

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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Stewardship Renewal A Disciples Response

(Commitment)

November 23, 2008



*We are the
Hands of Christ*

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, November 23

5:00 (Sat.) Stephen Tim (Nancy Tim)
 9:00 Patricia Bonnet (Milagros Jacobs)
 10:30 Pura Martinez (Carmen Lorenzo)
 12:00 George Layng (Leanora Layng)
 1:30

Whatever you did for
 one of these
 least ones,
 you did
 for
 me



Monday, November 24

9:00 In thanksgiving to St. Anthony Padua
 (Dom & Jackie Angelone)

Tuesday, November 25

9:00 Harry Nordin (Dom & Jackie Angelone)

Wednesday, November 26

9:00 Carmen Diaz (Dom & Jackie Angelone)
 7:30 Thanksgiving - Tri-lingual Mass

Thursday, November 27 - Thanksgiving Day

9:00 Maestro Renato Gori (Dom & Jackie Angelone)

Friday, November 28

9:00 Communion Service

Saturday, November 29

9:00 Dr. Giacomo Buscaino (Dom & Jackie Angelone)
 5:00 Col. Ret. Will & Mrs. Barbara Merrill - 50th Anniversary
 (Helen & Josephine McCann)

Sunday, November 30

9:00 Mary Grant McLaughlin (Mary & Dick Treacy)
 10:30 German Norberto Ramos
 (Tony del Valle & Jose Dominguez)
 12:00 ReINETTE Guerrier (Monique Daumec)

On November 29th... at 9:30 a.m. Fr. Tom will celebrate a special intention mass in loving memory of Jose V. Buenaventura requested by Paz & Bernard Naylor.

This week

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Wednesday, November 26 - Tri-lingual Mass - 7:30 p.m.
 Thursday, November 27 - 9:00 a.m. Mass

RECTORY OFFICE

Will be closed Thanksgiving Day
 Thursday, November 27, 28, 29, 30.

17th Annual Helping Hands Food Pantry Thanksgiving Drive

We welcome any non-perishable donations at the Thanksgiving Mass, November 26, 7:30 p.m. **Canned** soups, vegetables, fruits, pasta and rice are items that are especially appreciated. Our pantry is not permitted to distribute outdated items. Your donations of food or money will be brought forward during the offertory time of the Mass. Offering envelopes can be deposited in the collection any weekend in case you're away for the holiday.

STEWARDSHIP

Collection (11/16/08) - \$4008.00

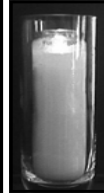
Attendance - 455

Per Capita (Adult) - \$8.80

The second collection today... will be for the Campaign for Human Development. Please be generous.

Sacred Heart Candle

For this week... will be lit for a special intention for Sasha Pardovany by Nicole Pardovany.



Sanctuary Candle

For this week... will be lit in loving memory of Muriel Blake-Reid by the Blake Family.

Blessed Mother Candle

For this week... will be lit for a special intention by the Greene Family.

Stewardship Renewal

Today is Commitment Sunday. Thank you for taking the time to indicate your choices for time and talent on the sign-up sheets in the vestibule for our various ministries. We are also very grateful for your commitment of treasure. You may drop your treasure commitment cards in the collection basket today.

A booklet describing all the ministries and service opportunities is still available in church and online. If you were away, please let us know your decision as soon as possible.

Catholic Migration Information Today - St. Monica Hall

The Diocesan Office staff will offer **FREE** information regarding immigrant's access to healthcare & benefits and immigration issues and a workshop on Breast Cancer. Presentations in English, Spanish and Haitian following the 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. Masses. These are very important issues for our community. Please join us – all are welcome.

Fr. Tom's Installation

Masses - December 6 and 7

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - 9:00 a.m. Spanish/English

12:00 noon - Tri-lingual

Fr. Tom will be installed as pastor by Bishop Frank Caggiano. A pot-luck reception will follow in the auditorium of P.S. 77.

Bi-lingual Family Mass at 9:00 a.m. All families are especially welcome. From 10:15 to 11:15 a.m. we will remain in Church for an Advent program. Children/Teens wishing to be readers, singers or helpers at the Program **must call** Sr. Ellen, ext. 14 by this Wednesday, November 26 and **must** attend a practice on Thursday, December 4, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m..

Note:

Reception planning meeting tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in the rectory. Please see sign-up papers next weekend.

Advent begins - Next week

Unpack the Advent Wreath and the wealth of this liturgical season. Keep packed the Christmas decorations until the third Sunday of Advent when the Church's focus changes to preparation for the Christmas feast.

Congratulations to...

