

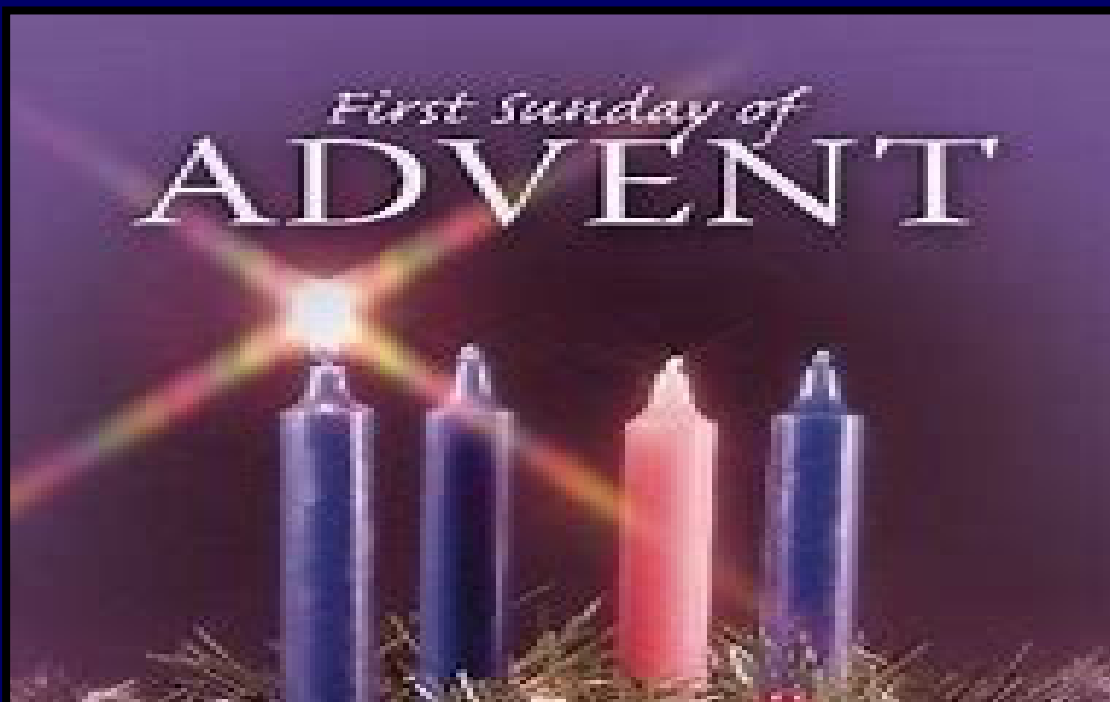


SAN SEBASTIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1112 State Road 16 St. Augustine, FL 32084 Church Office - 904-824-6625

Medical Emergency - 904-540-2269 Office hours: Monday - Friday 9am-

DECEMBER 1, 2019 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Rev. Fr. John D. Gillespie, Pastor,
Rev. Fr. Thomas P. Walsh, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Fr. William Mooney, In Residence
Deacon James Swanson and Deacon Santiago Rosado

Weekly Mass Schedule:

Daily Mass: Tuesday - Friday - 8:00am

Weekend mass Schedule : Vigil Mass Saturday at 4:00pm

Sunday Masses - 8:00am, 10:00am, and 12noon (español)

Confessions: Saturday 3:00pm - 3:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - First Friday - 9am - 3pm



San Sebastian Catholic Church 2020 Parish Family Picture Directory

Photo Sessions will be Dec. 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19
Photo Times will be 1:00pm - 8:00pm except
Saturday Dec. 14th Photo times are 8:30am - 2:10pm

Please stop by the Parish Directory Display in the gathering space,
before or after mass to schedule your photo day and time.

Tell your Story

- Be yourself and dress casual, classic, or in uniform
- Bring meaningful items to include in our photographs
- Bring special people to be included with you in your photos

Be Included in the New Church Directory

- A professional photography session, no session fees.
- New images after your session & make your selections
- 20% off entire order for seniors and military

You will Receive

- One free 8x10 standard print
- Free church directory
- Plus you will have the opportunity to purchase additional photographs to share with family and friends.



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP THE PHOTOGRAPHERS CHECK PEOPLE IN.

