

MOMENTS IN BLACK HISTORY



Mary Mahoney made history by becoming the first Black woman to complete nursing training in America in 1879. The Boston, Mass. native was born May 7, 1845. Mary Eliza Mahoney worked as a private-duty nurse at Boston's New England Hospital for Women and Children for many years ahead of her being admitted into the hospital's nursing program in 1878. To bolster her income, Mahoney also worked as a janitor and cook at the hospital. Of the women who entered the nursing program, Mahoney was one of just a handful to graduate. Mahoney worked for several decades as a private nurse for prominent Boston families as the perils of being a Black nurse and the rampant racism of the time were a dangerous mix. Mahoney was one of the first original members of the organization now known as the American Nurses Association (ANA), and she co-founded the National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses in 1908. In retirement, Mahoney became involved in the women's suffrage movement, and became one of the first women in Boston to become a registered voter. Mahoney passed in 1926 at the age of 80.

Religious Education:

Notify the parish office if you have a child to be baptized or if you, your spouse, family member, or friend wishes to be baptized in the Catholic Church. Preparation for First Communion normally begins in first grade and continues through second grade. Baptized children are required to attend PRE classes regularly so that they are intellectually and spiritually ready for First Communion.



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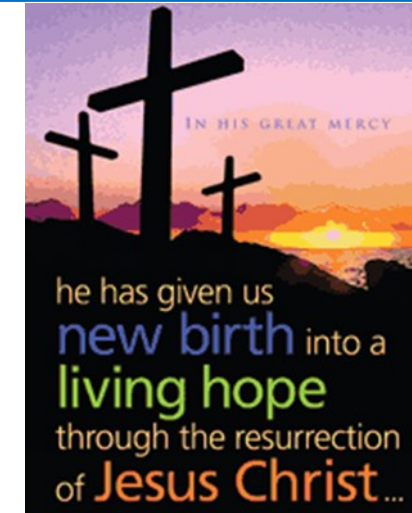
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St. Augustine Catholic Church

May 12, 2019 - 4th Sunday of Easter



Today we listen to the words of the Lord as he refers to himself as the "good shepherd who lays down his life for the sheep." It is sometimes so difficult for us to grasp the reality that anyone would lay down his or her own life for the sake of someone else. This is especially true in a society that places high value on power and personal advancement, often at the cost of "trampling" on other people in order to climb the ladder. Today's scriptures challenge us to discover ways to bring life to those around us—to build up rather than to tear down.

(Rev) Dr. Francis Chiawa, Pastor

Rev. Mr. Curtiss Talley, Deacon and Rev. Mr. Norman Alexander, Deacon

Sacrament of Reconciliation (confession) Before 4:00pm Mass on Saturday; Before 8:00am and 11:00am Mass on Sunday
Baptism, First Penance and Eucharist, Confirmation: Please contact the parish office at 774-2297.

Weddings: The parish welcomes all those who wish to be married in our Church, if at least one party of the couple is Catholic or intends to be Catholic. Contact the church office at least 6 months prior to the wedding to make arrangements.

Funerals: Contact **Mrs. Marilyn Coleman at 901-849-2808** as soon as possible after the death of a loved one. Please call the church office to give notification of hospitalization, confinement to a nursing home or facility for the aging.

Parish Mission Statement

We are predominantly African-American by birth and Catholic by choice. We are empowered to proclaim the Good News of Jesus through the Word, the Eucharist and service.

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MASS TIMES

Wednesday-12:00pm (Chapel)

Thursday-12:00pm (Chapel)

Friday-10:30am

1st Saturday of the month—9:00am (Chapel)

Saturday-4:00pm (vigil)

Sunday-8:00am & 11:00am

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Prayer List

Nursing Homes/Rehab Centers: Mr. Harold Adams Beamon (Christian Care Center, 6500 Kirby Gate Blvd., Memphis, TN 38119) Mrs. Geraldine Strickland (Memphis Jewish Home and Rehab) Mr. Floyd Shavers (Parkway Health & Rehab)