Matthew and Anne Richards our Parish Pastoral Council Secretary who just had a healthy baby boy on November 12, his name is Davis.

Liturgy of the Hours... Join us in glorifying God in the Liturgy of the Hours. You may very well find your personal prayer life enkindled! See schedule in bulletin weekly planner. Beginners of all ages always welcome! More information on flyer near church door.

The Gay Catholic Ministry... invites you to attend our World AIDS Day Service on Monday, December 1 at 7PM. The service will feature music by the Gay Men's Chorus of Manhattan, words of hope by Professor Jim Morgan, and prayer.

You are also invited to participate in our Ribbon Project, which is a memorial to loved ones who have died of AIDS. Red ribbons attached to the church fence bear the names of those who have died of AIDS and the names inscribed on the ribbons will be read aloud as part of the prayer service. Everyone is welcome to attend the service and the reception after the service.

Gay Catholic Ministry... For information on outreach and gay ministry at St. Augustine's, please call Kevin Cooper at 917-921-8153, or for family support group call Carol Devine at 718-857-5762 or Rosemary Palms at 718-638-7365. All are welcome to join us in worship and parish life.

SATURDAY NIGHT TASTE OF CHAMBER MUSIC ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH - DECEMBER 20, 6 P.M., Before Dinner: romantic classical music to start your evening well, Saturday, December 20, 6:00 p.m. The program is free and open to the public. Musicians are: violinist Yura Alexov, violinist Robyn Quinnett and pianist Andrew Violette. For further information about this December 20 event, contact Janet Reid, event publicist at 718.418.2419 or email getreviews@earthlink.net.

AM AHL AND THE NIGHT VISITORS

The third annual performance of Gian Carlo Menotti's Amahl and the Night Visitors will take place on Friday, January 2, at 8:00 p.m. at St. Augustine's Church. It is a benefit performance for the Tower of Faith Campaign. Tickets will go on sale in December. Rehearsals are being held at St. Monica's Hall, 47 Sterling Place, on Saturdays, 1-3 pm. Chorus members needed. For further information call Dalienne Majors, 917 756 8242, email: daliennemajors@gmail.com.

78th Precinct Community Council... monthly meeting Tuesday, November 25, 2008 @ 7:30 p.m. at the 78th Precinct (6th Avenue & Bergen Street), 4th Floor.



We pray for the sick...

If you have a person you wish to be prayed for, please let us know immediately and we will be happy to pray for them. The names will remain on the sick list for three weeks and thereafter repeated as requested.

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3
Anna Rodriguez Jocelyn Angelone Eduardo Valentin Evaristo Jimenez Maria Gomez Manuel Taranco Zahamira Edouard Cathy O'Neill Anne Madigan Beirne Anne McNeeley Doradine Fleming Frank Silva Norma Letang Ruth Repetti Clarise Repetti Kathleen Applewhite	Florrie Goddard Jerome Knittle Ron Broglin Rosemary Knittle Thomas Foster Steve Levine Antonio Pacheco	

We pray for members and friends serving in the military: MAFC Antonio G. Cuin, Jr, LTC. Anthony DeMartino, Sgt. Estephen Shirverts, Capt. Adam Reiber, Col. Will Merrill, Lt. Jeanell Merrill, 1st Lt. John Kovach, Manny Otero, PFC Anthony J. Jolimeau, Paul Valdez, Michael Dejean, PFC Cass Taylor, Cristian Grullón.

For the deceased... Arlene Santiago, Ivan Carbuccia, Hugo Jeannot

Centering Prayer... meets Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

Book of the Names of the Dead

You are welcome to inscribe the names of your beloved dead in our parish remembrance book which is held by the angel Rafael in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Offering envelopes are available for a remembrance throughout November.

Families, Fathers & Children

Is a program that provides services to children whose dad is in prison, invites you to a **Christmas Card Writing Event** on Monday, December 8, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. (come when you can) in St. Monica Hall. We will be writing Christmas Cards to dads who are in prison and also to their children. This is an opportunity to find out more about our program and about the impact of incarceration on the children. Some of our children will make presentations. Refreshments will be served.