Times Volunteers are needed for Dec. 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, First Shift 12:30pm- 4:00pm

Second Shift 4:00pm - 8:00pm. December 14th is a Sat. Volunteers needed for

First Shift 8:00am - 11:30am Second Shift 11:30am - 2:30pm

For Schedule of days and times to help out please contact Tyra Rousseau

At the church office 824-6625 ext 102 or email tyra@sansebasiancatholicchurch.com



Please pick up a copy of a weekly message from Fr. Mooney, "**Faith and Reason**" located on the bulletin table in the gathering space. Father Mooney is available in the gathering space. Father Mooney is available for Spiritual Direction & Confession. Call the rectory 824-6625

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED CHURCH

GIFT SHOP

1st Sun. of month after 8am mass

3rd Sun. of month after 10am mass

5th Sun. of month after 10am mass

If interested please contact Donna McNary
at 904-806-2844 or turtle1fl@aol.com

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT OF CHANGES IN EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration is now offered

the First Friday of every month from
8:45am - 3:00pm - Fri. - Dec. 6, 2019

Please consider spending an Hour with the Lord by
For more information or to commit to an hour please
contact Mickey Mickler 904-377-4749 or email
oreinal@comcast.net. Just a reminder the church is
open Mon. - Fri. from 9:00am - 3:00pm



The Respect Life Annual Angel Giving Trees for the needy children in our community are displayed in the Gathering Space.

- Please take an Angel Tag, purchase the gifts, return TAG WITH GIFTS BETWEEN DECEMBER 12TH AND 15TH. Please wrap all gifts.

Many Volunteers are needed:

- Sort & take inventory Mon. Dec. 16th at 1pm in the parish hall.
- Sorting On Tues. & Wed. Dec. 17/18 if needed at 10am in parish hall.
- Parent Pick-up Party Thursday Dec. 19th from 2pm - 6pm in parish hall

Please contact Lane Campau 904 823-8887 lanecampau@gmail.com

Advent

PREPARE THE WAY

Parish Penitential Service
Monday December 9th
At 7:00pm. Several Priests
To hear confessions

Mass Monday December 9th
At 8:00am for the
Immaculate Conception
Of the Blessed Virgin Mary
This is NOT a Holy Day of Obligation

Children's Live Nativity
 Mark your calendars—we will once again act out the gospel at the 4:00pm mass on Christmas Eve. All children are encouraged to participate. First Meeting will be Saturday, Dec 21 at 10am
 Contact Ms Susan at 904-315-1352 for more information.

Everyone is Invited to the
Christmas Card & Craft Social
Sunday December 1, 2019
3pm - 6pm in the parish hall.



Enjoy Christmas Music, Fresh Baked Cookies, and other goodies while you create Christmas Crafts, Decorate Gingerbread Houses, and write out your Christmas Cards.

All Materials are provided.

Don't forget to bring
your address
book and a few extra
cards for our home-
bound and military.



Contact Susan Donlon at
904-824-6625 ext 111
for more information

PREPARE FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS. Fr. Dave Pavonka's Wild Goose Series will be shown

Thursdays at 7:00 in the church. Discussions will follow. These teachings will help you grow closer to Christ and will help you understand more how the Holy Spirit works in your own life. Please consider coming and bring a friend to learn also. Contact: JoAnn Roy -571-0156 or joannrroy@yahoo.com for more information.

**Everyone is invited to the Knights of Columbus
Christmas Tree Lighting & Dinner
Tuesday December 3, 2019 at 6:30pm
in the Parish Hall.
Please bring a dessert to share**



The San Sebastian Ladies Guild Christmas Gala

Thurs. Dec. 5, 2019 at 6:00pm in Parish Hall.

Tickets are \$10.00 and will be on sale this weekend

*Ladies Dress in your Christmas Best and join us for a
Christmas Dinner, Entertainment, Christmas Carols, Ornament Exchange
and a great way to meet other women in our parish. Don't forget to bring
a wrapped Christmas ornament for the "Ornament Exchange" OUR MENU - Honey Ham,
Roasted Turkey, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Dressing, Gravy, Cranberry, Dessert, Coffee, Soda, Beer
& Wine Tickets available Mon. - Fri. in the church office and after mass this weekend in the gathering
space. For more info. contact Tyra Rousseau in church office 904-824-6625*



**Please visit the San Sebastian Gift Shop in the gathering
space for Advent Wreaths, Advent Candles,
Advent Calendars, and the new St. Joseph
Sunday Missal which begins on Advent December 1st.**



Parish Christmas Party

**Sunday, December 15, 2019
at 5:00pm in church hall**

**Join us for a Turkey and Ham
Christmas Meal, music**

**Raffle Baskets and a special visitor from the north pole.
The church will provide the meal, please bring a dessert to share**



**Youth Group Annual Christmas Wreath Sale
December 7th & 8th after all masses**

HOPEFUL EXPECTATION

Our liturgical year begins with the season of Advent—a time of hopeful expectation of the coming of the Lord. On the First Sunday of Advent we look forward to the end of time when we will awaken to the dawn of Christ's new day.

