



St. Augustine Church

16777 St. Augustine Church Road
Reed, Kentucky 42451

28th Sunday of Ordinary Time: October 9, 2016

Welcome to St. Augustine!!!

Parish Website: www.staugustinereed.org



We want to welcome our visitors and new parishioners! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Jegin. If you have not registered, we ask that you fill out a form from the back of church and mail or place it in the collection basket.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Please send your bulletin announcements to Stacy Cain by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday.
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Ministries for 10/16

Servers: Claire Boeglin, Zachary Peerman
Lectors: Rob Mitchell
Eucharistic Min: Ben Blaire, Christa Hundley
Gifts: Larry Schwartz Family

Ushers: Hershel Smith, Steve Byrne

Mass Intention 10/16

Sunday 8:00 a.m. Sarah Eades

Church Cleaner: Shelley Payne 10/9 – 10/22
Angela Peerman 10/23 – 11/5

Please Keep in Your Prayers:

Father Jegin
Mack Lacer
Paula Mayfield
Michele Alexander Johnson

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$1,221.15

Regular: \$3,458.50
Maintenance \$125.00
St. Vincent DePaul \$1,000.00

BIRTHDAY'S FOR THIS WEEK:

ANNIVERSARIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Announcements

Reverse Raffle Meeting on Tuesday, October 18, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. to discuss the recent Reverse Raffle event and to make plans for next years' event. All are encouraged to attend to insure future success.

Shopping/Bus Trip - Only 10 seats remaining! We are leaving from St. Peter's parking lot Saturday, November 12, 2016, at 7:00 a.m. for a fun, prize filled shopping trip to the Outlet Shoppes of the Bluegrass in Simpsonville, Kentucky. We will return approximately 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$45.00 per person. Call **NOW** to reserve your spot. Contact Sally Moss 270-993-7944 or Angie Morris 270-316-6761.

Meals for Father - Anyone who would like to take a meal to Fr. Jegin needs to contact Edie McKay to coordinate the date. Father cannot have raw vegetables.

St. Peter will **not** have regularly scheduled Mass on Saturday, October 15, 2016, due to a wedding.

In This Year of Mercy Give Generously to the Disciples Response Fund: As you know, we are implementing a new way to increase support of the Disciples Response Fund and to assist our parish by returning to us 50% of all funds raised over our target goal of \$2,332.37. Support of the work of our Diocese is important. There are many things that even the largest parishes cannot do on their own. For example, the Disciples Response Fund puts money into an endowment for the care of retired priests. Also, the fund assists with the expenses for the education of our seminarians. Pope Francis has designated 2016 as a "Year of Mercy". He instructs us to open our hearts. The Diocese helps to make God's mercy present throughout Western Kentucky. If you received a letter from Bishop Medley asking for your support of the Disciples Response Fund, please make a generous gift today.

Local Confession Schedules

St. Stephen	Saturday	9:30am-11:30am
St. Mary Magdalene	Saturday	2:30pm
Precious Blood	Saturday	3:30pm

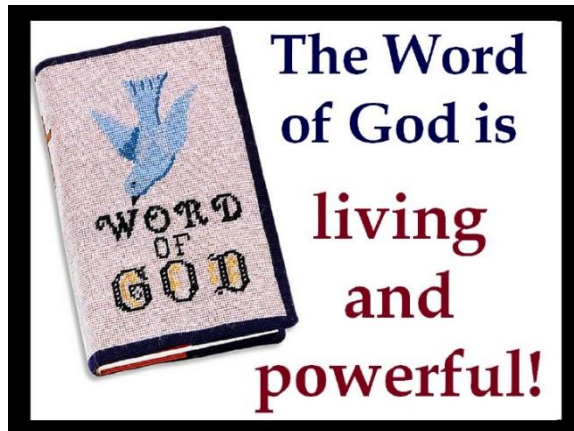
Year of Divine Mercy: The Door of Mercy was opened at St. Stephen's Cathedral and will remain open until November 13, 2016. Anyone who walks through the Holy Doors of a designated Holy Year of Mercy site can obtain a Plenary Indulgence, if they are in the state of grace when they pass through the Doors. To be in the state of grace, go to Confession within 8 days before or after going through the Holy Doors.

Church Cleaners: Cleaning the Church is an act of your love and gratitude to God for our Church. If for some reason you are unable to clean when it is your turn, please contact Herschel Smith (270) 302-0601 and for a fee of \$30.00 he will clean for your two weeks. If you are physically unable to clean, please contact Herschel so other arrangements can be made.

October 9, 2016
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 17:11-19

“Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?”

Would we have been the one who returned to thank Jesus? Or would we have been one of the nine? Gratitude begins with the awareness that someone has done something for us. In order to be grateful to God we must be aware that God is the source of all that we are and have. Our response to God is gratitude. And we can best express our gratitude to God by accepting, developing and using all that He gave us to the best of our ability for ourselves and for others. Note that the one who comes back to thank Jesus is a Samaritan, not a Jew. He recognized that Jesus, a Jew, had done a great thing for him. Many people who are imitating Jesus do great things for us; our parents, family, friends, teachers, priest, deacons and other members of our faith community. We may not be able to repay them, but we can say “Thank you!” In thanking them we are thanking God for sending them to us. Gratitude is an important part of being a good steward. It is the beginning of generosity.



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**Sacrament of Baptism:** *The Sacrament of Baptism for infants is administered upon request. Parents and Godparents must attend an evening class on Baptism in the Catholic Church. Please contact the pastor and set up an appointment for this class at least a month in advance. At least one parent must be a practicing Catholic for their child to be baptized in the Catholic Church. Godparents must be at least 16 years of age and at least one must be a practicing Catholic.*

**Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:** *The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated upon request, and at least four times a year at all the weekend Masses. Please notify the pastor or call the parish office if you know of anyone who might need this sacrament, but may not be able to notify the pastor personally. Please inform the pastor if you or any one in your family is in the hospital. If you notify us before surgery, we can celebrate this sacrament before you are admitted to the hospital. If your doctor is willing, we can also have a blessing for him/her at the time of your anointing.*

**Sacraments to the Home Bound:** *Please inform the pastor if you know of anyone who is homebound so that we can insure that they are afforded ample opportunities to receive the Sacraments. We would rather be notified by several people than to not be notified at all, so please don't presume that someone else has already notified us.*

**Sacrament of Marriage:** *A couple wishing to marry must contact the priest at least six months prior to the desired wedding date. According to the guidelines of our diocese, you should not make absolute plans for a specific wedding date until after meeting with the priest. The couple will be required to attend a marriage preparation course which will include at least one formal program such as an Engaged Encounter Weekend or the Sponsor Couple Program.*  
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