

Holy Faith Catholic Church

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 23 2026



**"BUT WHO DO
YOU SAY
THAT I AM?"**

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ANNIVERSARY

ST. AUGUSTINE FOUNDERS' DAY CELEBRATION

*Celebrating 461 Years of
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Sept. 12
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101 San Marco Ave., St. Augustine

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AT MISSION NOMBRE DE DIOS
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A WALK THROUGH SALVATION HISTORY

A choral concert of sacred music directed
by David Schnoor

September 18, 2026

 **St. Patrick Catholic Church**
Gainesville, Florida

6:40 PM VESPERS

7:00 PM CONCERT

500 NE 16TH AVE

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A FREE WILL OFFERING WILL BE COLLECTED FOR THE PERFORMERS

– EVERYONE – Should Have A Will!

Our parish is offering this free and
secure online resource to create a legal will,
or a plan to take to an attorney.

BENEFITS OF HAVING A WILL:

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SEPTEMBER 2026 EVENTS



An Invitation to Pray, Learn and Care for Our Common Home

Clergy, religious and lay faithful are invited to gather for prayer, conversation and fellowship inspired by *Laudato Si'*. Together, we'll reflect on how caring for God's creation is an expression of our Catholic faith and share practical ideas for living that call in our homes, parishes and communities.

Whether you're already active in this area or simply want to learn more, you'll find a welcoming community of Catholics who share your interest.

CHOOSE THE LOCATION THAT WORKS BEST FOR YOU

ST. AUGUSTINE
Tuesday, Sept. 1, 2026 | 6:30-8:30 p.m.
Upper Room of the St. Joseph Neighborhood Center
(adjacent to St. Benedict the Moor Church)
90 Martin Luther King Ave. 32084

GAINESVILLE
Saturday, Sept. 5, 2026 | 9 a.m.-Noon
Holy Faith Parish
747 NW 43rd Street 32607

WHAT TO EXPECT

• Prayer

• Reflection on *Laudato Si'* by Father Guy Noonan

• Conversation led by Msgr. Vincent Haut

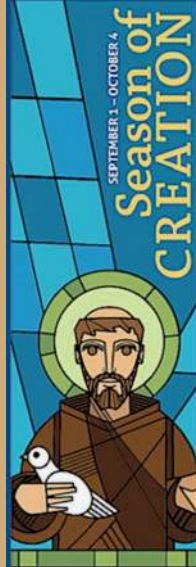
• Sharing ideas and practical ways to care for God's creation

• Fellowship and refreshments

Please RSVP by August 28
greendosa.rsvp@gmail.com



Questions?
Contact Msgr. Vincent Haut
Vincent.Haut@gmail.com



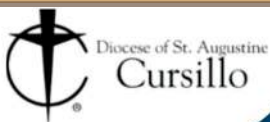
CARING FOR GOD'S CREATION

Honor this Jubilee Year of St. Francis as we **gather for prayer, conversation and fellowship** inspired by "*Laudato Si'*," the powerful environmental message of Popes Francis and Leo. Together, we'll reflect on how caring for our Common Home is an expression of our Catholic faith. Msgr. Vincent Haut, Fr. Guy Noonan, and Fr. Ed Rooney lead the program designed for clergy and the laity, alike. Two locations:

**DON'T MISS THIS
JOIN US AT HOLY FAITH
9:00am SEPT 5 in the PLC
Deanery-Wide Event
ALL INVITED!**

RSVP by Aug 28 to: greendosa.rsvp@gmail.com

Attention: We are looking for a few Holy Faith people interested in this topic to let us know if you will be attending this event, and can connect us to others serving within the community. Contact the office.



MEN'S WEEKEND

SEPTEMBER 3 - 6, 2026
& APRIL 15 - 18, 2027

WOMEN'S WEEKEND

SEPTEMBER 10 - 13, 2026
& APRIL 22 - 25, 2027

Seeking a deeper relationship with Jesus, a stronger faith, and a supportive Catholic community? Experience a Cursillo 3-day weekend—an opportunity to step away, reflect, and renew your spirit.



Spaces are limited, and a sponsor is required (we can help connect you if needed). For more info: Kathleen Reilly at retiredkathleen@outlook.com or visit staugustinecursillo.org

Cursillo doesn't end after the weekend—it continues with ongoing small groups, monthly gatherings, and events that keep your faith alive and growing.



AN EVANGELICAL CATHOLIC
Partner Parish

We all have friends and loved ones with whom we want to share the joy of life in Jesus. Sometimes it can be difficult to know how to talk about our faith. Through our partnership with the Evangelical Catholic (EC), we are offering faith-sharing training for parishioners.