Today we hear Isaiah speak of a day when God's power will have brought universal peace and God's Word will have instructed all people, radiating God's "light" (teachings) into all of human society. Only when humanity walks "in the light of the LORD" (Isaiah 2:5), when all people desire to be instructed "in [God's] ways" (Isaiah 2:3), will the world be set aright and our deepest longings fulfilled. The reading from Romans calls us to "awake from sleep" for this final "day is at hand" (Romans 13:11, 12). Together this Sunday's scriptures proclaim our Christian faith that Jesus is the One who will finally come to fulfill God's plan of salvation.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1

Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCESSunday: First Sunday of Advent;
World AIDS Awareness Day

Tuesday: St. Francis Xavier

Wednesday: St. John Damascene

Friday: St. Nicholas; First Friday

Saturday: St. Ambrose; First Saturday;
Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

Altar Flowers in honor of or in memory of a loved one available for a stipend of \$50.00 for both bouquets. For more information please contact the the Church Office at 824-6625.

Congratulations:

Baron Tenuta 11/24/19
Roman Tenuta 11/24/19

**Mass Intentions**

11/30 Sat	4pm - Deceased Hutnan & Dames
12/01 Sun	8am - Julia Lorentson +
12/01 Sun	10am - Hugo Velez +
12/01 Sun	12pm - Elias Marin +
12/02 Mon	NO MASS
12/03 Tue	8am - Charles Burke +
12/04 Wed	8am - Justin J. Zahler +
12/05 Thu	8am - Rosemary Naujelis +
12/06 Fri	8am - Ronnie Lester +
12/07 Sat	4pm - Billy Creech +
12/08 Sun	8am - Jane Sherry Spec Intention
12/08 Sun	10am - Zosimo (Sonny) Cadiz +
12/08 Sun	12pm - Our Parishioners
12/09 Mon	8am- Immaculate Conception Mass
12/10 Tue	8am - Albert Ferniz +
12/11 Wed	8am—Elizabeth Mahon +
12/12 Thu	8am—Emma Trense +
12/13 Fri	8am - Matthew Ferguson
12/14 Sat	4pm - Joyce Course +
12/15 Sun	8am - Doug Connell +
12/15 Sun	10am - Skeeter Butler +
12/15 Sun	12pm - Our Parishioners

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Liturgical Ministers

Sat. 4pm EM: C. Bandy, E. DiGrigoli, N. Gonzalez, J. Holt, J. Lorentson, M. Mickler, P&E Reid, L. Sais, **B Smith**, C & S Vincent

Lector: P. & E. Reid

Server: E. Ammons

Sun. 8am EM: B. Freeman, J. Mariani, A. Meyers, J. Slight, **L & D Willis**

Lector: A. Gieselman

Server: K. Town, P. Town

Sun. 10am EM: J. Bailey, S. Benonis, T. Crane, G. Gilrain, J. Karamon, **L. Lachat**, J. Kessler, L. McArthur, L. Rivera, M. Ruiz, E. Urbina

Lector: K. Minckiewicz, J. Massad

Server: A. Robillard, O. Garcia

Celebrants for Nov 30— Dec 1, 2019*

4:00pm - Fr. John D. Gillespie

8:00am - Fr. John D. Gillespie

10:00am - Fr. Thomas P. Walsh

12:00pm - Fr. John D. Gillespie (español)

*Subject to change without notice

Celebrants for Dec 7—8, 2019*

4:00pm - Fr. Thomas P. Walsh

8:00am - Fr. Thomas P. Walsh

10:00am - Fr. John D. Gillespie

12:00pm - Fr. John D. Gillespie (español)

*Subject to change without notice

ESPERAR CON GOZO

Nuestro año litúrgico comienza con el tiempo de Adviento, una temporada de expectativa por la venida del Señor. En el Primer Domingo de Adviento anticipamos el fin de los tiempos cuando despertaremos al amanecer del nuevo día de Cristo.

Hoy escuchamos a Isaías hablar del día en que el poder de Dios habrá traído paz universal y la Palabra de Dios habrá instruido a todos los pueblos, irradiando la “luz” (enseñanzas) de Dios a toda la raza humana. Sólo cuando la humanidad camina “a la luz del Señor” (Isaías 2:5), cuando todos los pueblos deseen marchar “por sus sendas” (Isaías 2:3), el mundo se enderezará y nuestros más profundos anhelos serán cumplidos. La lectura de Romanos nos llama a despertar “del sueño” porque la salvación “está más cerca” (Romanos 13:11, 12). Las lecturas de este domingo proclaman nuestra fe cristiana en que Jesús es Aquél que al final vendrá a dar cumplimiento al plan de salvación de Dios.

