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## PARISH STAFF

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## PARISH RECTORY

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## ST. AUGUSTINE CEMETERY & MAUSOLEUM

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## MASS & WORSHIP SCHEDULE

*(All Masses celebrated at St. Augustine Church unless noted otherwise).*

Saturday Vigil: 4:00p.m.  
Sunday: 8:00 @ OMS Worship Site  
10:30a.m.  
Weekdays: 7:30a.m. (Mon.-Thursday)  
Holy Days: As announced.

**DEVOTIONS: Miraculous Medal Prayers:** Wednesdays after Mass. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Wednesdays from 8:00a.m until 12:00 Noon.

**FAITH FORMATION:** For parish children in grades K-8 attending non-catholic school. Instructions are held every Sunday at 9:00a.m.

**CONFESSIONS:** Each Saturday from 3:15 to 3:45p.m. Eves of Holy Days: 20 minutes before the Vigil Mass. Seasonal Penance Services and anytime by appointment.

The United Way of Southeastern PA Code Number for Bridgeport CYO is: 2328 St. Augustine

*We Are a Tithing Parish*

**RCIA:** Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is held during the year for any adult committed to discern if God is calling him/her to the Catholic faith.

**PRE-JORDAN:** Expectant parents and godparents are asked to participate in a seminar on Baptism held on the 4th Monday of every other month (Sept., Nov., Jan., March, May, July) in the Ministry wing at 7:00 p.m. Please call the rectory to register for the seminar.  
**Godparents:** Must bring a letter of eligibility from their home parish the evening of the seminar.

**BAPTISMS:** Celebrated the 2nd Sunday of every month after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

**MARRIAGE:** Arrangements should be made at least six months before the date of the wedding. Please contact the rectory.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:** Any parishioner who is ill, infirm or shut-in may receive Holy Communion at home. Please call the rectory for the Sacrament of the Anointing. Please inform us of anyone who is hospitalized.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** All are welcome. Please register by calling the rectory. Those moving should inform the rectory office as soon as possible.

**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon.-Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm. The rectory office is closed on civic holidays.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Personal receivers are available in the Sacristy for use at Mass for the hearing impaired.

# May 30<sup>th</sup> 2010, Most Holy Trinity

*“O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!”*

## Parish Mission Statement

We, the parishioners of St. Augustine, in communion with the Holy Father and the Archbishop of Philadelphia, proclaim Jesus Christ as the Way, the Truth and the Life. We are committed to:

- Celebrate the Eucharist as a faith-filled community where all live the Good News of Jesus Christ;
- Provide spiritual growth formed by sound doctrine; and,
- Enrich the parish and greater community through the time, talent and treasure of all.

We pray to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, through the intercession of Mary and St. Augustine, that we may be faithful and generous stewards of all that has been bestowed upon us. Amen.

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

Rev. Charles Zlock      John Czarkowski, '10      Brenda Turner, '13  
John Bednar, '12      Karen Hinchey, '13      Janet Kita (ex-officio)      Coleen Popowicz (Finance Committee)  
Shawn Courtney, '10      Edward Kohler, '10      Leo Brady (appoint)

## “TITHING IS GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING”

*“And of all that You give Me, I surely give one tenth to You.”*

*Genesis 28:22*

**Sunday, May 23, 2010 - \$4821.75**

**Sunday, May 24, 2009 - \$4272.00**

Thank you for tithing – 5% to God’s Church and 5% to God’s other good works (2<sup>nd</sup> collections, Missions, Catholic Charities, Poor box, Parish Campaigns, Cancer research, Private charities, etc.).

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please pray for these and all our Military personnel: **BM2 Stefan Bachman, Cpt. Pascal Blanchette, Rev.**



**Joseph L. Coffey, LCDR, CHC, USN, Specialist Lucas Davidson (Army), Pvt. Stephany Davidson (Army), Cpl. James Ellis, USMC, HM2 Michael Ford, Staff Sgt. Gregory Giordano (Army), L-Cpl. Robert W. Hale, PFC Devin Hunt, USMC, Gregory Kantz, Stephen Kantz, PFC Lawrence H. Palmer, Jr., PFC Jonathan Palmer, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Joseph Saboe, Lt. J.G. Shane R. Dennis, Sgt. Matthew**

**McNulty, 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Jeffrey A. Seamans, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Adam Storck, Army, Father Pat Travers, Air Force Reserve Chaplain**

*“Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior.”*  
*Amen*



**PRO-LIFE ROSARY**

St. Augustine's Respect Life Committee invites your support for an end to abortion at Bryn Mawr Hospital. **Every Wednesday morning at 10AM** a small group gathers to pray the Rosary. We also pray the Rosary for the Unborn at Sacred Heart Church in Bridgeport every **Wednesday evening at 6:00 PM.**

**FOR SURVIVORS OF CLERGY SEXUAL ABUSE**

**A NEW SUPPORT GROUP**

Facilitated by: Network of Victim Assistance of Bucks County (NOVA)

Call if you are looking for a safe place to talk with others. Adult men and women, who were sexually abused as children by Clergy, regardless of where the abuse occurred, are invited to attend.

