ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
NOVEMBER 22, 2026
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



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 OF CHILDREN:
Through Baptism, we become members of the Church, the family of God, and are born to new life in Christ. Parents wishing to have a child under the age of seven baptized should contact the parish office to begin the preparation process.

HOLY MATRIMONY:
Couples wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Augustine should contact the parish office at least four months before their proposed wedding date to begin the marriage preparation process.

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, November 21
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mass 4:30 PM †John & †Lillian Muzatko

Sunday, November 22
Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
Mass 9 AM †Anthony Aiello
Mass 11 AM *Pro Populo*

Monday, November 23
Mass 8:15 AM †Dee Servoss

Tuesday, November 24
NO MASS

Wednesday, November 25
Grandparents' Mass with Cataldo Students & Faculty
Mass 9:00 AM †Martin Howser

Thursday, November 26
Thanksgiving Day
Mass 9:00 AM

Friday, November 27
Mass 8:15 AM Deceased priests of the diocese



Please Keep the Following in Your Prayers

Janie Alsup, Kristen Baxter, Althea Beaver, James Bennett, Scott Brockway, Jesse & August Bruya, Pat Campbell, Margaret Chastek, Betsy Elliott, Cari Franklin, Riva Grant, Caitlin Levernier Grave, Bob Hanson, René Heidt, Jorgi Herron, Travis Holm, Robert Hunton, Mike Keegan, Mary Lenoue, Tracy Provinsal Liebhart, Ruth Marchetti, Katherine Eagan May, Maureen McClarity, The Nelson Family, Greg Renner, Beau Richardson, Jason Rocks, Erika Schearman, Teri 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.



There will be **no Mass** on Tuesday, November 24.

Wednesday, November 25, the regular morning Mass is replaced by the **Grandparents Mass** which will be held at 9 AM with the students of Cataldo.

The **Thanksgiving Day Mass** will be celebrated at 9AM on Thursday, November 26.

On Tuesday, December 8, the **Feast of the Immaculate Conception**, a holy day of obligation, will be observed at 9 AM with the students of Cataldo, and at 5:30 PM.



End-of-Year Giving
Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs)

A Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) is a direct transfer from your IRA to an eligible charity, such as St. Augustine Parish. If certain requirements are met, a QCD can count toward your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) while keeping the donated amount out of your taxable income.

Consider making your year-end gift to the parish through a QCD! Contact your financial planner or tax advisor to learn more. Thank you for your generosity!





Help a Fellow Parishioner Get to Mass!

Do you have a little extra room in your car and would be willing to occasionally give a fellow parishioner a ride to Mass? This simple act of kindness can make a meaningful difference in someone's ability to participate in our parish community. If you are willing to help, please contact the parish office. Thank you for sharing your time and generosity!

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🎄 The Tree of Sharing Is Back!

Let the Christmas Giving Begin! 🎄

'Tis the season for giving, and our beloved **Tree of Sharing** is making its return! Beginning Thanksgiving weekend, our vestibule Christmas tree will be adorned with gift-request tags from children at Roosevelt and Wilson Schools who could use a little extra Christmas joy.

Here's how you can share the magic of Christmas:

- Choose a tag from the tree.
- Purchase a gift for the child listed.
- Return your **wrapped gift with the tag securely attached** by **Wednesday, December 16, at 10 AM.**

Our gifts will be delivered to the schools shortly thereafter, bringing smiles and Christmas cheer to children and their families.

Let's fill the tree, spread some joy, and make this Christmas a little brighter for children in our community! Thank you for sharing your generous hearts and helping make the season magical! ❤️🎁



The Organ Music in Today's Liturgy

Today's prelude—Fugue in D major, BWV 589 *(Alla Breve)* by J. S. Bach (1685-1750)—is meant to express the awe and majesty underpinning the theology of today's Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. As the piece slowly unfolds, it gathers strength and grandeur, working towards its climactic conclusion, much like the liturgical year. The postlude features the hymn, *Nun danket alle Gott* (Now Thank We All Our God), which is rendered gloriously by Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877-1933). For more information, please ask our music director, Heather Fuller-Johnson, or our organist, Joseph Schubert.

Annual CATHOLIC APPEAL 2026
Diocese of Spokane

A HEART THAT NEVER FAILS

Thank you to all of you who have so generously given to the Annual Catholic Appeal. We have received contributions of **$71,003 (70%)** toward our parish goal of **$101,784**. For those who haven't yet pledged, please join your fellow parishioners in meeting our goal. Your gift supports the ministry of Bishop Daly and the important work being done in the Diocese of Spokane. Remember, contributions made in excess of our goal are returned to the parish as a rebate.

~ Blessing for Married Couples ~

On the final Sunday of each month, we honor couples celebrating a wedding anniversary during that month.

If you are marking an anniversary and would like to receive a special blessing, **please contact the parish office and let us know which Mass you will attend that weekend.** We will include your names in the announcements so that Fr. Nicks can invite you forward for the anniversary blessing.

STEWARDSHIP

November 15, 2026

Offertory:	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
This Week:	$7,953	$8,846	-$893
Month to Date:	$26,994	$26,538	$456
Fiscal Year to Date:	$158,203	$176,923	-$18,720

* Note: Previous budget figures included only projected envelope and online donations, while actual donation totals also included cash donations. We corrected this discrepancy, resulting in an increase in the budget figures to include projected cash donations as well.

Poor: $219
Month to Date: $1,359
Fiscal Year to Date: $6,290

Guatemala Mission: $50
Month to Date: $200
Fiscal Year to Date: $1,590

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