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NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please take a few minutes to complete a registration form which can be found in the Church lobby. The data provided by you on this card is confidential. Complete information in all fields is needed i.e. name of your child's school, full birthdates etc. When completed please give to a Welcome Minister.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Pastor before setting a wedding date, (normal preparation time is 8 months), and must attend a Diocesan marriage preparation program.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Preparation must be made well in advance. A Baptismal Class for the parents is required. Please contact the parish office.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

If you or someone you know is no longer able to attend Mass or is going through rehabilitation for a few weeks preventing them from coming to church, the parish has Eucharistic Ministers to bring Holy Communion to the home each week. Father Kiran also makes 1st Friday visitations to provide the Sacrament of the Sick and Confession. Call the office at 692-1366 to arrange the visit.

ATTENTION

The Diocese of Saint Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call: Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator (904) 262-3200, ext. 129, or the Department of Children and Families at 1-800-96-Abuse (800) 962-2873.



12-20 5p Robert & Ellen Gorman +
12-21 9a Roger Haggenmiller +
12-21 11a People's Mass
12-22 8a Janet Boeckman
12-23 8a Neal Coleman +
12-24 4p The Medipalli Family
12-24 6p 8a People's Mass
12-25 10a Emiliano Gonzales +
12-26 8a Mary Alice Wester

PRAYER LIST

Roxane Ambrose, David Baddour Bill Bailey, Mike Barone, Deanne Boyles, Bill Bothe, Mary Ann Brennan, Judy Brenner, Betty Jo Brock, Ollie Brown, Betty Brubaker, Ethan Brubaker, Hiram Bud, Cheryl Campbell, Melinda Campbell, Dorie Cantrell, Barbara Carlsen, Fred Carlsen, John Carlsen & family, John Carlucci, Linda Casey, Kathleen Delzell, Bob Ferguson, Eileen Gavofalo, Stella Gerlach, Roger Geronimo, Gary Getchell Sharon Harper, Sonny Harrell, Ken Hart, Donna Hartley, Delores Herold, Patti Herschel, Heather Home, Michael Hosking, April Johns, Dana Jones, Dan Johnson, Lynn Kendall, Evey Kennedy, Kirby Kennedy, Carl Kramer, Michael Lang, Anthony Leonardy, Patricia Martin, David Masters, Ester Masters, Therese Masters & Family, Mason McCarthy, Valorie May, Caleb Mayberry, Pam Minnick & family, Guinevere Waits Morones, Emma Murray, Linda Nipper, Tracy Noblin, Chuck Nusbaum, James & Elise Osako, Christine Propes, Rachel Quiñones, Michael Randall, Jerry Robinson, Christopher Roebuck, Grace Roebuck, Noble Rogero, Bunny Rogers, Debra Ryan & Jody, Charles Sagginario, Mary Sears, Darlene Sheeks, Glen & Lynn Slaughter, Aaron Smith, Mat Somers, Jeff Spencer, Adelaide Stewart, Sage Stinson, Paul Taylor, Jean Timmerman, Michael Triplett, Pat Tucker, Tony West, Stacie Wilson, Michelle Wise, Dennis Wissel, Charlie Wunduke, Roberta Zukauskas.

Please Note: Please notify Donna Rogero 386-325-5230, cell 386-546-1287 or donnarogero@att.net with your prayer request.



Sunday 12/21

10:00 AM Choir Practice - Church

Monday 12/22 Tuesday 12/23

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM - Legion of Mary - School 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM - Religious Library - School 7:00 - 8:30 PM - R.C.I.A. – School

Wednesday 12/24

Christmas Eve Masses 4:00 P.M. & 6:00 P.M.

Thursday 12/25

Christmas Day Mass 10:00 A.M

<u>Friday 12/26</u> Saturday 12/27

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Choir Practice - Church

CHILDREN'S ADORATION

 $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}~\&~\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$ Thursdays of the month after the 9:00 a.m. mass.

1st FRIDAY ADORATION

The first Friday of every month at 6:00 p.m.

CHOIR REHEARSAL REMINDER:

5pm Saturday Mass - Practice before Mass at 4pm 9am Sunday - Practice after Mass at 10am 11am Sunday - Practice before Mass at 10am Christmas Choir rehearsals: All Saturdays 3:00 pm



12-20 Holly Faustini 12-21 Nick Pasqualino 12-22 David Allen 12-25 Michael Brooks, Kelsey Hellstrom & Michael Versaggi

WORD OF LIFE

"Never tire of firmly speaking out in defense of life from its conception and do not be deterred from the commitment to defend the dignity of every human person with courageous determination. Christ is with you: be not afraid!"

