

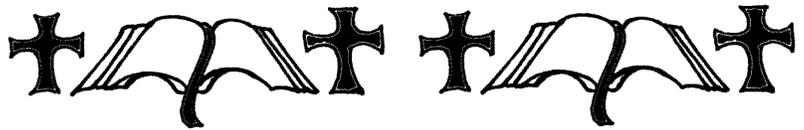
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St. Augustine by-the-sea Church

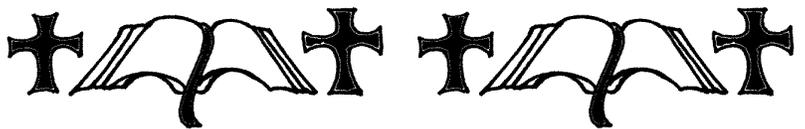
Sunday Liturgy
5 p.m. Saturday
6, 8, 10 a.m., 5 p.m. Sunday

Daily Liturgy
7 a.m. Monday-Saturday
5 p.m. Monday-Thursday

Damien and Marianne
of Moloka'i
Heritage Center
Open daily, featuring displays
of the work of St. Damien and
St. Marianne



The word
of God
is at work
in you



*You have made us for yourself, Lord,
and our hearts are restless until they
rest in you*

-- St. Augustine of Hippo

*With the servant leadership
of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary
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Office hours

Monday–Thursday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; closed noon to 1 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m. to noon. Closed Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: 6:30–6:45 a.m. and 4:30–4:45 p.m. Tuesday–Thursday; 3–4 p.m. Saturday.

Baptism: Call the parish office for information.

Marriage: Email staugustineweddingcoordinator@gmail.com before making arrangements.

Confirmation: Call the parish office for information.

Funerals: Call the parish office when finalizing services with the mortuary.

Religious education

Contact the parish office to enroll your child in religious education classes or to inquire about the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

Parish organizations

Altar Rosary Society

Holy Name Society

Tongan Society

Knights of Columbus

Ka Huaka'i (Marriage ministry)

Please call the parish office for information about joining any of these organizations.

Aunty Carmen's Kitchen

Hot meals are served between 11 a.m. and noon

Monday to Friday, except holidays

To register

Call the parish office to register and to sign up for envelopes

Bulletin deadline

Material to be considered in the bulletin must be submitted to the parish office by noon on the Monday before the Sunday of publication.

Hospitality

Join us for doughnuts and juice after all morning masses on the first Sunday of the month.

This week at St. Augustine

Sunday, Feb. 8--Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturgical color: Green

6 a.m. Mass

7:15 a.m. Rosary

8 a.m. Mass—R/S Jerry Galang, Kamila Malterre

9 a.m. Religious education, Annex Building

10 a.m. Mass—S/I Sage & the Kong Kee Family; R/S Robert Iraschko

5 p.m. Mass—R/S Ainise Meleatai Ngata

Monday, Feb. 9

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Communion Prayer Service

5 p.m. Mass

6 p.m. Knights of Columbus, Damien Meeting Room

Tuesday, Feb. 10--St. Scholastica

Liturgical color: White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—S/I Elaine Fazzio (birthday)

5 p.m. Mass

5:30 p.m. Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

6 to 9 p.m. Marriage Preparation

Wednesday, Feb. 11--Our Lady of Lourdes

Liturgical color: Green/White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

3 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

5 p.m. Mass

6:45 p.m. RCIA, Damien Meeting Room

Thursday, Feb. 12

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

2 p.m. Wedding

5 p.m. Mass

Friday, Feb. 13

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

Saturday, Feb. 14--Sts. Cyril and Methodius

St. Valentine's Day

Liturgical color: White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

Church cleaning: Altar Rosary Society

5 p.m. Mass—S/I Sage & the Kong Kee family; R/S Taylor Mayers



Breaking open the Word

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflection

Today's Gospel picks up from last Sunday's account of Jesus preaching in the synagogue in Capernaum on the Sabbath. Jesus then goes to the house of Simon and Andrew. Simon's mother-in-law is sick with a fever. As the gospel tells us, "He approached her, grasped her hand, and helped her up. Then the fever left her and she waited on them."

Let the poor woman rest a bit, we might think. But just as Jesus immediately saw her need in entering the house, Simon's mother-in-law, once healed, also saw the need of service and the ways her gifts might be shared within the house.

After sunset, others in the town who were ill were brought to the door of the house to be cured by Jesus. And we see how Jesus puts himself at the service of people and brings healing and wholeness back into their lives.

In the life of a Christian, all of us are called to service, to contribute to the well-being of those around us and of the community.

