

# St. Augustine by-the-sea Church

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## Sunday Liturgy

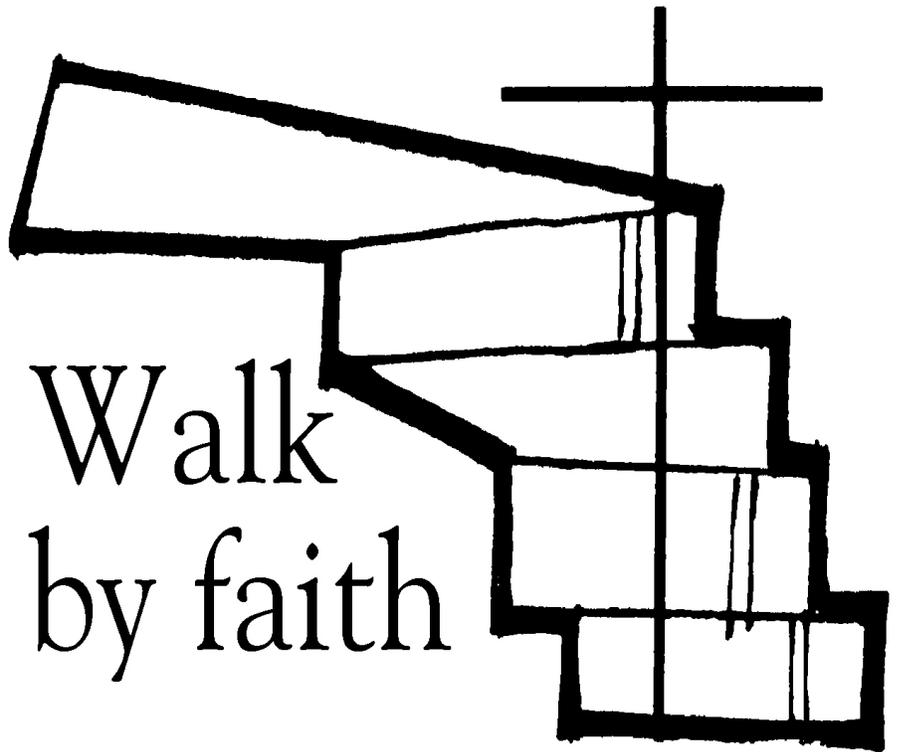
5 p.m. Saturday

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

## Daily Liturgy

7 a.m. Monday-Saturday

5 p.m. Monday-Thursday



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*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 since 1854*

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## **St. Augustine by-the-sea Parish**

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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](mailto: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, July 5--Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Liturgical color: Green

6 a.m. Mass

7:15 a.m. Rosary

8 a.m. Mass —R/S Jerry Galang, John & Lillian Kalmes; S/I Purie Cortez (thanksgiving), Maria Barnes (birthday)

10 a.m. Mass— Sage and the Kong Kee Family; R/S John & Lillian Kalmes; S/I Maria Barnes (birthday)

5 p.m. Mass—S/I Amelia Kafoa (healing), Tuhoko & Hine Kolo-hakau-fisi (60th anniversary)

### **Monday, July 6--St. Maria Goretti**

Liturgical color: Green/Red

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Communion Prayer Service

5 p.m. Mass

### **Tuesday, July 7**

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

5 p.m. Mass

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

### **Wednesday, July 8**

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass

5 p.m. Mass—S/I Giovanni & Cristina Arriola (15th anniversary)

### **Thursday, July 9--St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions**

Liturgical color: Green/Red

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass — R/S Lauryn Mary Sutton; S/I Jennifer Radan Eligado (safe trip)

5 p.m. Mass—R/S Estulana Laput

### **Friday, July 10**

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass —R/s Estulana Laput

### **Saturday, July 11--St. Benedict**

Liturgical color: White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—R/S Michael Thomas Natividad

Church cleaning: Tongan Society/A/President's Mystery

5 p.m. Mass—S/I Juan Pablo & Catalina Guevara, Sage and the Kong Kee Family; R/S Estulana Laput

# Breaking open the Word

## Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Reflection

The tone in the gospel reading today, suggests that people in Jesus' town had a bad attitude, fueled by greed and selfishness. On top of that, there was tremendous disbelief! They did not want to accept who Jesus truly was. They even wanted to do bodily harm to Jesus for what he said.

What was so precious that the people would resort to such action? In this case, it was the scribes and religious leaders who felt that their position or status was being threatened and they would lose confidence from the people that they lorded over. It was obvious that what mattered to them was more important than recognizing the real truth and the needs of the people. They were self-serving and would not give that up for any reason.

