

SAINT AUGUSTINE PARISH FAMILY

Millville, Massachusetts

PASTORAL STAFF

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
8:30am - 2:00pm

Closed : Friday, Saturday & Sunday
(AND ALL CIVIC HOLIDAYS)

PRIESTS' RESIDENCE:

Good Shepherd Rectory

121 Linwood Street Linwood, MA.

Telephone: (508) 234-7726

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: Mon.-Thurs. 9:00 AM

Holy Days: As Announced

Confessions: Sat. 3:15 PM-4:00 PM

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Augustine Parish Family is a Roman Catholic community established in 1884, in Millville, Massachusetts.

We are committed to: Worshiping God,
Welcoming All, Sharing Faith,
Caring For You.

We stand with every generation
as we strive to live and grow in
faith, hope, and love.



FAITH FORMATION MINISTER:

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OTHER KEY POSITIONS:

MUSIC:

Ann Lowney & Albert DeNoncour

FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIR:

Gerald Finn

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIR:

Colleen Curis

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATORS:

Lisa Renault

DEVELOPMENT:

Ann Lesperance

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GRAND KNIGHT:

Leo Gauthier

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:

Kathleen Zmetra

HOME VISITATION:

Lois Salome

SANCTUARY SETTINGS:

Lorraine Desjardins

If you are a visitor or if you are new to our parish, we welcome you. If you would like to become a member of our parish, you may call the parish office, contact us by e-mail or return this form by mail or by placing it in the offertory collection. This form may also be used for change of address or to request a call from a member of our staff.

Name _____

Address _____

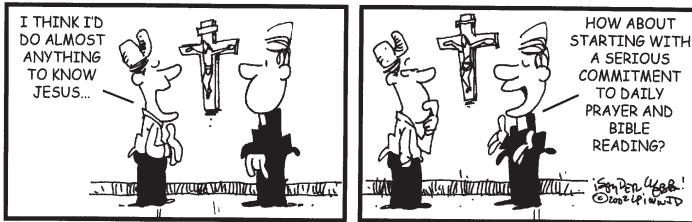
Telephone # _____

New parishioner ___ Change of address ___ Please contact me ___

Readings for the Week of July 30, 2017

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46
Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-23/Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-13/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5-7, 9/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12
Next Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

There are plenty of weekday Masses and the Sanctuary Candle still available in August & September.
 The stipend is \$10.00 each.
 Please contact Lisa Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-2:00pm.



Liturgical Roles August 5/6, 2017

Lectors

4:30 PM R. Lozeau
 8:00 AM V. Fanelli
 10:30AM L. Therien

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30 PM C. Curis, N. Zagaglia, Jackie Greenhalgh
 8:00 AM R. Gauthier, L. Gauthier, J. Mullaly
 10:30 AM A. Trank, J. Therien, P. Laliberte

Altar Servers

4:30 PM
 8:00 AM
 10:30 AM M. Laplume, N. Cook

Money Counters

Team #1: J. Ethier, S. Giardini, T. Petrowicz

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 29

4:30pm Harry Thistle by: Mr. & Mrs. Marcel Laplume

Sun., July 30

8:00am Frederick Oseicki by: Mr. & Mrs. Robert LaBarre

10:30am Mr. & Mrs. Frances Lockwood by: The Family

Mon., July 31

9:00am People of St. Augustine

Tues., August 1

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Margaret, Peggy, Jim, & Becky Keegan

Wed., August 2

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Mary Lou Anderson

Thurs., August 3

9:00am Phyllis Szlosek by: Rosalie Levitre

Sat., August 5

4:30pm Harold Thistle by: Leo & Roberta Gauthier

Sun., August 6

8:00am Joe & Connie Knapik by: The Family

10:30am Lou & Marcel Lucier by: Nancy Lucier-Proietti



The sanctuary candle burns brightly this week for

William B. Roth

Requested by:

His Daughter Lisa

WE KNOW
that in all things
GOD WORKS
FOR THE GOOD
of those who
LOVE HIM,
WHO HAVE BEEN
CALLED ACCORDING
to his purpose.
 — Romans 8:28