WEEKLY PLANNER

Monday, November 24

7:30 p.m. Reception Meeting (Dec. 7) - R

Tuesday, November 25

7:00 p.m. Centering Prayer - R

7:30 p.m. Spanish Charismatic Group - M

Wednesday, November 26

BULLETIN DEADLINE FOR 12/7

9:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - C

7:30 p.m. Haitian Charismatic Group - M

Thursday, November 27 Thanksgiving Day

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Friday, November 28

8:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours: Lauds - C

Saturday, November 29

8:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours: Lauds - C

10:00 a.m. Food Pantry - M

1:00 p.m. Amahl Practice - M

3:00 p.m. Tonel Lakay Dance Group - M

3:30 p.m. Haitian Legion of Mary - C

4:30 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours: Vespers - C

Sunday, November 30

First Sunday of Advent

1:15 p.m. Rosary Society - C

Readings for the Week

Monday:	Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday:	Rv 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday:	Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday:	Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Lk 21:20-28
	Thanksgiving Day (suggested):
	Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
	Lk 17:11-19
Friday:	Rv 20:1-4, 11 -- 21:2; Lk 21:29-33
Saturday:	Rv 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday:	Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Ps 80;
	1 Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37

Bulletin Announcements

In order to insure timely receipt of your bulletin announcement, please drop off at the rectory or e-mail directly to Nilsa at staugustinerc@verizon.net. We make every effort to include as many announcements as possible, but please do not wait until the last minute with your requests. Allow 2 to 3 cycles for announcement. See calendar on above for bulletin deadline.

Recemos Por. . .

Si usted tiene una persona que usted desea ser rogado para, por favor déjenos saber inmediatamente y rogaremos por ellos. Los nombres quedarán en la lista de enfermos por tres semanas y repetida después de eso por requerimiento.

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Rezamos por los miembros y amigos que están sirviendo en el Servicio Militar: MAFC Antonio G. Cuin, Jr., LTC. Anthony DeMartino, Sgt. Estephen Shirverts, Capt. Adam Reiber, Col. Will Merrill, Lt. Jeanell Merrill, 1st Lt. John Kovach, Manny Otero, PFC Anthony J. Jolimeau, Paul Valdez, Michael Dejean, PFC Cass Taylor, Cristian Grullón.

Por los difuntos... Arlene Santiago, Ivan Carbuccia, Hugo Jeannot

Renovación de Mayordomía

Hoy es Domingo de Compromiso. Gracias por tomarse su tiempo para indicar sus opciones del tiempo y talento en las hojas de inscripción en el vestíbulo para nuestros varios ministerios. Estamos también muy agradecidos por su compromiso de tesoro. Usted puede dejar sus tarjetas del compromiso de tesoro en la canasta de colección hoy. Un librete que describe todos los ministerios y oportunidades de servicio está todavía disponible en la iglesia y en línea. Si usted estaba ausente, por favor déjenos saber su decisión cuanto antes.

Misa de Acción de Gracias

Miércoles, 26 de Noviembre - 7:30 a.m. - Tri-lingüe

Jueves, 27 Noviembre a las 9:00 a.m.

Decimoséptima Campaña Anual del Almacén de Comida el Día de Acción de Gracias

Le damos la bienvenida a donaciones de comida enlatada en la Misa de Acción de Gracias, 26 de Noviembre a las 7:30 p.m. Las siguientes: sopas, vegetales, frutas enlatadas, pasta y arroz son artículos preferibles. Nuestro almacén no esta permitido distribuir artículos pasado de fechas. Sus donaciones de comida o dinero serán llevados al frente durante el tiempo del ofertorio de la Misa. Los sobre de ofrendas pueden ser depositado en la colecta en cualquier fin de semana en caso que hayan estado afuera por los días de fiestas.

OFICINA DE LA RECTORIA

Estará cerrada el Día de Acción de Gracias
Jueves, 27, 28, 29 y 30 de Noviembre

Instalación del Padre Tom**Misas - 6 y 7 de Diciembre**

Sabado - 5:00 p.m.

Domingo - 9:00 a.m. - Español/Ingles

12:00 medio dia - Tri-lingüe

El Padre Tom será instalado como pastor por el obispo Frank Caggiano. Una recepción de pot-luck seguirá en el auditorio de P.S. 77.

Misa bilingüe de la familia a las 9:00 a.m. Todas las familias son especialmente bienvenidos. De 10:15 a 11:15 a.m. permaneceremos en la iglesia para un programa de Advenimiento. Los Niños/Jovenes que desean ser lectores, cantantes o ayudantes en el programa deben llamar a Sor Ellen, ext. 14 para este Miércoles 26 de Noviembre y debe atender a una práctica el Jueves 4 de Diciembre de 7:00 a 8:30 p.m.

Nota:

Reunión de Planificación para la Recepción mañana a las 7:30 p.m. en la rectoría. Favor de alistar su nombre en las hojas la próxima semana.