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Is 4:2-6; Sal 122 (121):1-9; Mt 8:5-11
 Martes: Is 11:1-10; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lc 10:21-24
 Miércoles: Is 25:6-10a; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mt 15:29-37
 Jueves: Is 26:1-6; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
 Viernes: Is 29:17-24; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
 Sábado: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Sal 147 (146):1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1
 Domingo: Is 11:1-10; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Primer Domingo de Adviento;
 Día Mundial del SIDA
 Martes: San Francisco Javier
 Miércoles: San Juan Damasceno
 Viernes: San Nicolás; Primer viernes
 Sábado: San Ambrosio; Primer sábado;
 Día para recordar Pearl Harbor

ADVIENTO

Recuerda que el tiempo de Navidad siempre es tiempo de hospitalidad.

—Israel-Jesús Martínez

TIEMPO DE PREPARACIÓN

Esta vida es el tiempo de preparación para nuestro estado futuro. Nuestras almas continuarán siendo por siempre lo que hacemos de ellas en este mundo.

—John Tillotson, Arzobispo de Canterbury

Ministerio Hispano

Ministros:

Lectores:

Monaguillo:

Ujieres:

Lectores, Ministros Extraordinario, Monaguilla and Ujieres, favor de llamar a Wilma Rosado 904-540-4958

Choir Director Spanish Maria Hernandez 904-347-8902 corohispano@live.com

Preparación para el Bautismo....Los padres y los padrinos deben registrarse para las clases de preparación en la oficina de la Parroquia. Para las clases, favor llamar a la Rectoría para ponerse de acuerdo con la fecha y la hora. Si los padres o padrinos no han asistido a una clase de preparación anteriormente, estas clases son necesarias para bautismo. Es un requisito para padres y padrinos que no han tomado las clases anteriormente participar en ellas. Favor de llamar a Diacono Rosado. Los bautizos se celebran después de la misa en Español.

Bodas.....Favor llamar a la oficina de la Parroquia con 8 meses de antelación Tel: 824-6625

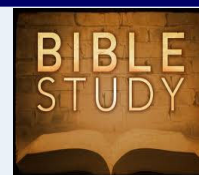
Comunión para los EnfermosLas personas que deseen recibir la Comunión en sus casas, favor llamar a la oficina de la Parroquia, o hablar con un ministro eucarístico después de misa.

El Coro para Adultos en Español ..Se invita a todos los que sienten el deseo de servir al Señor con su voz o con un instrumento musical, favor hablar con María Hernández después de la misa de 12:00p.m.

Para Ofrendas Durante las Misa ...Si deseas que se mencione durante la misa el nombre de un familiar o amigo ya fallecido o que esté gravemente enfermo, favor llamar a Clarita Opiela, Tel: 824-6625 clarita@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com

Diácono Jim visita cada lunes el Flagler Hospital. Si sabes de algún familiar o amigo – miembro de la parroquia que está en el hospital favor llamar al la oficina de la parroquia (904 824-6625) o avisanos antes o después de las misas durante el fin de semana.

Estudio de la Biblia en Español - jueves
A las 7:00pm en la iglesia
Moderador:
Diácono Santiago Rosado



St Gerard Campus 36th Annual Fashion Show

What: Fashion Show, Silent Auction, Luncheon, Music/Entertainment, Fabulous Sweepstake Prizes, and Door Prizes Plus a \$5,000 Grand Prize Drawing!

When: Saturday, **December 7, 2019** from 12:00 to 3:30 PM

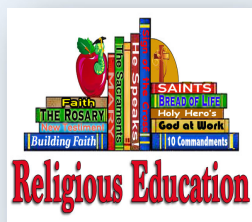
Where: Renaissance Resort Hotel at World Golf Village, St. Augustine, Florida. For ticket or sponsorship information call 904-829-5516 or 904-797-9437 All proceeds benefit St. Gerard High School and *Maternity Home San Sebastián's representative is Lane Campau at 904-823-8887 or lanecampau@gmail.com*

Volunteers Needed Father Miguel O'Reilly House, St. Augustine, has undergone renovations and is now ready to share with the public. We need those interested in serving as a docent while learn about St. Augustine history, sharing the Catholic faith, and the history of the Sisters of St. Joseph. We will train and mentor all docents. Hours are Wed – Sat: 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, with shifts from 10 - 1 and 1 - 3. If interested, call Sister Bernard Joseph at 904-325-3605.

The San Sebastian Warriors Youth Group will help with Christmas Card Social from 3—6pm this Sunday, Dec 1st

Annual Christmas wreath Sale Dec. 7 & 8

After all masses. For more information please contact Cathi Rivera at 252-367-8075



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CHRISTMAS PARTIES will be Wednesday, Dec 11th AND Thursday, Dec 12th at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall. We will provide Fried Chicken, please bring a dish to share.