How does the gospel reflect on our attitude and behavior? Do we behave like the scribes and elders when we are confronted with the truth? How strong is our denial? Are we sacrificing ourselves now and eternally by our denial? Accepting truth is hard to take, especially when there is a price for it and the cost is much more than we would like to pay. We need to realize that "the truth is the truth" and it will prevail whether we accept it or not.

There are many truths as we journey in this life that should be upheld. But there is only one that represents eternal life; that Jesus came for our salvation and everlasting life. This we must believe and accept to obtain this gift from God. Only then will we have the chance of being accepted into God's Kingdom and eternal life. Do you believe in this truth? If you do, show others that you believe so they may follow.

*Deacon Andy Calunod*

### Readings

**Ezekiel 2:2-5** They shall know that a prophet has been among them.

**Psalms 123** Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.

**2 Corinthians 12:7-10** I am content with weaknesses and hardships for the sake of Christ.

**Mark 6:1-6a** "Where did this man get all this? Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?"

### Weekday

**Monday:** Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91; Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday:** Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17; Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday:** Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday:** Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday:** Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday:** Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105; Mt 10:24-33

### Next Sunday's readings

Am 7:12-15; Ps 85; Eph 1:3-14; Mk 6:7-13

*In the continuous flow of blessing our heart finds  
meaning and rest.*

*~David Steindl-Rast*

*Source: Gratefulness.org*

## 14th week of Ordinary Time

We continue with the final week of a three-week cycle of Genesis readings. Jacob stops for the night and has a vivid dream about a stairway to heaven and the Lord telling him that the land on which he rests would be given to Jacob and his descendants. The readings then jump ahead to pick up the story of the famine and Joseph, Jacob's son who has been sold into slavery by his brothers. Joseph is now a powerful man in Egypt managing food in a starving world, and his brothers, are sent by their father to Egypt to beg for food. Joseph meets with his brothers reveals himself to them and is reunited with his now-elderly father, Jacob, who comes to Egypt. The readings end as Joseph dies in Egypt, asking to be buried in the land of his birth. It's a great story of God's fidelity.

Matthew's gospel is filled with healing and invitations. Jesus offers a cure and courage for the woman with hemorrhage, raises an official's daughter from dead and continues to cure every disease and illness.

## Daily prayer this week

As Jesus heals, he gives courage. As he carries out his ministry of healing and announcing the terrific news of the closeness of the Kingdom of God, he is filled with compassion for all those who suffer and who need this encouraging news. So Jesus calls us to join him. This isn't the call to priesthood or religious life. This is the universal call addressed to all of us to see with his own compassionate eyes and to reach out and heal others. As Jesus sends us, he knows that we will encounter resistance and opposition - sometimes from within our own heart first, but certainly from others. He always tells us not to be afraid. Even when things happen that take away our peace, our peace will be given back to us. He knows he is sending us like sheep among the wolves of this world, and so he to be both wise and simple - two great gifts for our mission. He assures us that even when we don't know how to speak tender or reconciling words, the Spirit will speak through us. The only thing we need to fear is the stuff we get into that can actually destroy our soul.

What a great week to ask for the grace to be responsive to his call! All week, with attentive eyes, we can see with Jesus' own compassion, where he is directing our heart to love and to heal. All week, we can try to be conscious of how our day to day work is part of our call from the Lord: to be an agent in the world for good, to make products, to offer goods and services to people, to coordinate human activities, to protect and defend others' rights, to heal others. Some of us are still available to be called to a specific work or ministry. This is a great week to ask for openness.

*Creighton University Online Ministries*

## Training for altar servers

We are planning training sessions in July for those who wish to be altar servers. If you are interested please contact Fr. Lane. There is an age requirement.

## St. Augustine feast day fundraiser

As we conclude our 160th anniversary celebration our feast day event will be a fundraiser for our Legacy Campaign, which benefits the building of the NEW Damien and Marianne Museum. The fundraiser will be Aug. 27, 2015, at The Royal Hawaiian Hotel beginning at 5:30 pm. Cost per person will be \$200. Mark your calendar and save the date.

## Lectors meeting on July 6

There will be a meeting for all lectors on Monday, July 6, at 5:30 pm in the Church. This is a required meeting, please make arrangements to be present.

## Eucharistic ministers meeting 7/20

There will be a meeting for all Eucharistic ministers on Monday, July 20, at 5:30 pm in the Church. This is a required meeting, please make arrangements to be present.

## Family Promise in July

St. Augustine Parish will be assisting Holy Trinity Parish in its Family Promise ministry again in July. Families who are seeking permanent housing will be staying at Holy Trinity July 12-18. St. Augustine Parish will be hosting dinner on Saturday, July 18 and we are seeking parishioners to volunteer to help with this important ministry to homeless families.

