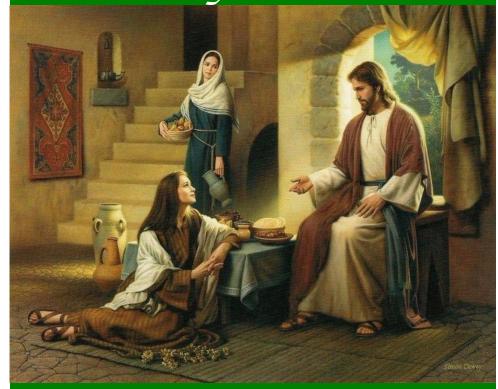
# Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 17, 2022



Jesus said. "You are worried and distracted by many things.
Only one thing is necessary." Luke 10:41-42

## Sunday's Liturgical Readings

English Blue Book: Page 618

First Reading- Genesis 18:1-10a

Second Reading-Colossians 1:24-28

Psalm 15:2-5

Gospel Reading- Luke 10: 38-42

Bilingual Book: Page 902

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday — 11-11:45am | 12:30-1 pm

Saturday — 3:45-4:45pm

Cairo Sundays 11:00-11:30am | 1:15-1:45pm

Or By Appointment- (229)226-3624



## Weekly Mass Schedule

Tuesday, July 19 @ 6pm

Wednesday, July 20 @ 9am

Thursday, July 21 @ 9am

Friday, July 22 @ Noon

Saturday, July 23 @ 5:00 pm

Sunday, July 24

English Mass @ 9:00 am

Spanish Mass @ 5:00 pm

#### St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

Thursday, July 14 @ 7 pm (Spanish)

#### Sunday, July 24

English Mass @ 11:30 am

Spanish Mass @ 2:00 pm

## Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, July 16

†John & Mary Ann McCudden

## Sunday, July 17

Prayers for Sister Carly Paula Arcella

## Sunday, July 17 St. Elizabeth

Prayers for the people of St. Augustine and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish and for those interred in the Columbarium

#### Parish Office Hours

Monday –Friday 9:00 am ~ 3:00 pm

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#### Parochial Administrator:

Father Godfred Boachie-Yiadom

Deacons

Rev. Mr. John Blaha Rev. Mr. David Wendel Rev. Mr. Miguel Gutierrez Mission Parish St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 1500 11th Ave NW Cairo GA 39828

## 16th Week in Ordinary Time, Year C

The story of Jesus in the home of Martha and Mary complements the story of the Good Samaritan, which immediately precedes it in Luke's Gospel. Both stories are unique to Luke. The story of the Samaritan opens with the words "a certain man." Today's reading opens with the words "a certain woman." The Samaritan is an example of how a disciple should see and act. Mary is an example of how a disciple should listen. Mary, a woman, is a marginalized person in society, like the Samaritan. Both do what is not expected of them. As a woman, Mary would be expected, like Martha, to prepare hospitality for a guest. Here again Jesus breaks with the social conventions of his time. Just as a Samaritan would not be a model for neighborliness, so a woman would not sit with the men around the feet of a teacher.

Both stories exemplify how a disciple is to fulfill the dual command which begins chapter 10—love of God (Mary) and love of neighbor (the Samaritan). These are the two essentials of life in the kingdom. By using the examples of a Samaritan and a woman, however, Jesus is saying something more. Social codes and boundaries were strict in Jesus' time. Yet to love God with all one's heart and one's neighbor requires breaking those rules. The Kingdom of God is a society without distinctions and boundaries between its members. It is a society that requires times for seeing and doing and also times for listening and learning at the feet of a teacher.

#### **Family Connection**

In our families and homes, we have boundaries. Some are geographical; we may have our own room or part of a room that we want others to stay out of. Parents may have home offices that are off-limits to children. Some boundaries are behavioral; children may speak one way to their friends, but they are not allowed to speak the same way to their parents or other adults. A Curfew is another type of boundary, whose purpose is to protect children's safety.

Talk about examples of boundaries in your family. For the most part, these boundaries are good. Talk about how sometimes we set up boundaries for the wrong reasons. For example, if we are angry with a sibling, we may draw a line and tell him or her to stay on his or her side. Explain that when we use boundaries to exclude others, we are being hurtful. Point out how in Jesus' time, some boundaries were used to unfairly exclude people. One example was from last week's Gospel: Samaritans. This Sunday's Gospel has another example: women. Talk about how the role of women has changed in your lifetime. Explain that in this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus breaks down a barrier that kept women from being disciples.

Read aloud Luke 10:38-42. Talk about how Martha is conditioned by the existing boundaries of her society, but how her sister, Mary, breaks through that boundary and becomes a disciple of Jesus. Talk about how you can work as a family to break down boundaries that separate people. Point out that when we pray the Lord's Prayer, we call God "Our Father," meaning that we are all his children; no boundaries should separate us. Conclude this time together by praying the Lord's Prayer.

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## Today's Second Collection:

Church In Africa

July 17

#### PREVIOUS WEEK'S OFFERINGS

	2022	2021
St. Augustine:	\$4,717	\$4,897
St Fliz Ann Seton:	\$450	<b>\$</b> 1 277



Come join the St. Augustine Celestial Choir (English) at 6:30 on Tuesday nights in the Sanctuary. We'd love to have you.