Youth Choir Rehearsal—Wednesdays @5pm in Knights Hall. For information on Youth Choir & Home School Choir, contact Lynne DuPont 824-1334 or email ddandshe@aol.com

Homeschooling Support System

What's going on in homeschooling for our local community? Where can I find resources? For more information please contact Valerie Thompson at juiceplusfamily@bellsouth.net or Jacki Cobb at jackicobb@gmail.com or 904-347-1795

San Sebastian's YOUNG ADULT GROUP (AGES 18 – 29) meets the third Sunday of the month. For more information please contact Maiela Ruiz at (904)392-3295

youngadultsofsansebastian@gmail.com



RCIA - Would you like to know more about the Catholic Faith?

Adult Confirmation? Adult First Communion?

For more information contact Susan Donlon, Religious Education Director Office 824-6625 ext. 111 Cell - 904- 315-1352 or email to susan@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com



Knights of Columbus are having a **Nativity Float in the Christmas Parade on Dec 7th.** They need two children to play Mary and Joseph. Please contact Dennis or Donna McNary for more information. at 904-806-2844 or turtle1fl@aol.com

Fr. Rene Robert Knights of Columbus Council 11046 - Event Schedule



Knights Meeting,

2nd Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the Knights Hall.

Monthly Pot Luck Dinner Social,

Everyone invited, 4th Tues. of the month.

Joining The Knights of Columbus

or transferring into our Council, call Grand Knight

Imad Hamameh at 904-540-7295 or ihamameh@yahoo.com

Pancake/Waffle Breakfast,

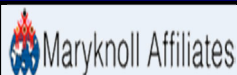
2nd & 4th Sun. of month /after 8am & 10am masses.

Knights of Columbus Coat Donations for Needy Children please bring gently used or new coats Please place in the Coat Donation Box in the gathering space.

**Estudio de la Biblia en Español jueves a las 7:00pm en la iglesia
Moderador—Diácono Santiago Rosado**



Holy Name Society Contact Charlie Judice, charliej103@gmail.com



All adults are invited to the Maryknoll Affiliate meeting on Thursday, December 12th at noon at San Sebastián Church Knights Hall. For more information, contact Mary Moritz at moritzmjk@gmail.com or at 904.536.0356.

Altar Society JUST SHOW UP.....Mondays from 8-9am we meet in the church to: change & clean altar linens, restock votive candles, clean, dust, water flowers, & straighten pews.

Moms Activity Group (MAG). This group is for all busy moms and ladies of the Parish who want to take a break and enjoy activities with others. Please contact Sarah Laboranti cell (865) 313-5566 or sarah.laboranti@gmail.com.

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE - Meeting TBA. Information and questions, contact Tom Clarke 904-540-3728/ gatortc11@bellsouth.net

BOOK CLUB - Meets in the Knights Hall the second Wednesday of the month at 2:00pm. For more info contact Deacon Earl or Linda Kidwell at 904-819-5451 or kidwellw@bellsouth.net **NO MEETING IN DECEMBER.**

Music Ministry

Sat. 4pm mass Choir rehearsals Sat. 3:00pm in Church.

Sun. at the 8am & 10am masses, Choir rehearsals Tues. 7:00pm in Church.

Sun. 12noon Spanish Choir rehearsals Mondays 6:00pm in the Church.

Youth Choir - rehearsals Wednesdays 5:00pm in Knights Hall



The San Sebastian Gift Shop - Visit the Gift shop during the week after daily mass or after masses on the weekend. If you would like more information about volunteering 1 hour a month after any mass on the weekend, Contact Donna McNary 904-806-2844 / turtle1fl@aol.com

Prayer Blanket Ministry Our parishioners generously make and donate hand made blankets for those sick and in need of comfort & compassion. Now available : **PRAYER CLOTHS for our Troops** to carry with them in their pockets. Prayer cloths are available depicting: **Army, Marines, Navy, Air Force** or a generic with the American Flag. Items available at the church office. Leaugeay McKean at 824-6625 / Leaaron17@gmail.com

