

St. Augustine Church

16777 St. Augustine Church Rd, Reed, KY 42451

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time: November 11, 2012



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Academic Congratulations!

Congratulations to OCHS senior Eric Johnson, son of Paul & Jane Johnson, for being named a Commended Student in the 2013 National Merit Scholarship Program. Eric placed in the top 5% of more than 1.5 million students who entered by taking the PSAT. Great job, Eric!

Raffle Tickets

The OCHS Junior Class is selling raffle tickets for a deluxe 2-night vacation cabin getaway at Pigeon Forge, TN. The drawing is Nov. 16th and the proceeds will offset the costs of the school prom. Tickets are \$5. Contact the school or Emily Mitchell at (270) 860-6735 for tickets or more details.

Welcome to St. Augustine!

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

Special Thanks

St. Augustine Church Cemetery has received some growing room thanks to Leo Murphy who recently purchased, then donated to our parish, 2+ acres of land behind our barbecue pits. Now we have space for expansion for many generations to come. Thanks for your generosity, Leo!

St. Stephen Cathedral

Bishop William Francis Medley invites us all to the Dedication of the Altar and Blessing of the Renovated Cathedral on Sunday, Nov. 18th, at 3 p.m.

Reception to follow in the Owensboro Sportscenter.

Thanksgiving Food Boxes

We are collecting nonperishable foods for the needy in our community. Place your donated items in the baskets at the back of church.

Bulletin Announcements

Please send your bulletin announcements to Tracy Miller as early in the week as possible.

Gospel Reflection
For the weekend of November 10/11, 2012

“But she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood.” Mark 12:38-44

Jesus points out to his disciples the poor widow who has just dropped two simple copper coins into the temple treasury. He then delivers a teaching on stewardship. Despite her poverty, the poor widow in today’s Gospel does not refuse God her generosity. Out of her desperately impoverished life she contributes to an earthly institution to give God glory and praise. It is not the monetary value of the gift that was important, but the love, trust and gratitude expressed through the gift. The Gospel asks us similarly compelling stewardship questions: What do we value? In what or whom do we place our trust? How do our own contributions to our community of faith reflect our generosity toward God?

Prayer for Veterans

O Lord, today we thank You for our veterans, for their willingness to risk all so that our nation might dwell in peace and safety. May they find the honor and recognition they truly deserve. We pray that You will heal the physical, spiritual, and psychological wounds some of these veterans have suffered. Bring a lasting peace to those who mourn the loss of comrades. Help them to find Your love and mercy, so that they may cope with the actions they may have had to take while they served our country. Lift them from the cares and burdens of violence. Help them find comfort and solace in Your scripture passages during times of pain and despair. God, bless our veterans. Amen. - Unknown

4 Wheeler Raffle Dinner

Ticket sales	\$14,000.00
Other revenue	<u>1,535.00</u>
	15,535.00
Expenses	<u>6,492.25</u>
Net profit	<u>\$9,042.75</u>

Four-Wheeler Dinner Thank-You

We would like to thank everyone who worked or participated in the 4-wheeler dinner raffle. It was a fun and very successful evening of good food and fellowship that couldn’t have happened without everyone’s help. Great teamwork!

Joke of the Week

A man and a friend are playing golf one day at their local golf course. One of the guys is about to chip onto the green when he sees a long funeral procession on the road next to the course. He stops in mid-swing, takes off his golf cap, closes his eyes, and bows down in prayer.

His friend says: *“Wow, that is the most thoughtful and touching thing I have ever seen. You truly are a kind man.”*

The man then replies: *“Yeah, well, we were married 35 years.”*

Ministries for Nov. 17 & 18

Servers: 5:30pm Brendan Haire & Mason Jackson
8:00am Ellie & Sam Mitchell

Lectors: 5:30pm Gaylan Haire
8:00am Barbara Smith

Eucharistic Ministers:
5:30pm Dee Anna Booker & Branda Haire
8:00am Ben Blair & Christa Hundley

Gifts: 5:30pm Doug Evans Family
8:00am Larry Schwartz Family

Ushers: 5:30pm Dee Anna Booker & Gaylan Haire
8:00am Sonny & Linda Evans

Church Cleaner: Sherry Schwartz (Nov. 11-24)

New Photos on our Website

We now have our own parish website at www.staugustinereed.org which you can check for upcoming events, a ministry list, and a copy of our weekly bulletin. The recently added photos of our church and grounds are guaranteed to stir some pleasant memories!



**Please continue to pray
for the following:**

Stan Embrey, Fr. Jegin,
Dr. David Medley, Leo
Murphy, Boonie Ralph,
and Sherry Schwartz

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.

Happy Anniversary

Billy Joe & Philomena Bollinger 11/18
Jerry & Sheila Ralph 11/12

Happy Birthday

Billy Joe Bollinger 11/18
Dee Anna Booker 11/14
Angela Peerman 11/13
Trevor Raley 11/17

Weekly Schedule

November 11 – 18

Sunday

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am Mass—People of the Parish
6pm—RCIA Classes

Monday

No Mass

Tuesday

No Mass

Wednesday

No Mass

Thursday

No Mass

Parish Council meeting 6:30 pm

Friday

No Mass

Saturday

5:30pm Mass—Rita Schwartz

Sunday

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am Mass—Rose Mills
6pm—RCIA Classes

Sacraments to the Home-Bound

Please inform the pastor if you know of anyone who is home-bound, 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.

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Sat. 8am-3pm

A Family Tradition For 5 Generations

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 Marriage

A couple wishing to marry must contact the priest at least six months before 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 pastor. 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.