If you would like to help, please call the parish office. You will be asked to provide one dish (salad, entrée, vegetable, starch or dessert) for approximately four families.

You will be helping homeless families with young children who are working hard to get back on their feet and find permanent housing.

## Ministry Fair in August

The Pastoral Council is planning a Ministry Fair in August. Check future bulletins for more information.

## Sr. Cheryl Wint's final profession

Sister Cheryl Wint OSF has been involved with our parish for the last three years. On Aug. 2 she will make her final profession with the Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities in our church at the 8 a.m. Mass. Continue to pray for her as she prepares for this important event in her life.

## Stewardship of treasure

Collection for the week ended June 28, 2015 : \$8,300.48  
2nd collection for Philippines mission: \$3,818.23  
Children's Offertory: \$4.25

## Visit [staugustinebythesea.com](http://staugustinebythesea.com)

Aloha! Have you checked out our web site? It has current and historical information that may be of interest. It has mass times, events, online giving, and a story of our two Hawaii saints, Damien and Marianne. Visit our site at [staugustinebythesea.com](http://staugustinebythesea.com). We welcome your visit. Mahalo!

## Using online giving

Traveling this summer? Use our Online Giving program to make your offerings from wherever you are. Go to our web site [staugustinebythesea.com](http://staugustinebythesea.com) and click on Donate. It's quick and easy, instructions are given. You'll be glad you did!

### Parishioner information

Our parish office is updating our records on registered parishioners. We are asking all registered parishioners to give us their current address, phone number and email address. If you would like to register, please call the parish office. You may put completed forms in the collection basket or give them to an usher. Please fill out this form by Sept. 1. Mahalo!

NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN AND AGES : \_\_\_\_\_

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## Damien & Marianne

### *Inspirations of love and ministry*

The mission of the planned Damien and Marianne of Molokai Museum is to offer a welcoming environment that engages visitors of diverse backgrounds to learn about the lives of St. Damien and St. Marianne.

There are a number of sponsorship opportunities that will be offered in conjunction with the museum. They include:

#### **Stained glass windows**

-- Nine narrow stained glass windows that reference Kalaupapa in their design will be a prominent architectural feature in the museum. \$60,000.

#### **Interactive exhibits**

- An interactive exhibit of Damien the Builder, which includes some of Damien's carpentry tools. \$40,000.
- Resident voices: Excerpts of oral history interviews with Kalaupapa residents. \$20,000.
- Research kiosk: Introduction to available resources and how to use them in locating records of family members sent to Kalaupapa. \$15,000.

#### **Display cases**

- Textiles: Liturgical vestments and other textiles. \$75,000.
- Saints' objects: Personal articles belonging to Mother Marianne and Fr. Damien. \$75,000.

#### **Film presentations**

- Kalaupapa residents: Portraits and activities of the Kalaupapa community at the beginning of the 20th century. \$60,000.
- St. Marianne: Mother Marianne's path to sainthood \$50,000.
- St. Damien: Fr. Damien's path to sainthood \$50,000.

Contact Stuart Ching for more information:  
staugustinebythesea@gmail.com or 923-7024.

# Legacy Campaign to benefit new museum

*Dear parishioners and friends of St. Augustine,*

As we move forward in continuing the legacy of our two Hawaii saints --Sts. Damien and Marianne -- we are preparing to begin our Legacy Campaign to support the building of a new museum adjacent to the church.

The Legacy Campaign will take work, effort and dedication to be successful and I appreciate the commitment of our many supporters. The Legacy Campaign will be undertaken in two phases. The first phase will allow us to realize our dream for a new Damien and Marianne Museum and the second phase will enable the construction of a much-needed parish multi-purpose building and parking structure. This will complete our Parish Master plan, which began with the renovation of the church.

It is my hope that this Legacy Campaign will be creative and innovative in its format, not like a traditional campaign that relies solely on its parishioner base. We will also be seeking support from the broader community as well as internationally. The lives of Fr. Damien and Mother Marianne have inspired people from around the world and we believe many will want to help in our project.

The museum will house artifacts of Fr. Damien and Mother Marianne and will feature interactive exhibits and a meditation garden. I invite all of you to be a part of this very special and important undertaking. Sts. Damien and Marianne continue to be models of selfless love and service and we are blessed in being able to share their story with so many.

At the same time, we are embarking on a Stewardship Program, enabling our parishioners to discern how to best share their time, talent and treasure for the good of the community. We will be sharing more details as this program unfolds.

Pray through our saints, Augustine, Damien and Marianne that they will intercede on our behalf so that we can be successful in all that we do.

*Fr. Lane K. Akiona ss.cc.*