There is **no fee** for the group. Funding is provided through the Victim Assistance Program of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

For more info call NOVA directly at **1-800-675-6900.**

**The Pastoral Visitation from Bishop Thomas scheduled for the weekend of June 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled due to the recent changes for the pastor of St. Augustine and Vicar for Montgomery County. The visit will be re-scheduled for some time in the Fall. The meeting scheduled for June 7<sup>th</sup> for the Finance and Pastoral Council has been also cancelled.**

*The SANCTUARY CANDLE* burns to remind us of the sacramental presence of Jesus Christ. This week the sanctuary light is offered *in memory of Leonard Mainieri requested by Terry & Jerry.*



*An offering of \$10.00 is requested. You can call the rectory to make arrangements.*



**Mass Intentions**

**SUNDAY – 5/30/10 – *The Most Holy Trinity***

**8:00AM:** Mary & Phil Pimpinello

Requested by: Joe & Betty

**10:30AM:** Dec'd Members of Dougherty & Moletzky Families

Requested by: Betty Dougherty

**MONDAY- 5/31/10 – *Visitation of BVM***

**7:30AM:** Dec'd Members of Bridgeport Post 1683-CWV

Requested by– Catholic War Veterans

**TUESDAY – 6/1/10 – *St. Justin, Martyr***

**7:30AM:** Reanne Whitmore

Requested by – Bill Whitmore

**WEDNESDAY- 6/2/10 – *Weekday***

**7:30AM:** Mark DeMenna

Requested by – Bergandino & Yanchocik Families

**THURSDAY– 6/3/10 – *Weekday***

**7:30AM:** Louise Matozza

Requested by – Bill & Judy Collins

**FRIDAY–6/4/10 – *Weekday***

NO MORNING MASS

**SATURDAY –6/5/10– *St. Boniface***

NO MORNING MASS

**4:00PM:** Louis Farzetta

Requested by – Rosalie Farzetta

**SUNDAY – 6/6/10 – *Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ***

**8:00AM:** Sarah Barainyak

Requested by - Frank Barainyak & Family

**10:30AM:** Sis Wrabley

Requested by – Bill Wrabley

*N.B. – Father Zlock says Mass for the people of the parish every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation*

**ALTAR SERVERS**



**June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>**

**4:00PM:** Sarah Bretz – Jordan Courtney

**8:00AM:** Kristine & Kevin O'Sullivan

**10:30AM:** Leah Blair – Megan McGee

# SCHEDULE

- Sat. May 29** - Farewell Hospitality to Father Zlock after 4PM Mass
- Sun. May 30** – Farewell Hospitality for Father Zlock after the 8AM & 10:30AM Masses.
- Wed. Jun. 3** – Exposition – **8AM – Noon**  
Pro-life Rosary – **6PM** – Sacred Heart Church
- Sat. Jun. 5** – Confessions **3:15PM**
- Sat. Jun 5** - Pastoral visit from Bishop Thomas **has been cancelled.**
- Sun. Jun 6** - Pastoral visit from Bishop Thomas **has been cancelled.**
- Mon. Jun 7-** Finance & Pastoral Council Mtg. **has been cancelled.**

**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:**

*Marcella Baumann, Anthony Bonanno, Deanna Bovell, Brother Joseph Venonsky, George Bucha, Cynthia Collins, Christopher Ellow, Aimee Fromm, Rev. Francis H. Gallen, Lois Guldner, Megan Gunder, Antoinette Hildebrand, Mary Huth, Rose Kantz, Fr. Gerry Kohler, Maria Korom, Stella Krysko, John Kuhna, Minnie Kurcik, Dolores Lasorsa, Cheryl Lattanze, Paige Leary, Michelle Lewis, Martha Logan, Sr. Georgene Luther, Inez Mainieri, Patricia McCarthy, Dolores McDevitt, Joseph Mulvey, Christopher Nero, Sheila Sargent, Chris Smith, Milton Stratton, Tricia Taggart, Benjamin Walsh, Daniel Weimert, James White, Baby Brett Young.*



We are happy to keep the name of your loved one on the list for **one month**. If you wish to extend a request for prayers beyond this time, please contact the Rectory to let us know so we do not remove the name from the list. Please remember, only the names of the seriously ill should be placed on the sick list.

Thank you.

