

SAINT AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
3700 Callan Boulevard
South San Francisco, CA 94080



During this **Year of Parish Eucharistic Revival**, let us celebrate Christmas by dwelling on the meaning and relationship of the little ancient town of Bethlehem and the sacrament of the Eucharist.

"Bethlehem," literally means, "House of Bread." In the story of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes as well as the account of the Last Supper in the Upper Room, our Lord Jesus referred to himself as *"the bread that came down from heaven,"* (Jn 6:41). As bread satisfies our hunger and strengthens us physically, Jesus, likewise, fills our hunger and makes us whole. With these words, our Lord Jesus promised the Eucharist, his very body and blood as our food and drink.



Sincerely,
Father Ray, Father Ed, Father Martin, Deacon Nes, Deacon Virgil,
Patricia, Amor, Linda, and Louis

Bethlehem's glory continues to shine bright upon us even more whenever the Eucharist is offered. Jesus, at every Eucharist, offers himself to us as the "Bread of Life." Thus, every Eucharist is Bethlehem for us.

As the shepherds said to each other on the night Jesus was born, *"Let us go, then, to Bethlehem to see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us."* (Lk. 2:15), let us also come and celebrate the Eucharist more frequently during this Parish Year of Eucharistic Revival and receive the Bread of Life.

With the Clergy and Staff of Saint Augustine Church, rest assured of our continued prayers and desire to be of service to you and your families.

2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR CHILDREN FAITH FORMATION

SACfaithformationprogram@gmail.com
650-873-2878 or 650-797-5955

SCHOOL YEAR OFFICE SCHEDULE

1st & 3rd Wednesday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
2nd & 4th Wednesday, 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm
1st & 3rd Thursday, 1:30 pm to 5:30 pm
2nd & 4th Thursday, 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm
Saturday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

ADULT ON GOING FORMATION 3

THU, JAN 25, 2024, 6:00 PM, CHURCH
SAT, JAN 27, 2024, 10:30 AM, CHURCH

ADULT ONGOING FORMATION 4

THU, FEBRUARY 29, 2024, 6:00 PM, CHURCH
SAT, MARCH 2, 2024, 4:30 PM, CHURCH

CHRISTMAS BREAK

DEC 17, 2023 TO JAN 3, 2024

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED!

Na'Mari Encisco-Fontaine
Jenna Kamela Sproed

BEST WISHES ON YOUR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!

Ernesto & Myrna Evangelista
35 years
Joel Nocum & Carolyn Trist
1 year



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CHRISTMAS 2023

**Advent Communal Penance with
Individual Confessions**
Tuesday, December 12 at 7:00pm

Novena of Masses (Simbang Gabi)
December 15-23 at 7:00pm (Livestreamed)
December 16-24 at 6:00am

Christmas Vigil
Sunday, December 24
4:30pm Vigil Mass
7:30pm Children's Caroling
8:00pm Children's Mass
11:00pm Caroling
12:00 Midnight Mass

Christmas Day
Monday, December 25
7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am and 12:30pm

There is NO 5:30pm Mass on Christmas Day

New Year's Eve
Sunday, December 31 at 5:30pm

New Year's Day
Monday, January 1 at 9:00am

Confessions by Appointment,
please call (650) 873-2283

THIS IS MY BODY - NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL



MASSES on the FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT December 24, Sunday

6:00 am, last Day of Mass at Dawn
7:30 am, Sunday obligation
9:00 am, Misa Pro Populo, Sunday obligation
11:00 am, Sunday obligation
12:30 pm, Sunday obligation
NO 5:30 PM MASS

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES December 24, Sunday

4:30 pm, Vigil Mass for Christmas Day
7:30 pm, Children's Caroling
8:00 pm, Children's Mass
11:30 pm, Caroling
12:00 am, Midnight Mass

CHRISTMAS DAY, MONDAY

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm
NO 5:30 PM MASS

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MASS TIMES & OTHER SCHEDULES

Monday to Saturday: 9:00 AM
Livestreamed on Facebook & You Tube

Saturday Anticipated/Vigil Mass: 4:30 PM

Sunday Masses: 7:30AM, 11:00AM, 12:30PM, 5:30PM
Sunday People's Mass: 9:00 AM, livestreamed

"Tagalog" Mass: 1st Sunday of the month at 5:30 PM, livestreamed

Holy Day of Obligation: 9 AM, 12:15 PM, 7 PM
Recitation of the Rosary: 8:30 AM

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY, after the 9:00 AM Mass, in the courtyard

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:30pm - 4:15pm

COMMUNAL CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

2nd & 4th Saturday at 12:00 Noon

1st Sunday at 2:30 PM

3rd Sunday within the 12:30 PM Mass

Parents must contact the office at least one month before baptism. Parents and godparents are required to attend a pre-baptismal catechesis.

PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS

1st Monday of the month, 7 PM, Virtual

3rd Monday of the month, 7PM , Virtual

WEDDING

1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month at 12:00 Noon, or 2:00 PM

Parishioners who wish to be wed in St. Augustine Catholic Church must contact the parish office at least 6 months before the desired date.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Closed between 12 Noon - 1:00 pm

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Raymund Reyes, Pastor

Rev. Ed Dura, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Martin Njoalu, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II, Permanent Deacon

Rev. Mr. Virgil Capetti, Permanent Deacon

Patricia Abdelalim, Operations Manager

Amor Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

Louis Consuegra, Security Officer

Erlan Tapawan, Youth & Young Adult Ministry

Coordinator

CHILDREN FAITH FORMATION OFFICE SCHEDULE

1st & 3rd Wednesday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

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Nerissa Broas, Interim Coordinator

650-797-5955

Linda Gamboa, Secretary

650-873-2878

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION (livestreamed)

Fridays, immediately after the morning Mass

In the chapel, adoration until 5:00 PM

HOLY HOUR

7:00 PM, every 1st Wednesday of the month

SAYGM/YAM HOLY HOUR

7:00 PM, every 3rd Wednesday of the month

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

8:30 AM, every Tuesday of the month

MASS INTENTION

December 25 to December 31

Dec 25: FOR THE PEOPLE OF ST. AUGUSTINE

Dec 26: Miriam Licudine, Sarah Licudine, Jemecha Ignacio, Nicer Family, Rey Pimentel, Marino Gueco, Julieta Javellana, Remedios Leyran, Louie Cabaluna, Myrna & Ernesto Evangelista, Helen Borlongan, Regina Sagun, Imelda Santos

Dec 27: Jocelyn Malibiran, Jennifer Sam, Flaviano Alcantara, Sally Aguila, Carmelita Jose, Regina Sagun, Imelda Santos

Dec 28: Ethan Luike Balamiento, Maria Ablang, Joel & Carolyn Nocum, Julieta Javellana, Eulogia Nazareno, Valentin Aguinaldo, Ernesto & Myrna Evangelista, Regina Sagun, Imelda Santos

Dec 29: Buena & Rene Dandan, Julieta Javellana, Lutgardo Del Rosario, Imelda Santos,

Dec 30: Andy Baldomero, Erlinda Sapinid, Jeremiah Valdez, Josefina Chapman, Marilou Legaspi, Julieta Javellana, Jesse Rozal, Janessa & Mike Chin, Mia Evelyn Schreifer, Imelda Santos

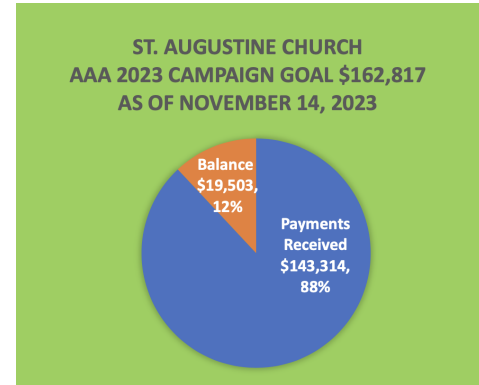
Dec 31: Brar Family, Jesus Bantay, Louie Fernandez, Florencio Babaran, Venancio & Romana Lopez, Benjamin & Gorgonia Panganiban, Jose & Sotera Reyes, Joseph Loo, Jr., Aquilina Guevarra, Bienvenido Cabreza, Souls in Purgatory, Nestor Villarosa, Net Pangan, Julieta Javellana, Allan Lacerna, Edward & Paula Machado, Remedios Miranda, Santos-Nicolas Family, Nenita Lecaros, Myrna Evangelista, Lourdes Medios, Regina Sagun, Imelda Santos

Disclaimer: Mass Intentions appearing in the bulletin are offered two weeks in advance. Please note that online intentions are not included. Request must be done in person in the Parish Office to be included.

OFFERTORY

First Collection (December 17, 2023)	\$ 8,375.00
Retired Religious Fund	\$ 2,496.00
OLPH	\$ 242.00
Sacred Heart	\$ 234.00

ONLINE GIVING - AUGUST 2023 \$ 15,259.50
TOTAL NUMBER OF ONLINE DONORS - 251



Welcome 2024

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER DANCE

31 DECEMBER 2023 | 6:30 PM TO 1:00 AM
PARISH HALL

Donation: \$75/Person
Limited Seats | First Come, First Serve
No Tickets Sold at the Door

FOR TICKETS:
 Mila Braganza - 650.303.2707
 Virgie Tan - 650.452.0992
 Del Zagala - 650.291.7540
 Susan Madrid - 650.267.9108
 SAC Rectory - 650.873.2282

**Join the 2024
 PHILIPPINES PILGRIMAGE**

January 27- February 9
14 days | 13 nights

Land package with domestic airfare:

US\$ 2,850 Based on Twin Occupancy	US\$ 3,672 Based on Single Occupancy
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INT'L FARE: US\$1,338 per person.

**To register, visit
www.filipinoministrysf.org**

**Join us as we embark on
 a journey to strengthen
 our faith, reconnect to
 our rich religious and
 cultural heritage, and
 enjoy the Philippines!**

Fr. Angel Quitaig
 Vicar for Filipinos

REGISTER NOW!

**SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO
 Holiday Light Map 2023**

Take a break and feel the spirit of the season. Enjoy the South San Francisco holiday light display. Take a tour of the city and see the creatively decorated streets and homes in South San Francisco.

TOURING TIPS

- Drive carefully. Be mindful of the road and your surroundings. Slowly pull over to safely view lights, and always wear your seatbelts.
- When using parks in neighborhoods, be mindful of the neighbors who live near these parks.
- Please do not touch or disturb the decorations that are in areas. Please keep decorations in good condition for everyone to enjoy.
- Enjoy and have fun. Share your favorite house using the hashtag #SS23HolidayLightMap

*If you notice an outage, please call (650) 873-4321 or email sac@staugustine.org

OUR VISION. Saint Augustine is a worshipping community that enthusiastically manifests faith through action, with open arms for all of God's children.

OUR MISSION. We live God's Word and continue His work.