Weekly Event Calendar

Weeks of
Nov 30—Dec 8

11/30 Sat	3:00pm	Confessions
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass
	5:00pm	Wine & Cheese Social
12/01 Sun	ADVENT BEGINS	
	8:00am	Mass
	9:00am	Coffee & Danish Social
	10:00am	Mass with Sign Language, & Children Liturgy of the Word
	11:00am	Baptism MW
	11:00am	Coffee & Danish Social
	12:00pm	Misa en Español
	1:30pm	Baptism JG
	3:00pm	CHRISTMAS CARD & CRAFT SOCIAL
12/02 Mon	8:00am	Altar Society
12/03 Tue	8:00am	Mass & St. Anthony Novena
	6:00pm	Parish Advisory Council Mtg
	6:30pm	RCIA: Our Catholic Faith
	6:30pm	Knights Tree Lighting and Dinner
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
	7:00pm	Spanish Cursillo
12/04 Wed	8:00am	Mass
	5:00pm	Youth Choir
	6:00pm	Religious Education in REEC
	6:00pm	Parent Meeting in Parish Hall
	7:00pm	Wild Goose Video in Church
12/05 Thu	8:00am	Mass
	9:45am	Bible Study in KNIGHTS HALL
	11:00am	Diocese Training in REEC
	6:00pm	Religious Ed/Parents in REEC
	6:00pm	LADIES GUILD CHRISTMAS GALA
	6:00pm	Spanish Choir
	7:00pm	Spanish Bible Study
12/06 Fri	8:00am	Mass
	8:45—3:00pm	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
	2:45pm	Benediction
12/07 Sat	YOUTH GROUP WREATH SALE	
	3:00pm	Confessions
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass
	5:00pm	Wine & Cheese Social
12/08 Sun	YOUTH GROUP WREATH SALE	
	8:00am	Mass
	9:00am	Waffles & Pancakes
	9:00am	Bake Sale by Lady Knights
	10:00am	Mass with Sign Language, & Children Liturgy of the Word
	11:00am	Waffle & Pancake & Bake Sale
	12:00pm	Misa en Español
	2:00pm	Marian Movement of Priests
	4:00pm	Warriors Youth Group

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Attention Registered Parishioners, If you do not use your contribution envelopes. Please make sure you write your parish envelope number on all loose checks that you place in the offertory. This helps our office staff accurately post to your account. Thank You

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

This bulletin had to be transmitted on Friday Nov. 22nd due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. The Updated SUNDAY COLLECTIONS amounts will be in the bulletin for the weekend of December 7th/8th

Second Collections:

Dec.	01	Mortgage Fund
Dec.	08	Liturgical Supplies & Support
Dec.	15	Facilities Maintenance
Dec.	22	Outreach for the Poor

IT'S SAFE. IT'S SIMPLE. IT'S CONVENIENT.

Donate today using your debit card, credit card, checking, or savings account.

1

Visit your church website and click **Give Online**.

2

Set up your account.

3

Choose a payment option and customize your donation.



Contact our Customer Support Team at weshare@4lpi.com

Use Your Envelopes or use On-Line Giving

We encourage everyone to use their envelopes or On Line Giving. Think of your envelopes / on-line giving as a gift to God. You take the time to thoughtfully, prayerfully choose your gift, wrap it & present it eagerly to our Lord. Many times families will ask for a letter stating that they are registered, participating members of San Sebastian in order to become a Godparent, Confirmation Sponsor or to enroll in Catholic Schools. Using your envelope or Online Giving makes our job easier & allows us to say, Yes! this family is registered & participating here at San Sebastian.



Respect Life Committee We stand and pray at "All Women's Health Center" abortion facility 1545 Huffingham Rd Every 2nd and 4th Wed. of each month with 3 one hour teams: 10am-11, 11am-12pm, 12pm-1pm. If you need a ride, Lane Campau 904-823-8887- |lanecampau@gmail.com We pray the Rosary Friday at 2:00pm in the church during Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The San Sebastian



Respect Life Committee meets every third Friday in the church library. For more information contact Lane Campau: 904 823-8887 / lanecampau@gmail.com **The Annual Angel Giving Trees are now on display in the Gathering Space. Please help us give needy families a great Christmas.**

WIDOWS CLUB for all whose husbands have passed away. We would like to get to know each other and plan some activities we may want to do together.

Contact: JoAnn Roy for more information: joannroy@yahoo.com, 904-571-0156

FOOD AND FUN FRIDAY is a meal for elderly & those on fixed incomes the 4th Friday of the month. If you could volunteer to cook, set-up, serve, clean-up or just have fellowship with these great people contact Susan Donlon 904-824-6625 ext 111 / susan@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com

Ministry of Caring Our Mission is: No member of our Parish Family is alone. During your time of bereavement we will help you with the funeral service at the church and reception following the funeral. If you are interested in joining this ministry or need our services, contact Orpha Wiseman at 904-824-5748.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY - Weekly Bible Study with a video series then discussion. For more info contact Mickey Mickler at 904- 377-4749 or email to oreina1@comcast.net Please join us Thursday Morning in the Religious Enrichment Center. **Group will meet in KNIGHTS HALL on Thursday, Dec 5th**

WINE AND CHEESE SOCIAL -Please Consider being one of the Volunteer Teams needed to host the Wine and Cheese Socials after mass on Saturdays in the parish hall. Please contact Bob or Linda Curran for more information at 904-827-1050 or email rome4768@bellsouth.net

Parish Monthly Food Drive 3rd weekend of the month. Please bring in tea bags, sugar, sweetener, creamer, coffee, peanut butter, tuna, cereal, instant oatmeal, canned stew, spam, corn, beans, peas, carrots, soup, boxed milk, jelly, canned fruit, mashed potatoes, pasta & sauce, dog food, cat food, or gift cards. Food is distributed to those on fixed incomes & elderly 4th Friday of the month, 1:00 pm during **Food & Fun Friday**. Volunteers are welcome to participate in helping cook the meal, set up & serve the meal & clean-up & just enjoy spending time with these special people.