**Reach More™ Mission
Training (12 weeks)
New Session Forming Soon.**

**Contact: Kathleen Reilly,
retiredkathleen@outlook.com**

New Sessions coming in September.

Family Faith Formation CLASS SCHEDULE



AUGUST

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23
First Sunday School Class
(Grades K thru 8)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30
FFF Class (Grades K-8)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
No Class; Labor Day Weekend

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
FFF Class (Grades K-8)
**FIRST RECONCILIATION
ORIENTATION** for
Parents and Students

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20
FFF Class (Grades K-8)
**CONFIRMATION
ORIENTATION** for
Parents and Students



SEPTEMBER



STAY CONNECTED THROUGH FLOCKNOTE

WELCOME PARENTS in FFF 2026-27
A Few Notes: Please check your emails for communication from us via Flocknote.

- The first day of classes are usually hectic. Please have patience as we settle in.
- **Start time is 10:45am.** Try to be on time. You may enter with your child(ren) to the main hall until they go off to class.
- **Pick up time is 12 Noon. We have a safety protocol in place.** Pick up is on the back-side of the Parish Life Center parking area. We have car-pick-up lines and parent pick-up. We will release the children only to parents unless notified otherwise. No front door p/u (The doors may be locked).
- If you do not receive an email from us, please let us know so we can make sure our data is correct and you receive all emails regarding Family Faith Formation. TY



CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Group Meetings: August 23 & 30 (4-5:30pm)

All 8th thru 12 grade youth invited and bring a friend!

**TIME
FOR
SUNDAY
SCHOOL**

**BEGINNING
August 23 2026**

**FAMILY FAITH
FORMATION
AT HOLY FAITH
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

REGISTER TODAY!



For the Sunday School registration link go to: holyfaithcatholicchurch.org or

QR Code or email to:

fffprogram@holyfaithchurch.org

This Form includes Confirmation and First Sacramental Preparation, Catholic Youth Ministry for Catholic School, homeschool and public school children. Sacramental Classes begin in September.

PARISH INFORMATION: August 23 2026

See page 6 for Daily Mass Times, Rosary and Confession Schedule.



HOLY FAITH WELCOME MINISTRY

PURPOSE: The Welcome Ministry members serve Christ and his Holy Faith community by welcoming new parishioners to our faith family. They do this by hosting a WELCOME

RECEPTION: Where our newest family members have the opportunity to meet our PRIESTS, the STAFF members, ministry leaders and the members of the Welcome Ministry and other new parishioners, while enjoying a wonderful luncheon provided by the eager and energetic welcome group.

A Few Other Welcoming Services: plus many more ...

- Host receptions for First Communion and Confirmation Families
- Host a parish-wide Soup and Sandwich Supper, before Holy Thursday services
- Organizes a Christmas Cookie Exchange for parishioners after the annual CCF Christmas Pageant.

They also serve each other, as well, in fellowship and warm support and concern. New volunteers are always welcomed!

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Scott Marsh, ext. 103

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To contact a staff member or department via email, visit our new website:

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and click on the Email-Us link at the bottom of the page.



HOLY GRIEVING "Bereavement Support Group"

**Monday
AUGUST 31**



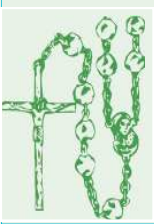
This Group helps you journey through the stages of grief, exploring how to handle grief with the support of others mourning their loss of a loved one.

On the last MONDAY of every Month.

In Ministry Office Bldg A 4:30pm

LITURGY FOR WEEK of AUGUST 23

Saturday, 5:00pm Vigil
Sunday 8am, *9:30am, 11:15am, 6pm
***9:30am Mass to be live-streamed**
Mon-Friday 7am & 9:30am
Saturday 9:00am Morning Mass
Saturday Confessions:
9:30am-10:45am & 3pm-4:30pm



**The Holy Rosary is
prayed every Weekday
at 9am in the Chapel.**

**All are invited to come
and pray with us and
Mother Mary.**

Purpose of Our Prayer List:



Our parish prayer list is a sacred expression of our community's faith in God's healing power and loving providence. It allows us to lift up, together, those who are experiencing illness, hardship, grief, or special need, entrusting them to the mercy and care of the Lord. Lord, hear our prayers for the sick of our parish and for all those in need of our prayers: Adriana J, AliceFaye W, Andrew M, Angela R, Angie E, Ann F, Barry C, Beverly C, Beverly M, Bill R, Cason B, Coralia G, Crystal V, Dale E, Dr. Daniel L, Davy J, Dennis S, Diane C, Don B, Donna L, Donovan B, Dorothy K, Ed M, Baby Ethan H, Gail M, Gary B, Gary C, George S, German T, Ginger B, Greg W, Hope O, Jackson F, Janet S, Jean S, Jessica H, Joan P, Jody & Bill T, John M, Jordan T, Judy B, June F, Kelly B, Kevin, Kip B, Larry S, Lee P, Logan S, Lou M, Mark G, Marlys H, Mary Ellen B, Mary H, Mary LT, Mary R, Matthew & Maria W, Michael T, S. H, Mike B, Mike C, Mike O, Millie R, Myriam Z, Nicolas W, Patricia E, Paul E, Randy B, Rick W, Robert J, Rose G, Sal L, Santiago P, Scott D, Steve K, Sue W, Tim T, Tricia M and Vickie S.