Ill at Home: Mrs. Audrey Allen, Mrs. Gloria Al-sandor, Mr. Ronald Bailey, Mrs. Annie Beck, Mr. Gerald Bond, Mrs. Yvonne Lomax Bradford, Mr. Eugene Brassell, Mr. Robert Crowley, Ms. Charl Golden, Ms. Bernice Hayes, Mr. Darrell Hollimon, Mrs. Ernestine Hollimon, Mr. Maurice Hooker, Sr., Mr. Marvin Housley, Sr., Mr. Vittorio Katoe, Mrs. Daisy London, Mrs. Grace Milburn, Mrs. Maurice McDonald, Mrs. Sandra McGhee, Mrs. Florine McMillan, Mrs. Hattie Moore, Mr. Paul Moore, Ms. Regina Moore, Mr. Raymond Moore, Jr., Mr. Raymond Moore, Sr., Mrs. Kathleen Reynolds, Mrs. Theresa Varnado, Mr. Ben Wells, Mr. Eric Wells, Mr. Joe L. White, Mrs. Geraldine Whitthorne, Dr. Joyce Young, Dr. Joseph Young and Mr. Sullivan Young

May Their Souls Rest in Peace

May 12-18

Laurence Roulhac 1938; Callie Nance 1947; Emma A. Pickett 1956; Lula Mosley 1958; Harold Harris 1962; Jorald A. Young 1970; Thomas A. McJunkins, II 1965; Cheryl Watts 1976; Betterine Powell 1985; Eloise Casem 1996; Hattie Smith 2002; Lovie Puryear 2003; Arthur E. Horne, Sr., Phyllis A. Jones 2009; Ernestine D. Adams 2013; Anthony Clark, SVD 2016; Martha Horne 2018

ST. AUGUSTINE NEWS

Beautiful Women in Beautiful Hats - The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary thank you for your presence and support of the *Annual Spring Mother's Day Breakfast*. A good time was had by all. We also thank all the participants on the program, the Junior Daughters, and most importantly, the Men of St. Augustine. They are always there for us and the entire parish. Congratulations to Dorothy Exum for receiving the *Service Award from the court*, and to Cynthia Cain-Miller for receiving the *Service Award* for the parish. Both were very deserving. The "Hat Parade" was a big hit and so was the "BINGO". Thanks to the planning committee and all members of KPC Ladies Auxiliary.

"2019 - YEAR OF THE WOMAN" BOOKLETS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED THIS WEEKEND FOR ALL WHO PURCHASED ADS. THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION AND SUPPORT OF THIS PROJECT.

Sunday Readings May 12, 2019

Acts 13:14, 43-52
Revelation 7:9, 14b-17
John 10:27-30

Sunday Readings May 19, 2019

Acts 14:21-27
Revelation 21:1-5a
John 13:31-33a, 34-35

NEWS YOU CAN USE



Volunteer Opportunities:

NEW: Teen Advisory Board to promote leadership and philanthropy among local youth. Applications are open to rising sophomores, juniors and seniors at any local high school or home school. Applications are due by the end of August and can be downloaded from the volunteer tab on our website <https://www.ccwn.org/volunteer/>

Ongoing:

- Food Pantry: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday.
- Clothing Closet: 9 a.m. to 12 noon with special sorting hours from 12 noon to 2 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Upcoming:

2019 Volunteer Saturdays: 9 a.m. to 12 noon
July 20, 2019
October 5, 2019
December 14, 2019

Interested Volunteers contact: Mandy Lamey, Volunteer Coordinator (901)722.4758 mandy.lamey@acc.cdom.org
THANK YOU for keeping us in God's business. For more information about us visit our website <https://www.ccwn.org/>

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

*May God continue to bless your life
and give you the desires of your heart.*



India Canyon, Ashley Randolph (5/12) Aja Canyon, Phaith Harris, Patricia Lacey, Kylon Wagner, Barbara Wilhite (5/13) Willie Cummings (5/14) Peter Montgomery (5/15) Dorsey Franklin, Jonathan Jones, Jr., Pamela McDaniel (5/16) Celia Moore, Jaylen States (5/17) Eula Brooks, Martha Ezell, Jo Ann Franklin (5/18)