Parish Finance Council If you have a knowledge of Balance Sheets, Income Statements and interested in serving on this committee contact - Gerri Sexsion, 904-309-3889 / gsexsion@comcast.net

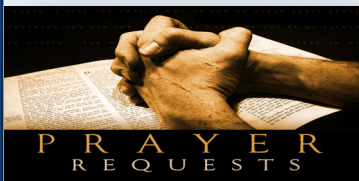
Ushers NEEDED Saturdays 4pm & Sundays 8am, 10am & 12 pm – for more info contact - Bobby Freeman via email - bfreeman1967@gmail.com

MEN'S Prayer Group Meetings are held the second Saturday of the month 9:00am in the San Sebastian Knights Hall. For information contact **Deacon Earl** at 904-819-5451 / kidwellw@bellsouth.net

FOOD SHARING Meal preparation at 2:00pm in the Parish Hall followed by serving the **Homeless of St. Augustine**, downtown. **Donations of Meat always appreciated.** 3rd Tuesday of the month. **Team A** - Lydia Quiles 687-8169 / quileslydia@yahoo.com. **Team B** - Cheryl Manucy 824-3403 / cheryl7567@att.net.

Marian Movement of Priests prayer Group 2nd and 4th Sundays each month at 2pm in Mary's Garden. Leaugeay McKean at leauron17@gmail.com

Library located in the Gathering Space: Books, tapes, movies, & music, for young & "old". Open during church hours. Please return items within 2 weeks. Susan Donlon, 904 315-1352

**Week 1**

Theresa Columbus* Jenny Harvey*
 Sr. Anne Haarer* Deb Shaffrey*
 Cecelia Lavinghouse* Dee Vanta*
 Shirley Macdonald* Cathy Wood*
 John Kotlinski* Renaldo Pernia*
 Margaret Power* David Shields*
 Lloyd Rasmussen* John Speciale*
 Michael Leahy* Sandra Vincent*

Week 2

Marcella Butler* Anita Gieselman*
 Maureen Lively* Raul Maldonado*
 Byron Mervin* Krista Morris*
 Kaden Morris* Connie Mosher*
 Frank Perry* Pat Prater*
 Valerie Roberts* Zaelie Grace Sims*
 Jane Young* Sally Walton*
 Stephen Thomas* Joey Torregosa*
 Emily C. Urbina* Kelly Clause*

Week 3

Andy Butler* John Uvegas*
 Camille Carrubba* Linda Flister*
 Anita Guevara* Richard Jackman*
 Rebecca Law* Phyllis Markowitz*
 Noah McLeod* Fred Meeks*
 Denise Orr* Norman Pickett*
 Lillian Sias* Brandon Usina*
 Roger & Dorrie Miller* Roby Baird*

Week 4

Jen Brown* Rich Jackman, Sr.*
 Austin Bradock* John Busketta*
 Rose Busketta* Audrey Largent*
 Ken Markowitz* Carmen Medina*
 Violeta & John Michta*
 Priscilla & Bobby Baird*

Week 5

Shaq Borrero* Vonda Coleman*
 Doug Conlon* Sheila Stiegner*
 Anna Donalson* Wayne Holt*
 Tommy Kynard* Herman Longo*
 James Watcke* Emil Gaglardi*
 Ada Nackashi* Belinda C. Rose*
 Fran Tucker* Leroy Kinlaw*
 Nelson "Tiny" Cline* Barry Masters*

Week 6

Dan Burkhardt* Audrey Burnett*
 Colleen Caro* Lu Tayloe*
 Mackenzie Dean* Cindy Fessler*
 Fabian P. Funk* Charles Hall*
 Rita Kreuter* Madison Masters*
 Barbara Ann Miller* Joe Patrick*
 Curt Moser* Rende Nedime*
 Caitlin O'Connell* Jane Arena*

Please Continue to pray
 for infant Ashlyn Leide, who
 is seriously ill in Wolfson
 Children's Hospital,
 and for her family.