Sandy Ladner, Music Director



Interested in donating to our local food bank? Due 4th Sunday of Every Month July 24th Requests:

Canned or Dried Fruits, Birthday Kits for Children (Cake Mix, Icing, Sprinkles, Candles, Small Paper plates/napkins/balloons)





Mack Barrentine,	†Jerry Funk
Tom Ceccacci	Christopher Caldwe
Alicia Gorosin	Jamie Hurst
†Bill Klug	Jim Watts,
Linda Nuijten	†Rita Ragan
†Chloe Baso	†Dolores Williams
Phyllis Creager	Cayman Diaz
Karon Hales,	Eve Monsalvatge
†Paul Puskar,	David McClendon,
Mia Taylor	Tiann Taylor

**Becky Catlin** †Lisa Fuks Carina Juarez Todd Taylor †Jim Fayette Amanda Caldwell Bob Dupuy, †JoAnn Humphries Den Mirabzadeh Brian West

John Puskar †Katherine Chamberlin †Dennis Richard †Tom Alexander Louis Catlin Amanda Caldwell Chris Caldwell Marianne Ellis



## Welcome New Parishioner

You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest from God. We hope you will find a loving Christian community. We look forward to benefiting from your uniqueness. To register you can go to our website online, call the parish office, or sign and return a registration form located in the Narthex of the church.

Parish Building Fund

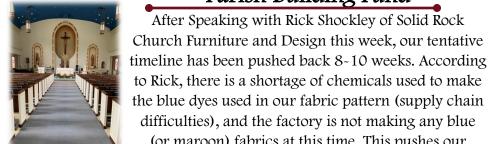
After Speaking with Rick Shockley of Solid Rock



Sacred Music Concert on July 23 6:00 PM in Albany, GA at St. Teresa Catholic Church

The ensemble is called "Concordi Laetitia" (The Joy of Harmony) it will last about an hour. They are a group of young professionals from Atlanta. They sing selections of traditional sacred liturgical music in beautiful polyphony. You can learn more about them and hear a bit of their music at www.concordi.org.

There is no cost to attend (a goodwill donation will be taken up) and we will have a reception following in the parish hall.



tentative start date back to October 1st. Total Cost of Projects: \$105,543.00 Collected: \$22,708

difficulties), and the factory is not making any blue

(or maroon) fabrics at this time. This pushes our

Visit our adoration room located across from the Parish Office. Dedicate a committed time of silent prayer and reflection with Jesus, truly present in the exposed Most Holy Eucharist. After a busy day at work, after a hectic time in your life, in times of trouble and distress, Christ is waiting for you to spend some time with Him and to calm your fear. Come and share your joy and rest your soul in answered prayer.



Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the Annual Catholic Appeal. St. Augustine parish target is **\$24, 578**. As of July 14, our total given is \$28, 809.60. We have 83 of our 184 families that have responded. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish target is **\$4,064** as of July 14, our total given is **\$4,289** .We have **23** of our **40** families that responded.



Blessing of the Backpacks sponsored by St. Augustine Youth Group. Sending our students back to school with a little extra protection. Fr. Godfred will provide the blessing after each Mass the weekend of August 6 /7.. All students are invited to participate, day care-college! The youth group has a special token for all who attend.



#### Picnic at the Pastoral Center on July 20th from 5:30-9:00pm

This event is for people around the diocese to come to our home base at the Catholic Pastoral Center in Savannah (2170 E Victory Drive) for an afternoon of music, food, fun and community! We are excited to invite people to our office and hope to see all of your smiling faces there!! For more information please visit diosav.org/picnic or call the parish office.

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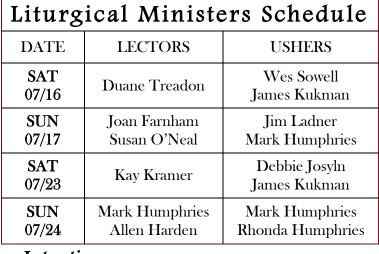
staugustmethomasville@gmail.com Requests due by Monday

Hospital Notifications - Please call the parish office and let us know if you or a direct family member is a patient in the hospital and would like to see a priest or receive the Eucharist. Due to HIPAA laws, stating you are a Catholic on the admittance form will not be given out to the parish. The office number is 229-226-3624. Thank you.

Abuse Hotline Number To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888.357.5330 or the Office for the Protection of Children & Young People at 912.201.4073/4.



#### Formed.org/signup



#### Mass Intentions

If you would like to have Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member/ friend, or a deceased loved one, call/visit the parish office. Encourage your family and friends to request Mass intentions.

## Sponsor Altar Flowers

If you would like to have flowers on the altar in memory of a loved one or in celebration of a special occasion, please call the parish office.

#### Social Hall

Remember if you would like to use the social hall to call the parish office.

Maria's House Cleaning & Sewing Services 229-516-3868

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Please join us for coffee & donuts after Sunday's 9am Mass!

#### Columbarium

Behind the education building in St. Augustine, Thomasville. It is a serene environment for our parish community, enlightened. Come and spend a quiet and prayerful time with family/friends to pray with faith and hope in the resurrection, while caring for our deceased loved ones. Persons interested in purchasing a reservation should contact the parish office.

Father's Homilies and Talks are now available on podcasts! https://anchor.fm/frgodfred

Shrine Shop is open!
If you have any questions, please call Kay
Kramer @229-224-7083.



Any Catholic male interested in joining the Knights of Colum-

bus can contact Wes Sowell, GK @ 200.7818 or visit kofc.org

