

Readings For Sunday, February 2, 2025

First Reading: Malachi 3:1-4 *Psalm: 24:7, 8, 9, 10*Second Reading: Hebrews 2:14-18

Gospel: *Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22-32*

Mass Schedule & Offerings

Monday, January 27

9:00 a.m. Mass ~ Adoration following Children of St. Augustine

(Religious Ed)

Tuesday, January 28

9:00 a.m. Mass ~ Adoration following †Chester & Helen Braciszewski (Terry Braciszewski)

Wednesday, January 29

9:00 a.m. Mass ~ All Day Adoration until 5 †Kathleen Achatz - Rose (Rebecca Achatz)

Thursday, January 30

9:00 a.m. Mass ~ 8:00 a.m. Adoration

†Karen Rea (Reann Hamilton)

The Presentation of the Lord

Saturday, February 1

3:30 p.m. Rosary ~ 4:00 p.m. Mass – Hillman †Bert LaFleche (Elaine Ableidinger)

Sunday, February 2

7:30 a.m. Rosary ~ 8:00 a.m. Mass – Hillman The People 9:30 a.m. Rosary ~ 10:00 a.m. Mass – Hillman

†Jack Furry (Rosann Furry)

Sunday, February 2nd @ 10am Mass

Join us for a

Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

To celebrate Candlemas, Feast of the Presentation!



Breakfast starts after 10am Mass; hosted by Religious Ed

Standing In Need of Prayer

Claudette Colombo, Kevin Struzik, Myles Richardson, Chris Mutz, Dominic Tillman, Eric Tillman, Bonnie Benac, Sam Vicari, Margaret Barton, Brenda Sabol, Iack Stevens, Mary Ann Ferasin, Diane Marchlewski, RaeLynn Burger, D.J. Normile, Justin Dahal, Walter & Patricia Plohocky, Caster Family, JanMarie, Jo Dusseau, Diamond Reese and baby, Sandy Dubie, Emerick Dubie, Kendra Sherman, Jennifer Dubie, Christoffer Simpson, Ruth Rabeau, Jasmine Mouseau, Peggy Lange, Dennis Pietrykowski, Grace Franzoni, Dawn & Jagger Franzoni, Robert, Mark, Ben & Sandy Cassisi, Janet Demeulenaere, Tammy (Nimf) Rygwelski, Rose (Davis) Standen, John Platevoet, Tina Montgomery, Kent Linesman, Pat Cronk, Quinn Mervick, Geno Franzoni, Stasia Hubert, John Schultz, Hailie Tondreau, Tammy Kelly, Scott VanPamel, Virgina Nash, Sophia Nash

Prayer Chain

Our prayer chain can be reached by calling or texting **Judy Elkie** ~ **989-590-8411.**

Prayers For Clergy & Religious

Sun: Rev. James Hayden
Mon: Santiago Hoyumpa
Tues: Rev. Gerard Hunko
Wed: Rev. Michael Janowski
Thurs: Rev. Christopher Jarvis
Fri: Rev. Liby Joy
Sat: Pope Francis

<u>Stewardship</u> Weekend of January 18th & 19th

St. Augustine

Envelopes (47) Online (7)		,981.00
Loose	\$	329.00
Building & Maintenance (1) Online (2)	\$	140.00
Deficit Reduction	\$	100.00
Mass Stipend	\$	200.00
Total	_	2,750.00
Cemetery	\$	15.00
Jesus the Good Shepherd		
Envelopes (9)	\$	350.00
Loose	\$	146.00
1st Offering	\$	25.00
Total	\$	521.00

Seeking God's Blessings:

God's blessing must be our objective, and the way to win it our study. Search the records of ancient times. Why was our father Abraham blessed? Was it not because his upright and straightforward conduct was inspired by faith? As for Isaac's faith, it was so strong that, assured of the outcome he willingly allowed himself to be offered in sacrifice. Jacob had the humility to leave his native land on account of his brother, and go and serve Laban. He was given the twelve tribes of Israel.

All he priests and Levites who served the altar of God were descended from Jacob. The manhood of the Lord Jesus derived from him. Through the tribe of Judah, kings, princes, and rulers sprang from him. Nor are his other tribes without their honor, for God promised Abraham: *Your descendants shall be as the stars of heaven*.

It is obvious, therefore, that none of these owed their honor and exaltation to themselves, or to their own labors, or to their deeds of virtue. No; they owed everything to God's will. So likewise, with us, who by his will are called in Christ Jesus. We are not justified by our wisdom, intelligence, piety or by any action of ours, however holy, but by faith, the one means by which God has justified men from the beginning. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The Creator and Lord of the Universe, by his supreme power set the heavens in their place; by his infinite wisdom he gave them their order. He separated the land from the waters surrounding it and made his own will its firm foundation. By his command he brought to life the beasts that roam the earth. He created the sea and all its living creatures, and then by his power set bounds to it. Finally, with his own holy and undefiled hands, he formed man, the highest and most intelligent of his creatures, the copy of his own image. Let us make man, God said, in our image and likeness. And God made man, male and female he made them. Then, when he had finished making all his creatures, God gave them his approval and blessing. Increase and multiply, he charged them.

We must recognize, therefore, that all upright men have been graced by good works, and that even the Lord himself took delight in the glory his works gave him. This should inspire us with a resolute determination to do his will and make us put our whole strength into the work of living a Christian life. *St. Clement I, pope.*

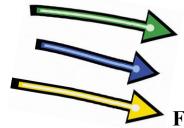
As we watch the good work on the Solanus chapel/Center let them inspire us to use our money/ time/talents in doing the creative work Christ would have us do. kvs

~ Friends of Father Solanus Meeting ~ Tuesday, January 28 10am in the Knights of Columbus room.

Faith Formation / Adult Classes

~ Every Wednesday ~ 5:30PM Free will donation meal 6PM – 7PM Classes

St. Augustine CCW continues to raise money to support the Options Pregnancy center Billboard on the corner of Veterans Memorial Hwy and M32 in Hillman. We were thrilled to hear last year that one young woman said our sign was a reason she chose life for her child instead of abortion. We don't know how many people the billboard has reached, but if it only saved on child, it was worth the fundraising. We come to the church communities as organizations or individuals: Checks can be made out to St. Augustine CCW. Mail to St. Augustine CCW – PO Box 216 or Friends of Father Solanus PO Box 379, Hillman, MI 49746



The Great Warning

Playing at the Sanctuary Cinima in Alpena!! 101 South 2nd Avenue, Alpena, MI 49707

February $7 - 11 \sim$ Times are to be determined

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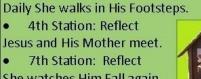
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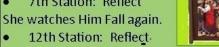
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Entrance: Prepare



Her son, Jesus dies on the cross. Meditation Place: Consider the Mother of God, now our Mother and Mother of the Church— Our gift to her—to love her Son and walk this Path with Her.



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Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the Month

> 6:00 p.m. Fraternal 7:00p.m. Business

The Four Main Principles of Our Order: Charity ~ Unity Fraternity ~ Patriotism

Knights of Columbus James Cronk Council #8041 Grand Knight: Dave Hornbacher 989-884-2119

In loving memory of our most

beloved grandson and husband, Cameron & Rich Lange. Pray for them & all family members called home by our Lord & for those of us left behind to grieve.



ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH C.C.W. Council of Catholic Women

SPIRITUAL ADVISOR OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNCSEL

We meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month to serve the Church & those in need! We welcome all women 18 and older who seek friendship, faith & charity for life! Child care provided as needed! Bake Sale 1st Sunday of each month for Foster Children!

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January 26, 2025

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

