm ki dwe gide ak gid. Bon gadò a fè bèje soti nan mouton. Sèlman paske nou pafwa pèdi tèt nou, nou ka mennen lòt moun lakay nou. Nou se nan yon patenarya ak Bondye ak youn ak lòt, chak nan pwòp fason nou an, e sa se siyifikasyon an nan vokasyon Dimanch. Yon vokasyon nan sans kretyen an se pou patisipe avèk Bondye nan sove pèp li a ak nan gide yo nan fwa pèdi. Moun jodi a ka pèdi nan plizyè fason - depandans, relasyon malsen, enkyetid finansye, dezespwa - travay nan kominote disip yo se pote pawòl la ak renmen Bondye a nan pwen sa yo nan vwayaj la kote nou yo ki pi pèdi.*

*Pafwa konpasyon Bondye a te reflekte nan apwòch kominote kretyen an pou moun lè yo nan pi ba yo. Kè Jezi 'soti nan tout, epi sitou moun ki nan pi bezwen, paske pèsonn pa ka vòlè nenpòt moun ki soti nan Bondye - epi pèsonn pa ka vòlè renmen Bondye a nan nenpòt ki moun. Apèl jodi a se pou bay pi bon jan nou kapab nan tèt nou nan pataje pi bon nan lavi nou genyen, nan pataje renmen ak konpasyon ak konnen ke chak nan nou ak tou sa talan nou yo ak bonte yo, ka patnè Bondye nan gide lòt moun l'la.*

Nan Kris la,  
Dyak Dean

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