— Address of John Paul II

From the Vocations Office

Mary was called to be open to the extraordinary. What do you need to say, "let it be" in response to God's call to you? Trust that the Lord is with you and will guide you always (Luke 1:26-38). If you have a question about a vocation to the priesthood or religious life, contact Father David Ruchinski, Vocation Director at (904) 262-3200, ext. 101 or email vocations@dosafl.com.

Cathedral Parish School is currently collecting **Box Tops for Education.** These box tops are on many of the items that you purchase for your homes, including paper products, and packaged food products. We are also collecting Campbell soup labels and Coca cola cap rewards. If you are a Target shopper and have a Target charge or debit card you may link your card to Cathedral Parish School online or by calling Target. While online at www.target.com you would search for Take Charge of Education. Enter the school zip code of 32084 and you should see CPS come up on your screen. The CPS Target code is 17808. Target donates 1% of all purchases back to CPS so this is an easy way to support the school. You will find a box in the back of church that you may place your labels, caps and box tops for Cathedral Parish School. Thank you and God bless! You can drop off box tops in the box in the church vestibule.

You and Me and God Makes Three is a spiritual, biblical-based look at developing relationship's God's way. Using the book, *Dear God, Send Me a Soul Mate* by Rose Sweet, you will take a wonderful journey through the Old Testament story of Isaac and Rebecca. This six-week course will follow eight specific steps that will aid you in developing healthy relationships, with God as a partner and guide. Classes begin on Thursday, Jan. 15, 2015 and go through Feb. 19, 2015 at 7 p.m. at the Catholic Center. Cost is \$40. Preregistration is required and can be done online at www.dcfl.org or by calling the Diocesan Center for Family Life at (904) 551-2619.

Cantorae St. Augustine, directed by Dr. Mary Jane Ballou, is a woman's a cappella ensemble that has been singing a monthly Vespers (in Latin and English, using both Gregorian chant and polyphony) at the Shrine of La Leche since 2007. The prayer and the music capture the spirit of early St. Augustine in the chapel that is the oldest shrine to the Virgin in what later became the U.S. Vespers are held on Fridays, at 6 p.m., at the Shrine of La Leche in St. Augustine, with the Angelus. For more information, contact Dr. Ballou, (904) 347-6544 or visit: www.cantorae.com.

Lighthouse Catholic Media CDs

Please take a moment to look over the CDs in the Display Located in the Vestibule. CDs are available to borrow or purchase - Please return when you are finished. Donations are welcome in the box that is attached to the case.

Volunteer teachers and van drivers needed at St.

Gerard Campus – a maternity home and high school for pregnant teens located in St. Augustine. Email resume to: education@stgerardcampus.org or fax to: (904) 825-2858 or contact Julie Gramza, dean, (904) 829-5516.

The Jesse Tree dates back to the middle ages and came from Europe. The "tree" is usually a branch or sapling and is decorated with various symbols. In Church art a design developed showing the relationship of Jesus with Jesse and other biblical personages. This design showed a branched tree growing from a reclining figure of Jesse. The various branches had pictures of other Old and New Testament figures who were ancestors of Jesus. At the top of the tree were figures of Mary and Jesus. This design was used mostly in stained glass windows in some of the great medieval cathedrals of Europe. Jesse was the father of King David and God promised David that his Kingdom would last forever. Two centuries after the death of King David, God spoke through the prophet Isaiah and said: And there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a branch shall grow out of his roots: and the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and fortitude, the spirit of knowledge, and of the fear of the Lord. (Isaiah 11:1-2)

Each Jesse Tree ornament usually consists of a handmade symbol or drawing that represents one of the major stories of the Old Testament along with a brief verse of Scripture from that story.

Retrouvaille: Do you feel alone? Do you argue - or have you just stopped talking to each other? Do you dread the drive home? Does talking about it only make it worse? **Retrouvaille** has helped countless couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. The next session is **Feb. 20-22, 2015.** For confidential information or to register call (904)662-8604 or visit www.helpourmarriage.com.

Eucharistic Congress March 13, 2015 @ 5:30 PM - March 14, 2015 @ 11:00 PM

Join Bishop Felipe J. Estévez for the 2015 Eucharistic Congress. The theme is "Come to the House of the Lord" and this year's keynote speaker is Cardinal Timothy Dolan of the Archdiocese of New York. More information to come!

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK



A clean environment is a great "first impression" that will help guests return to this wonderful place. We are looking for faithful men and women who are willing to dedicate a few hours monthly to ensure that St. Ambrose is fresh and clean. Colossians

3:17 says: "And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Even in something as unglamorous as cleaning the church we bring God glory if we are doing it in his name. We all love to see the church looking it's best. You can be a part by joining this valuable ministry. We serve God with a joyful heart and love for His house. The 2015 sign-up sheet is posted in the cry room. Choose the time to suit your schedule



Offertory is not available because of the bulletin company Christmas Schedule.