## PARISH LOTTERY

Every household has received lottery tickets to buy or sell. These tickets make great gifts for Father's Day, Graduations, Birthdays, etc. The lottery is based on the 7:00PM Pennsylvania Daily Number (000-999) throughout the month of July. All tickets (sold & unsold) must be returned to the rectory by June 30<sup>th</sup>. If your number wins... we will mail you a check! It's that easy! You will have a chance to win **\$100 each day of July for only \$10.00.**

## ALL NIGHT ADORATION At Our Lady Of Mount Carmel Church, Bridgeport

**Motive:** To console Jesus' Heart for the sins committed in today's world... and to console Mary's Heart by making time useful through prayer and adoration.



**Opening: 7PM Friday June 11** – Mass in Honor of Sacred Heart. Holy Hour of adoration follows Mass. Adorers needed... 8PM to 7AM.  
**Closing: 7AM Saturday, June 12.** Mass in Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. An hour of adoration and benediction follow Mass.

**Father Gerard Kohler**, a Holy Ghost Father and missionary in Africa, who was a frequent visitor to St. Augustine's in the past, is recovering from a kidney transplant. Please keep Father Kohler in your prayers.

## FAREWELL TO FATHER ZLOCK

This weekend, **May 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>**, the parish will host a hospitality gathering after all Masses to say **goodbye to Father Zlock.**

We hope you will be able to stop and wish Father well with his new assignment as **Pastor of St. Mary of the Assumption in Manayunk.**

**We thank God for the gift of the priesthood and for Father Zlock's ministering to St. Augustine's and Our Mother of Sorrows for the past nine months.**

## AOH Irish Festival

Montgomery County AOH will host an Irish Festival at St. Michael's in Mont Clare, **June 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup>.** Outdoor Sunday **Mass at 10:30AM.** There will be music, vendors, beverages, children's Activities. All proceeds benefit AOH Charities that support the community. For more info visit [www.aohnd1.com](http://www.aohnd1.com).

**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION  
THROUGH BRIDGEPORT**



The Feast of Corpus Christi is the weekend of **June 5-6, 2010**. On **Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup>**, a **PROCESSION** will be held throughout Bridgeport beginning at **10AM** in front of Sacred Heart Church. The procession will continue past Our Mother of Sorrows and Our Lady of Mount Carmel and conclude in front of St. Augustine Church. A **RECEPTION** will follow Benediction in St Augustine Hall.

**ARCHDIOCESAN CORPUS CHRISTI  
CELEBRATION**

His Eminence, Cardinal Justin Rigali will celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ on **Sunday, June 6, 2010** with a **Mass at 2PM** at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, followed by a Procession and Benediction. All are welcome! Cardinal Rigali extends a special invitation to all of the First Holy Communicants of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia to join him for this special event. **Communicants are requested to wear their First Holy Communion outfits.** For more info, please contact the Office of Special Projects at 215-587-3519 or visit the website at [www.archphila.org](http://www.archphila.org).

**FATHER-SON BBQ**  
**Saturday, June 12, 2010**

Celebrate Father's Day early this year! Treat your son to a day at the seminary with our seminarians and priests. This BBQ is a day of outdoor fun, food and fraternity at St. Charles Seminary. **The day will begin with Mass at Noon and will continue thru 4:30PM.** Registration is required. Please see the website, [www.HeedTheCall.org](http://www.HeedTheCall.org).

**FATHER'S DAY MASS INTENTION CARDS  
ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF  
BOTH CHURCHES.**

**ON MONDAY, MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>, MEMORIAL DAY,  
THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED.**

**4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL BROTHERS OF BORROMEO  
VOCATION CONGRESS**

**Tuesday, June 22, 2010 – 9AM to 6:30PM**

**St. Charles Seminary**

**ATTENTION 6<sup>TH</sup>, 7<sup>TH</sup>, 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE BOYS AND  
PARENTS**

The Vocation Office for the Dioicesan Priesthood is sponsoring this one day event led by our Philadelphia Seinarians which will provide young men an opportunity to hear and consider the call of Christ. The day will include: Great music, sports/Activities, Powerful Prayer & Liturgy, Morning/Evening Prayer, Eucharistic Adoration.

For registration, please see the website:  
[www.HeedTheCall.org](http://www.HeedTheCall.org).

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generous to Jesus. Consider the Priesthood.*

**St. John Vianney, Pray for all Priests!**



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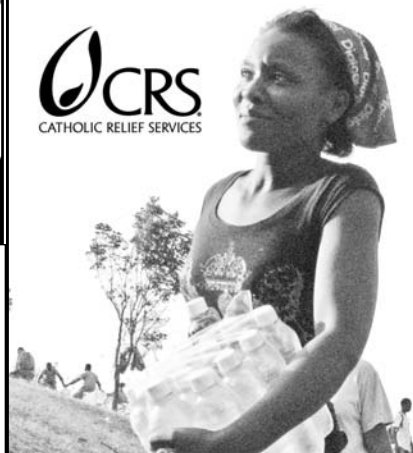
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