

ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
JULY 5, 2026
FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Augustine Catholic Church sits between Cannon Hill and Manito Parks in the heart of Spokane's historic South Hill neighborhood. It has provided a place of worship for generations of Catholic families and serves the students of Cataldo Catholic School at St. Augustine.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. M. J. Nicks, Pastor
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BAPTISM & HOLY MATRIMONY

Parents seeking Baptism for their child and couples seeking marriage should contact the parish office at least four months prior to the intended dates for preparation. It is expected that you are registered and have been active in the parish for at least six months, be a regular contributor financially to the parish, and be taking part in the liturgical life of the Church – which includes attendance at Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation.

MASS TIMES

Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri: 8:15 AM (with Adoration until 9:15 AM)
Tuesday: 9 AM with Cataldo (Mass during the school year only)
Saturday: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 9 AM & 11 AM

HOLY DAYS

9 AM & 5:30 PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:15 PM – 4 PM

ROSARY

Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri: 7:40 AM

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday: 8:45 AM—11:10 AM (October through June)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9 AM – 12 PM

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 4

Independence Day

Vigil Mass 4:30 PM For our nation

Sunday, July 5

Mass 9 AM †Arlene Barlow

Mass 11 AM *Pro Populo*

Monday, July 6

Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

Mass 8:15 AM

Tuesday, July 7

No Mass

Wednesday, July 8

Mass 8:15 AM

Thursday, July 9

**Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest,
and Companions, Martyrs**

Mass 8:15 AM

Friday, July 10

Mass 8:15 All parishioners who have passed
away in the month of July



Please Keep the Following in Your Prayers

Janie Alsup, Kristen Baxter, Althea Beaver,
James Bennett, Ray Birgenheier, Scott Brockway,
Jesse & August Bruya, Pat Campbell, Margaret Chastek,
Betsy Elliott, Cari Franklin, Riva Grant,
Caitlin Levernier Grave, Bob Hanson, René Heidt,
Jorgi Herron, Robert Hunton, Mike Keegan, Kathy Korth,
Tim Lakey, Mary Lenoue, Tracy Provinsal Liebhart,
Katherine Eagan May, Maureen McClarity,
The Nelson Family, Greg Renner, Beau Richardson,
Jason Rocks, Erika Schearman, Mark Schubert,
Dan Sheldon, Karen Stahl, Joel Stavana, Craig Stucky,
Ashley Sutch, Shelley Szambelan, Eley Vann,
Wilson Webb.

*If you would like to add a name to the prayer list or request a
Mass intention, please contact the parish office.*



Catholic Men's Fellowship Motorcycle Ride

The annual Catholic Men's Motorcycle Ride will take place August 15–21, 2026. Led by Rev. Matthew Nicks, this weeklong experience invites Catholic men to deepen their faith while enjoying the camaraderie and freedom of motorcycle touring.

Each day begins with Holy Mass, grounding the journey in prayer and fellowship, followed by full days of riding, shared meals, and time for reflection and conversation.

The ride is designed to foster brotherhood, spiritual renewal, and meaningful connections among men of faith, whether seasoned riders or those newer to long-distance touring.

This year's destination is South Dakota, where participants will explore the scenic beauty of the Black Hills and Badlands, including winding mountain roads, wide open landscapes, and notable landmarks along the way. Evenings provide opportunities for rest, fellowship, and faith sharing after a day on the road.

The Men's Fellowship Motorcycle Ride is more than a trip—it is a pilgrimage on wheels, offering a unique blend of prayer, adventure, and fraternity.

Additional details regarding registration, accommodations, costs, and ride requirements will be shared as the event approaches.

For more information: catholicmenmotorcycling@outlook.com



***Blessed is the
Nation Whose God
is the Lord***

~ Independence Day Prayer ~

We thank you, Lord, for the gift of freedom and independence that we celebrate today. We remember those who sacrificed for our liberty and pray that we may always cherish and protect it.



Kelly Hughes - Country Grit, Rock Roots, and Faith-Fueled Journey

IHRC, Friday, July 31, 5:30PM - 9PM

Whether he's tearing through a gritty rock riff, crooning a heartfelt country ballad, or sharing a story from the road, Kelly's performances are anchored in authenticity, shaped by experience, and guided by faith. Everything he does, he does to honor God and the gift he's been given.

This is a concert and a fundraiser benefitting Immaculate Heart Retreat Center. The cost is \$50 per person and you must be 21 or over. Includes full BBQ dinner and one drink ticket. No host wine and beer also available.

The Organ Music in Today's Liturgy

Here is the information about the organ music for the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 5, 2026

[Jesus said,] "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest..."

This scripture, taken from today's Gospel, finds a complementary musical expression in today's prelude. In this piece, simply titled *Préambule*, French organist Louis Vierne (1870-1937) has given us slowly unfolding, gentle, and calm melodic gestures with warm and subtly poignant harmonies that reach a restful stasis in the final cadence.

*America! America! May God thy gold refine
Till all success be nobleness, and every gain divine!*

Composer Matthew Corl has written an organ piece based upon this hymn, titled *Fanfare on "America the Beautiful."* He begins by introducing and developing a musical theme that eventually gets paired with the hymn tune in the majestic conclusion. For more information, please ask our music director Heather Fuller-Johnson, or our organist Joseph Schubert.



Did you know that in the Catholic Church, each of the 12 months of the year has a devotional theme?

July is the month we honor the Precious Blood of Jesus. Falling right between June's devotion to the Sacred Heart and August's devotion to the Immaculate Heart, July is an ideal time to connect our devotion to Jesus and Mary into deeper gratitude for the bond they share as well as to heighten our connection to the blood of the Lamb of God.



Simplify Your Giving with Online Donations

We invite parishioners to consider making one-time or recurring gifts through our parish website. No more weekly envelopes or mailing in special donations—online giving allows you to contribute at any time using your email and a checking account or credit card. Online giving is simple, secure, and convenient.

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Thank you for your continued generosity and for considering the ease of online giving.

And a special thank-you to all our parishioners who are already using this option to support the mission of St. Augustine Parish!

STEWARDSHIP

Please note that an End-of-Year Financial Report, covering July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026 will be published later this summer following the Finance Council's review of the year-end financial statements.

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