Most of us are not called to preaching or to a life of service like Mother Teresa. But we can do something thoughtful for another person, be a peacemaker in a difficult situation rather than responding in anger, be an encouragement to someone going through difficulties, speak words of comfort to those who are suffering. We can be a living Gospel in action.

The life of Jesus is telling us that life is for service, for giving, for sharing. And, if we all did that, how enriched we all would be.

Anne Harpham

Readings

Job 7:1-4, 6-7 Job finds life on earth to be drudgery; he is filled with restlessness.

Psalms 147 Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted.

1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23 Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel I have become all things to all, to save at least some.

Mark 1:20-39 Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases.

Weekday

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104; Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20--2:4a; Ps 8; Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104; Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128; Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32; Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90; Mk 8:1-10

Next Sunday's readings

Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32; 1 Cor 10:31--11:1; Mk 1:40-45

Diocese of Honolulu 2015 Lenten Regulations

FASTING

☉ In the dioceses in the United States, Catholics aged 18 through 59 are bound to fast on both Ash Wednesday (**February 18**) and Good Friday (**April 3**).

☉ To *fast* means to consume one full meal a day at most, although taking of other, smaller quantities of food at the other customary mealtimes is permitted. Food and drink between meals (excepting water and medicine) is not permitted on fast days.

ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT

☉ Catholics aged 14 and up are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday.

☉ To abstain means refraining from eating beef, veal, pork, or poultry at least, although eggs, milk products, or meat broths or condiments made from animal fat are OK. The consumption of fish and shellfish is permitted.

EASTER DUTY

☉ All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept is to be fulfilled during the Easter Season unless it is fulfilled, for a just cause, at some other time during the year. This period is extended to include all the weeks of Lent and the Easter Season up to Trinity Sunday (**May 31**).

LENTEN PRACTICES

☉ The faithful are encouraged during Lent to attend daily Mass, receive Holy Communion, participate in penance services, and receive sacramental absolution; to take part in public and private exercises of piety, give generously to works of religion and charity, perform acts of kindness toward the sick, aged, and the poor; to practice voluntary self-denial, especially regarding food, drink, and worldly amusements; and to pray more fervently, particularly for the intentions of the Holy Father.

Faith sharing Feb. 16

St. Augustine's Faith Formation class meets at 6 p.m. Feb. 16 in the Damien Meeting Room for prayer, reflection and faith sharing. We are using the book, "The God Who Won't Let Go," by Fr. Peter Van Breeman SJ.

Pauline Books and Media events

On Tuesday, Feb. 10 at 7 p.m. Dale Ahlquist, an expert on author G.K. Chesterton and narrator of the popular EWTN show The Apostle of Common Sense, will speak on "The Philosophy of Islands" at Pauline Books and Media. From 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 21 Fr. Paul Mast will be at Pauline Books and Media to speak about his new book, Street Sabbatical, which follows his six-months sabbatical encountering the homeless on the streets, in shelters, and in homes.

Pray the Rosary

The Volunteers of the Heritage Center, Altar Rosary Society & the Knights of Columbus would like to invite everyone to join in praying the rosary on Sunday mornings at 7:15 a.m.

The Congregation of the Sacred Hearts

The foundation of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary (SS.CC.) has its roots in the religious persecution during the French Revolution. On Christmas Eve in 1800, our founders Father Pierre Coudrin, and Henriette Aymer de Chevalerie professed their vows establishing the Congregation which received approval by Pope Pius VII in 1817.

Ten years later, in 1827, the Congregation received its first foreign mission in the Sandwich Islands (Hawaii). The mission became the Diocese of Honolulu in 1940 and in 1946 the SS.CC. presence officially became the Hawaii Province.

In 1905, Bishop William Stang invited the Congregation to minister in the Fall River Diocese in Massachusetts. In 1947, the SS.CC. presence there became the United States Province. Over the years, brothers were sent to establish missions in California, South Texas, Ireland, England, Japan, the Bahamas, and India. In 1970, the U.S. Province began to be divided resulting in the SS.CC. Provinces of USA East, USA West, Ireland-England, and Japan-Philippines. In 1975, the mission in India officially became a Region of the USA East Province.

In November 2011, the members of the Provinces of Hawaii and USA East merged together to become the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts – United States Province. In 2012, a new mission began in Tonga. Together with the Region of India, the Province has around 80 members. It has served the Church in the USA for 188 years.

Next week we will be asking for your help with our retirement needs through a special 2nd collection.

February 7th & 8th

IS THE SECOND COLLECTION FOR



AUGUSTINE
EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Funding
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Please be as generous as your abundance will allow!

Our Catholic schools provide a quality education to students from all ethnic, religious and financial backgrounds. The Augustine Educational Foundation provides tuition scholarships to financially needy students in our Hawaii Catholic Schools in grades K-12.