If you would like to add or remove a name from this list, or request continued prayers for someone who was listed in the past, please contact the parish office with your request, or email: bulletin@holymfaithchurch.org.

Thank you for your keeping our community lifted up in prayer.

*"Cast all your worries upon Him
because He cares for you." — 1 Peter 5:7*

MASS INTENTIONS: August 23 to August 29 2026

SUNDAY, August 23

**8:00am Osita Johnson, Graces
& Heaven's Blessings on his
Birthday, by Juliet Ezepue**
**9:30am Mary Kurupachery,
Birthday Bouquet, by Tom &
Reena Arndt**
**11:15am Mary & Paul Saucedo,
RIP, by Mikki**

MONDAY, August 24

**7:00am Sila Lodeiro, Special
Intentions, by Lodeiro Family**
**9:30am Maria Rodriguez, RIP,
by Mikki**

TUESDAY, August 25

**7:00am Lisa Delaney, RIP,
by Michele Sharpe**
**9:30am Bill and MaryAnn
Frederick, for Healing, by
Susan Carmel & Mimi Höffer**

WEDNESDAY, August 26

**7:00am Danita Jacobi, RIP,
by Charles Wise**
**9:30am Steve Pate, Birthday
Blessings, by Connie Pate**

THURSDAY, August 27

**7:00am Ethan Hernandez,
Infant Healing, by Mario
Quiros**

**9:30am Catherine Pommett,
RIP, by Theresa Toby**

FRIDAY, August 28

**7:00am Margaret Vivian, RIP,
by Bob and Chris Vivian**
**9:30am St Augustine for his
intercession for growth in
virtues and knowledge in God
for Osita Johnson, by Juliet
Ezepue**

SATURDAY, August 29

**9:00am Carlos Sevilla, RIP,
by Coralia Garcia**
**5:00pm John Poynton, RIP,
by Tina Jurecko**

Let us pray for all the
prisoners on Death Row
for dignity, mercy and justice,
and for an end to
the Death Penalty.

SCRIPTURE READINGS as of Monday, August 24 2026

Prayerfully invite Christ to come to you as you read the Scriptures. Begin with the sign of the Cross. Silently pray "May the Word of God be present in my mind, on my lips, and in my heart." Amen.

Monday: Rev 21:9b-14;
Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18;
Jn 1:45-51

Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17;
Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13; Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-
18; Ps 128:1-2, 4-5; Mt 23:27-32

Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-
3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2,
4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:1-13

**Saturday: Memorial of the
Passion of St. John the Baptist:**
1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13,
18-19, 20-21; Mk 6:17-29

**Twenty Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time:** Jer 20:7-9;
Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-
2; Mt 16:21-27



In Memoriam, RIP

Jeanette U. Brinsko
October 28 1924 - August 27 2020

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Stewardship is a Way of Life

The image of a key signifying authority is present in today's Scripture passages from the prophet Isaiah and St. Matthew's Gospel. Through Isaiah, God summons Eliakim to be the new master of the Jerusalem palace, placing the key of the House of David upon his shoulder. In the Gospel, Jesus entrusts St. Peter with the keys to the Kingdom of Heaven to be the "rock" — the foundation of the Church. Both men embrace God's call, as well as the responsibility that follows. We, as Christian stewards, are commissioned at our Baptism to work in the Lord's vineyard — to advance God's Kingdom through our abundant gifts. St. Paul reminds us in his Letter to the Romans that these blessings are all from God. Are our hearts ready and open to that challenge, to that call? Pray daily not only for your own and your family's vocation in life, but also for vocations to the priesthood, religious life, permanent diaconate, and all other ministries to the Church.

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Friday, September 18, 2026, at the
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balls, breakfast, lunch, on-course
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entry, and prizes.

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES

FOOD *Drive*

Saturday Sept. 19
4:45pm to 6:00pm

Sunday Sept. 20
9:00am to 12:00pm

*Drive-up and Drop-Off non-perishable
items to help feed the poor in
our community through Catholic
Charities. Thank you for your care for
the hungry in our community
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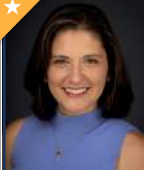
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