

## OSt. Mary of the Assumption

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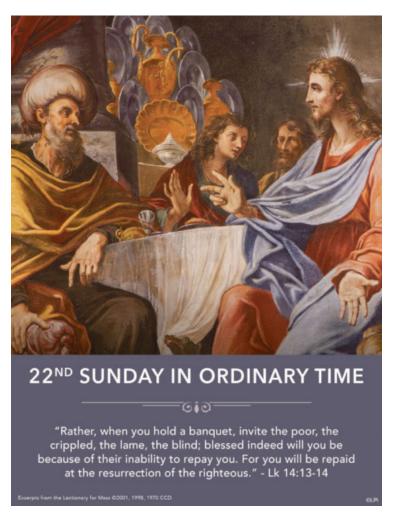
Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 p.m. Sunday Mass 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Holy Days of Obligation TBD

**Weekday Mass** 

Monday at St. Augustine's ~ 8:30 am
Tuesday at St. Mary's ~ 7:45 am
Wednesday & Friday at St. Augustine's ~ 8:30 am
Thursday at St. Augustine's ~ 12:00 pm
First Saturday of each month at St. Mary's ~7:45 am
St. Mary's open for Private Prayer
from 7 –11 am (M-F)

St. Mary's Livestreams 4:00 p.m. Saturday. To view, visit stmaryswaterford.org and click on the link "Watch St. Mary's Online"



### Sacrament of the Sick

In case of emergency, at any time. Whenever someone is seriously ill, in the hospital or homebound, please notify the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Bride and groom must meet with the pastor at least one year before date, be registered parishioners and must present a recent baptismal certificate.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 3:00-3:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism
Third Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m.
and after preparation with Mrs. Webster.
Contact Mrs. Webster at 518-237-3131 ext. 23

### "One in Mind and Heart, Intent Ulpon God" ~ St. Augustine



### **MASS INTENTIONS**

August 28, 2022

### **MONDAY, AUGUST 29**

Joseph H & Anna Wells Dr. Anne Marie Wells

### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 30**

7:45 AM Carol Gonzales Oliver Family

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31

7:45 AM Communion Service

### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

4 PM Salvatore & Rosemarie Ponzo Family
Joseph J. Kocienski Bianca Razzano & Family
Marilyn Galarneau Husband & Family
Mary Rose & Paul Willette Betty & Jim Ziegler

### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

8 AM Wolf & Matthews Families Neilson Family
Josephine Rivet Ken Perrier
Eugene Dooley St. Vincent de Paul
Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

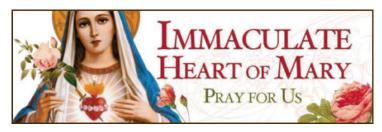
10:30 Beverly Bissell Bissell Family
Walter Kippen Oliver Family
Vera Wein (10th Ann.) Wein, Jubic & Chevalier
Families

We are grateful to all the families of St. Mary's who continue to support the parish through their sacrificial giving. Your generosity is much appreciated!

 July 31, 2022
 \$ 5096.

 Peter's Pence
 \$ 1134.

SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER
BREAD	SANCTUARY	MOTHER OF GOOD
	CANDLE	COUNSEL
In Memory of JOHN REO	In Memory of BOB MANONI	In Memory of
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In Memory of	MAKIA	Given by
JOHN SWAINE	In Memory of	PASTOR & STAFF
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	Given by GERRY & PHIL	
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### Calendar of Events & Observances

8/28 Feast of St. Augustine
Catholic Home Missions Appeal
9/3 St. Gregory the Great

9/4 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9/5 Labor Day ~ Office Closed

9/7 First Day of School ~ St. Mary's School

9/8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

### St. Mary's Altar Society will be sponsoring a RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

again this fall on Thursday, Oct. 6, 2022 1-6 p.m.