Please take a moment and help make a difference in a student's life - your gift goes directly to support tuition scholarships in your parish and/or vicariate for the 2015-2016 school year.

Last year, more than \$84,000 was generously donated to the Second Collection and distributed back to parishioners in the form of tuition scholarships.

Mahalo for your consideration and support!

For more information on the foundation's programs, visit www.augustinefoundation.org

Congratulations Deacon Andy

On February 10th Deacon Andy Calunod celebrates his 8th anniversary to the Permanent Diaconate. We thank God for his dedicated service as a Deacon here at St. Augustine. Ad multos annos!

World Day of the Sick

Fr. Gary Secor will celebrate the Holy Mass for the World Day of the Sick at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, February 11 at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Peace, including the Sacramental Rite of Anointing of the Sick.

ARS Closet Thrift Shop

The ARS closet will be closed on February 7, but will reopen on February 14 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please come to visit us on Valentine's Day for your special needs.

Mardi Gras—February 17

The parish will celebrate Mardi Gras on Tuesday February 17 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the church parking lot. There will be entertainment by St. John's Mariachi Band. A delicious spaghetti dinner will be served for a donation of \$10 per person. Tickets will be available after the masses on Sunday and at the Parish Office until Sunday, February 15.

At St. Augustine

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| Feb. 8 | 2nd collection for Augustine Education Fund |
| Feb. 15 | 2nd collection for SS.CC. Retirement Fund |
| Feb. 16 | Presidents Day, Parish Office and Aunty Carmen's Kitchen closed
Faith sharing, 6 p.m., Damien Meeting Room |
| Feb. 17 | Mardi Gras Celebration—Church Parking Lot |
| Feb. 18 | Ash Wednesday—Masses 7 a.m. & 5 p.m. |

“Absolute Faith”

Damien and Marianne of Moloka'i Heritage Center

“Absolute Faith” intertwines the stories of Father Damien, Mother Marianne and the people of Kalaupapa using historic and contemporary photographs, quotations, poetry and song. There are many never-seen-before portraits from the early 1900s that offer a rare and compelling glimpse of life in the land of exile.

The Heritage Center is in front of the church in the ABC Building on the second floor. It is open daily. A lift is available for those with special needs. For arrangements for groups of 20 or more, call 922-3121

Damien & Marianne

Inspirations of love and ministry

We are seeking to commission bronze outdoor statues of St. Damien and St. Marianne by Maui artist Gary Thomas for the meditation garden at the planned Damien and Marianne Museum. The statues can be seen here.

Fr. Damien's life has long been an inspiration to Thomas and he wanted to portray Damien as he was in life, ministering to and interacting with his people, carrying his *mana* into the world. Thomas wanted to portray him as the vibrant man he was most of his life.



For Thomas, his Damien sculpture fulfills Matthew 10:42 (“And whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because he is a disciple—amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.”)

The sculpture of Mother Marianne depicts her maternal and tender side. She filled the void of motherhood for the orphans at Kalaupapa while instructing them in the wisdom of God's Word, said Thomas. For Thomas, St. Marianne lived the words of Luke 9:46 “Whoever welcomes a little child in my name welcomes me...”



We are seeking donations to help us obtain the statues, which will be placed in a meditation garden in the new Damien and Marianne Museum. To donate or for more information, please see Fr. Lane.

Thomas also has maquettes of both statues for sale at \$4,000 apiece. A portion of the sales price will go toward support of the statues for the meditation garden.

THE STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

My parish is composed of people like me.

I help make it what it is.

It will be friendly, if I am.

It will be holy, if I am.

Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them.

It will do great work, if I work.

It will be prayerful, if I pray.

It will make generous gifts to many causes,
if I am a generous giver.

It will bring others into its worship,
if I invite and bring them.

It will be a parish of loyalty and love,
of fearlessness and faith, of compassion, charity, and
mercy,

if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same
things.

Therefore, with the help of God,
I now dedicate myself to the task of being
all the things that I want my parish to be.

Amen

Stewardship of treasure

Collection for the week ended Feb. 1: \$9,893.48

Children's' Offertory: \$55.00

Our daily and Sunday collections

As good stewards, we are grateful to God for his many blessings. In gratitude we share with those who are in need. The collection at Sunday and daily Mass is part of our liturgy, and is a sign of our willingness to give all that we have to the Lord for the church and the poor. It is also expressive of what the Eucharist means in our relationship with others. In the early Church, everyone brought up what they had brought, eggs, produce or chickens or grain, or bread or wine. Some was used for the celebration and the rest was used for the benefit of the Church so that all were taken care of and no one was in need. Today, we share what we have with money. Our collection—daily and Sunday—gives tangible support to our faith in action and to our thankfulness to our Creator.