To add a name to the prayer list or Pray for our Troops
 email Tyra Rousseau tyra@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com
 or call church office at 904- 824-6625



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 Col. Dave Francis Cpt. Nestor L. Lugo PFC Justin Peebles Lt Victor A. Ramos
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 AM2 Omar Samanamud Sgt Julian R. Taylor, PFC Robert Young,
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Medical Mission Trip to Honduras February 9 - 15, 2020

Each of you can help by praying for our Medical Mission and the people who will be helped. If you are able, please send a tax deductible donation to: Friends of the Missions, Inc. 39 Dolphin Drive St. Augustine, FL 32080 For more information please contact; Jim Mathews at jimjmathews@gmail.com or call 904-631-0221

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY - Volunteers and Part-time positions needed. We have part-time positions available in the Thrift Store of four hours a day for as many or as few days a week that you would like. We also have volunteer opportunities to serve the poor directly through our home visitation program. Please think about the time you might be able to spend at St. Vincent de Paul to make a difference in so many lives. Please contact the store 904-824-3333 or Home Visitation Program at 904-217-8097.

Diaper Drive diapers & wipes donated to St. Gerard House. No opened packages, please.*

Food Drive - Please bring non-perishable food items for needy families in our community every 3rd weekend of the month. Thank you for your continuing generosity.*

Food & Fun Fridays - 4th Friday of the Month - San Sebastian hosts a meal from 1pm-3pm for elderly and those on fixed incomes. If you have a neighbor or friend who would benefit from this, invite them to join us. To Volunteer, contact Susan Donlon 824-6625 ext 107.

Food Sharing of St. Augustine - An evening meal for the homeless in St. Aug. is prepared the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 2pm. To volunteer for this great community outreach. Lydia Quiles 687-8169/quileslydia@yahoo.com or Cheryl Manucy 824-3403/cherylmanucy@att.net.

St. Gerard Campus is in NEED of Volunteers Call - 904-829-5516- A pro-life pregnancy crisis center for free pregnancy testing, free sonograms, and adoption services. Program that provides Free diapers and wipes, accredited college prep high school for 30-32 pregnant teens and teen mothers. Licensed 14-bed 24 hour maternity home residence. Free licensed daycare for the young mothers while they attend school. Volunteers always needed for the front desk, pregnancy center, thrift store and more. For information 904-829-5516 / 1405 US HWY 1 South, St. Augustine, FL 32084. Mail Donations to: St. Gerard Campus, PO Box 4382, St. Augustine, FL 32085

Homeless in St. Augustine - small travel sizes: shampoo, soap, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, wash clothes, combs, socks, hand sanitizer, Band-Aids, Neosporin, tweezers, nail clippers, razors, sunglasses, sunscreen*

Prison Ministry - contact Fr. Thomas Walsh at 824-6625

Church Recycling Program - PAPER Dumpster available in the front parking lot. No phone books, cardboard or plastic. Aluminum Can drop off in the rear parking lot behind the garage.

Box Tops for Education - Look for the official Box Top for Education on different food products. We also accept coke reward Codes, Sunny D Labels, & Kellogg's Family Reward Codes. contact Karen Town 940-6877*

St. Johns County Pet Adoption & Holding Center - needs: pet foods, treats, blankets, towels, & toys.*

St. Augustine Humane Society Resource Center, 1665 Old Moultrie Road. Contact Mike Murphy, Volunteer Program Manager at 904-829-2737 ext. 111 or email mmurphy@staughumane.org.

Used or New CATHOLIC PAPERBACK in English and Spanish Bibles St. Johns County Jail have inmates who attend a Saturday Bible Study. They have requested Paperback Catholic Bibles. Donation Basket in the Gathering Space.

Veterans Help Veterans Help - Contact John McGinty, 904-679-1947 PTSD, TBI, or problems with military /

retirement services **VA MISSION ACT - EFFECTIVE JUNE 6, 2019** <https://missionact.va.gov>

www.blogs.va.gov/Vantage/60982/va.-mission-act-expect-community-care-june-6/

www.blogs.va.gov/Vantage/60996/va.-mission-act-vas-new-urgent-care-benefit-for-veterans/

Volunteers Needed -The Father Miquel O'Reilly House of timeless historic treasures & Catholic & Sisters of St Joseph history, 32 Avilles St. St. Augustine. Sr. Bernard Joseph, 904-826-0750/sisterbernardjoseph@gmail.com

Wildflower Clinic! Our mission in St. John's County is to offer **free** Dental & Medical care, Women's Clinics, Physical Therapy, Chiropractic, Mental Health, Dermatology & Vision Screening to low income residents. We are always looking for doctors and dentists to volunteer their services. Please call for information and scheduling if you are in the low income category. 904-829-1962, address 268 Herbert St. St. Augustine 32084 / officeatgoodsamstaug.org.

* Donation baskets for all items are located in the Gathering Space.

Corporal Works of Mercy

To feed the hungry
To give drink to the thirsty
To clothe the naked
To visit and ransom the captives
To shelter the homeless
To visit the sick
To bury the dead