Adviento comienza la proxima semana

Desempaquete la guirnalda del advenimiento y la abundancia de esta temporada litúrgica. Guarde las decoraciones de la Navidad hasta el tercer domingo del advenimiento cuando el foco de la iglesia cambia a la preparación para el banquete de la Navidad.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Mekredi 26 Novamb - Twa langage la mes 7:30 p.m.
Jedi 27 Novamb - 9:00 a.m. La Mès

RECTORY OFFICE

Va femin jou Thanksgiving
Jedi 27, 28, 29, 30 Novamb

**17th Annual Helping Hands Food Pantry
Thanksgiving Drive**

Nou va asepte moun ki pap peri kom donasion nan Lamès Thanksgiving 26 Novanmb 7:30 p.m. kann sour, vegetable, foui, pasta, ak diri kom bagay ki espesialman aprésye pantry nou pa pè mi pou distriyé san dat sou li. Donasion ou pou manje ou lajan va poté devan lotel diran ofrann Lamès la. Envelop ofrann kab deposé nan koleksion nan ninpot wikinn anka ou deyo pou Fet la.

Advent begins - Next Week

Onnpak kouronn lavan ak rich sezon Litijikal. Kip pak dekorasion Fet Noël Jis twazyem dimanch de lavan koté legliz va chita pou chanje preparasion pou Fet Krismas.

Catholic Migration Information**Jodi-a - St. Monica Hall**

Ofis dioezin ak staff va ofri enformasion gratis regarde imigrasion akses pou sante e benefis ak topik cancer presantasion nan angle, espanol ak kreyol suivi de 10:30 a.m., 12 p.m. ak 1:30 p.m. lames yo. Sa se topik tres emportan pou kominote nou. Tanpri kontre nou-tout moun bienveni.

Stewardship Renewal

Jodi-a se dimanch komitaman. Mesi poutet ou retouné fom ki indike komitman ou de Tan ak Talan ak semen ofrann ou ak konbyen ou ap bay pou ané sa-a. Si ou te deyo, tanpri pran yon fòm alé lakay ou ak li e retouné li lot semen. Yon tifeyè indiké tout ministri yo ak sevis opotinité ki disponib nan legliz la ak onlinn.

Fr. Tom's Instalation**Masses - 6 akt 7 Decembre**

Samedi - 5:00 p.m.

Dimanch - 9:00 a.m. Espanol/Angle

12 heur - Twa-langage

Fr. Tom va instalé kom paste pa Monseyè Frank Caggiano. Yon lunch respision va suiv in auditorium P.S. 77.

Lamès Fanmi a 9:00 a.m. Tout fanmi yo espesialman byenveni. De 10:15 a 11:15 a.m. nou va rété nan legliz pou yon program lavan.

Note:

Resepsion planifyé Revinion demin a 7:30 p.m. nan presbitè. Program Lavan: Timoun yo/jenn ki vle li kom ridé ou chanté dwe atann repetision nan Jedi 4 Decembre, 7-8:30 p.m. ak dwe rélé Sr. Ellen ext. 14 pa Mekredi, 26 Novamb.

Liturgy of the Hours

Kontre nou nan glorigye Bondye nan litiji de L'heur. Ou kab byen kab jwenn pesonnel priyé lavi vlopé! Wè schedil nan biltin semen sa-a planifyé. Komansman tout age toujou byenveni! Plis informasion sou flyer devan pot legliz la.

78th Precinct Community Council... Revinion chak semen, Madi 25 Novanmb a 7:30 p.m. nan 78th Precinct (6em Avenue & Bergen Street) 4em floor.

Ribbon Project... anko ané sa-a, Gay katolik ministri va memorizé renmen youn kite mouri avek SIDA, nan Ribbon Project. Ribbon laj rouj va posté sou lantouraj ki entouré legliz la, avek non yo tout moun kite mouri avek SIDA. Tanpri kontré nou nan sipoté tout sila yo kap viv avek HIV/SIDA, ak sonjé tout sila yo kite mouri pa atann jou monde SIDA, sevis nan Lindi, 1 Decembre a 7:00 p.m.

Amahl and the Night Visitors

Twasziem anyel performans de Gian Carlo Menottis Amahl and the Night Visitors va pran plas nan Vanredi 2 Janvyè, a 8:00 p.m. nan legliz St. Augustine. Se yon performans pou benefis de tet legliz lafwa kampany. Repetision va fet nan Samedi komansman premye Novamb, 1-3 p.m. nan St. Monica Hall (lokate anba St. Augustine avek antre sou Sterling Place). "Totu chante yo ak danse yo envite pou patisipe. Pou plis enformasion rele Dalienne Majors nan 917-756-8242 ou email: daliennemajors@gmail.com.