This week at St. Augustine

7/30	8:00 AM	Mass
	10:30 AM	Mass
7/31	9:00 AM	Mass
8/1	9:00 AM	Mass
8/2	9:00 AM	Mass
8/3	9:00 AM	Mass
8/4	7:30 PM	AA
8/5	4:30 PM	Mass
8/6	8:00 AM	Mass
	10:30 AM	Mass

8/2 to 8/6 Soulfest in N.H. (Youth Group)

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Weekly Goal \$3779.00

(The Participation of all is very important and appreciated by the whole community.)

Weekend of July 22/23, 2017

Offertory Collection	\$1914.00
Electronic Giving (5)	<u>\$155.00</u>
Total Offertory	\$2069.00
Other Income	
Utility Fund	<u>\$49.99</u>
Total Other Income	\$49.99

Total Income: \$2118.99

Thank You!

Members of Saints Francis & Therese Catholic Worker will be here on the weekend of August 19 and 20, 2017 with our homemade baked goods. The sale of our wholesome bread and muffins, made with organic ingredients, is the main source of income which supports our ministries. We shelter homeless men and women, and we work for justice and peace. There is no set price for the bread as we prefer to depend on your generosity to carry on the works of mercy.

If you need anything put into the bulletin, please contact Lisa **as soon as possible.**

In Remembrance Forms can be found on the bookshelves inside all the doors to the church.

In Remembrance

- Alfred & Rina Berthelette
- Frank A. Borek
- Roland & Maria Bouvier
- Henry & Eileen Cabana
- Cabana & Logan Families
- Thomas & Ruth Coady
- Rev. Roland Chenier
- Joseph & Anna Curis
- Agnes L. D ' Aniello
- Dow & Dudley Families
- Leo & Gertrude Ethier

- Florence M. Femia
- Fierley & Ranslow Families
- James A. Keegan Sr.
- Paul & Denise Lafayette
- Robert H. Laflamme Sr. & Robert Laflamme Jr.
- Laplante & Parker Families
- Christopher, Pauline & Chris Lesperance
- Henry G. Levitre
- John McNamara & Collins Family
- William Bruce McClelland

- Louis Mercure
- Emile "Bill" & Beatrice (Gray) Morin
- James & Frances Mullaly
- William B. Roth
- Leo & Jeannette Roy
- Jack & Mary Ryan
- Mary & Frank Sarlin & Daughter Sheila
- Joseph F. Szlosek Jr., the Szlosek Family & Rawinski Family
- Walsh, Whalen & Viera Families
- John & Vilma Zagaglia
- Helen & Walter Zekanoski

JULY 30, 2017

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it." Jesus today gives us the image of a merchant who knows he has discovered a great treasure. In fact, its value is so tremendous that the man is willing to sell everything else in order to possess it. Why? Because he knows it will all be worth it. He knows that the pearl will bring him more reward than anything else he has ever owned, more even than all his possessions combined.

This Gospel story is meant to help us understand the unfathomable value of the kingdom of heaven. Nothing else can compare to it. No material item, no honor or success, can compete with this pearl of great price. Everything we have, short of this, is finite: limited, temporary, and ultimately fleeting. Eternal happiness, on the other hand, is infinite. It never ends. This is the deep contentment, the satisfaction, the peace, and happiness that we crave, the kind that doesn't disappoint.

Like the merchant in the parable, we too should understand the value of this discovery. As Christians, we have "found" the treasure beyond all other treasures! Life in Christ, both now and in heaven, is truly the pearl of great price. The only question is whether we are willing to "sell" all that we have to obtain it. In other words, are we willing to release the other things that claim hold on us? Are we ready to put Christ first in our lives? All of us need to take pause from time to time and examine our attachments and priorities. Money, pleasure, success, or comfort can often seem so important to us that we falsely begin to imagine these things will bring the happiness we so desire. But the message is loud and clear today: the kingdom of heaven is the true treasure we long for.