Parish Hall at Division & 6th Streets, Waterford
To schedule an appointment, please call
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### **REMINDERS:**

### Offertory Procession

If you have a mass intention for a weekend mass and would like to bring up the gifts during the offertory, please see Ken Perrier to make those arrangements.

### **Bread/Wine/Candle Memorials**

There are still Memorials available for 2023. If you would like to remember a loved one by offering one of these memorials, please call the parish office at 518-237-3131.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry is in need of the following items: Strawberry Jam

Laundry Detergent

Thank you, in advance, for your assistance!



### St. Augustine of Hippo Feast Day- August 28th

On Sunday, August 28th, we celebrate the Solemnity of Saint Augustine, one of the great founders of monasticism in the Western Church, bishop, theologian, preacher, writer and doctor of the Church.

None of these titles, though accurate, would please

him, however, as much as the simple one he used to describe himself: 'servant of God'.

This famous son of St. Monica was born in Africa and spent many years of his life in wicked living and in false beliefs. Though he was one of the most intelligent men who ever lived and though he had



been brought up a Christian, his sins of impurity and his pride darkened his mind so much, that he could not see or understand the Divine Truth anymore. Through the prayers of his holy mother and the marvelous preaching of St. Ambrose, Augustine finally became convinced that Christianity was the one true religion.

He was baptized, and later ordained a priest in Hippo in 391. Augustine became bishop of that See in 397 and is well known as a Catholic writer, Founder of religious priests, and one of the greatest saints that ever lived. He became very devout and charitable, too. On the wall of his room he had the following sentence written in large letters: "Here we do not speak evil of anyone." St. Augustine overcame strong heresies, practiced great poverty and supported the poor, preached very often and prayed with great fervor right up until his death.

He died on August 28, 430 at almost 76 years of age. His remains were taken to Sardinia and later to Pavia, Italy, where they are now preserved in the Basilica of San Pietro in Ciel d'Oro.

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# The measure of love is to love without measure.

### **Augustinian Seculars to Re-convene**

Augustinian Seculars are lay men and women who share in the Augustinian charism: striving to live of one mind and one heart, intent upon God. While living and working within the community, Augustinian Seculars meet regularly to pray and study St. Augustine's teachings, the traditions of the Order, and the Gospel of Jesus.

For many years, our local chapter was very active. We went on hiatus during the COVID-19 pandemic. We are happy to announce that on the Feast of St. Augustine (Sunday, August 28) at the 10:30 AM Mass at St. Augustine's, we will reconvene!



Following the Mass, we will meet for a potluck brunch, pray, and discuss plans for future activities. **New Members are welcome!** 

Please consult Anne Marie LaVallee, Gerry Carlo, or Father Liam (518) 237-3131 ext. 18 for details.



**Religious Education Classes for Grades 1 - 10** begins **September 25th**. Please get your children's registra-

tions in as soon as possible for materials to be ordered.

For the Sacrament of Confirmation, a young person should be in the program for two years, for the 9th and 10th grade. Please contact Mrs. Debbie Webster, the Director/Coordinator of this program, with any questions.

**Registration Applications** are being emailed to all families registered in the program in 2021 - 2022. We welcome all new families and they may contact Mrs. Webster for an application to be sent, picked up, or emailed. Registration forms are also available on both parish websites.

Mrs. Debbie Webster 518-237-3131 ext. 23

Please pray for all the sick and suffering and for anyone close to death; for those troubled in body, mind, or heart, and for their care givers in a special way: Carol Travis, Anna Papperman, Alexa Papperman, Marcia Trombly, Connie Laviolette, Muriel Smith, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Robert R. White, Judith M Hervieux, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Brady Sullivan, Michael Clune, Ginny Grigoliet, Randy Morley, Bianca Razzano, Nicholas Muscatiello, John Neilson, Joe Cotrofeld, Cindy Vandiver, Maya Charles-Rivera, Loretta Fredricks, and Father Joseph Getz O.S.A.

Please help us keep our list up to date, and call the office (518.237.3131) with any changes.



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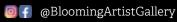
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