

St. Augustine & St. Edward Catholic Parishes **(Austin, MN)**

Your Information

- **Consultation Date**
 - 5/29/18; approval 7/25/18
- **Timeline**
 - 3-4 months okay
 - St. Augustine restoration project to finish Oct. 7th.
 - Prefer to be live by end of Sept.
- **Organization Name**
(Full name as you would like it to officially appear.)
 - St. Augustine & St. Edward Catholic Parishes
- **For churches, when specifically referencing your name what do you prefer to go by?**
 - "Parish"
 - Okay to say church individually for each, though.
- **Organization Information**
 - Phone Number (Primary)
 - (507) 437-4537
 - Physical Address
 - **St. Augustine Catholic Church**
405 4th Street NW
Austin, MN 55912
 - Postal Address (if different)
 - We use one address for both locations
 - Your Time Zone
 - Central (CST)
 - Additional Info
 - St Edward is listed as location of Church only, but our offices are headquartered at St. Augustine for both parishes.
 - **St. Augustine Catholic Church**
405 4th Street NW
Austin, MN 55912
(507) 437-4537
 - 1800's, larger
 - Office for both
 - **St. Edwards Catholic Church**
2000 Oakland Avenue W
Austin, MN 55912
(507) 433-1841
 - 1960's

- **Full Name of Pastor(s) and preferred salutation**

(example: Fr. Tom Smith; goes by Fr. Tom)

- **Fr. James Steffes**
 - "Fr. Steffes"
 - Pronounced "Stef iss"

- **Web Development Committee**

(Please list all members that will be present for the consultation and anyone else to be involved.)

- **Primary Contact(s)**
 - **Rebecca Gust**
 - Director of Catechesis
 - rgust.ae@gmail.com
 - (507) 437-4537
- **Secondary Members**
 - **Jaci Brennan**
 - Volunteer
 - tjbbrennan2@charter.net
 - (507) 279-4459
- **Additional Members**
 - **Jim Urlick**
 - Volunteer
 - jurlick@acosta.com
 - (507) 434-2382

- **New Website is for**

- **Parish only**
 - One installation, with shared info (e.g. Faith Formation, Ministries, etc.) will be the same for both.
 - Except Contact Us / location page(s) to be individualized.

- **Final Website Address**

- <https://www.staugustinedward.org/>

- **Current**

- **Church**
 - <http://www.staugustinedward.org/>
 - **Login**
 - WIX login link located in footer, or...
 - <http://editor.wix.com/html/editor/web/renderer/edit/ae195043-6c1f-425e-9370-0302b44af4dc?metaSiteId=ee24d9ec-64f6-4c4b-a936-9593a0ccbb78&editorSessionId=fff1c631-c8f9-4cf1-88fd-f6537640f183>
 - **Info**
 - u: sase@transfigured.com
 - sase10
 - p: SASE1867
- **School**
 - N/A

- **Please list all other website addresses we need to be aware of that are associated with your organization.**

- **Separate websites that need to be included in your new website development.**

- These are for any content needing to be included (migrated) to the new site.
(Examples include: sub-domains, mission churches, groups such as Knights of Columbus or Youth Ministry, etc.)
 - None
 - **Separate websites that are not to be migrated to the new website development, but referenced.**
 - These are okay to be showcased via a button or link only.
 - None
- **Are you part of a Cluster or Church Merger?**
 - Yes
 - **St. Augustine**
 - <http://www.staugustinedward.org/>
 - Austin, MN
 - **St. Edward**
 - <http://www.staugustinedward.org/>
 - Austin, MN

Domain and Email Management

- **Hosting (Required)**
 - All of our sites are hosted on a secure platform for only \$25 per month (billed annually at \$300 per year).
 - Yes
- **Email Setup and Management (Optional)**
 - TBD
 - Not provided in quote.
 - Already Gmail under staugustinedward.org domain according to MX Toolbox
(<https://mxtoolbox.com/SuperTool.aspx>)
 - Per client, though
 - “BUT, we want to keep them as they are with @gmail.com instead of changing to our long domain name.
For example, rgust.ae@gmail.com. Basically, we just want to upgrade to the business version.”
- **Domain Name (Optional)**
 - **Are you interested in a new website address (domain name)?**
(We offer free domain name registration.)
 - Parish: No
 - **Management of Website Domain Name (Optional)**
 - Yes, we would like Diocesan to manage our domain name.
 - <http://whois.domaintools.com/staugustinedward.org>
 - John Gust
 - Domain.com LLC
 - **Current Hosting Company Info**
 - Wix.com
- **Current Technical Support Contact**
 - Company or Individual
 - **Rebecca Gust**
 - Director of Catechesis
 - rgust.ae@gmail.com

- **John Gust**
 - Director of Ministry
 - jgust.ae@gmail.com
 - (507) 437-4537

Exclusive Communication Components Through Diocesan

- **Church Bulletin**
 - **Are you a Diocesan Bulletin subscriber?**
 - No, we use LPI
 - Organization Number: MNWIN133 (no Bulletin ID)
 - Outside of Diocesan's territory and deliverable range
 - **Bulletins Page**
 - N/A
- **Mobile Phone App**
 - **Are you a Diocesan "myParish App" subscriber?**
 - Yes
- **Church Management Software**
 - **Are you a Diocesan Publications "PDS Software" client (Parish Data Systems)?**
 - No, we currently use ParishSoft

Help Us Get to Know You

- **New Website Thoughts and Interests**
 - Why are you interested in a new website and what are you looking to accomplish with it?
 - Our website is too busy and complicated
 - We are looking to update it to be more attractive and more user friendly
 - What do you want to improve on your current website?
 - Cut down the amount of info on it
 - re-organize the data to make sense to the average user
 - make it easier to get to Mass times/events/contacts
 - create a new "brand" and consistent themes that we can use throughout our publications
 - (and that can be consistent between several users/employees)
 - make the website feel clean and simple and uplifting (too dark and busy currently)
 - we need a better web host as ours has been difficult to work with
 - Easier to update
 - Content, titles, headers
 - Make it "foolproof"
 - "Some of your sites are nicely designed"
 - What areas and/or categories are you expecting to **use** the most (from an administration side)?
 - Updating events/calendar
 - updating youth webpages
 - adding/changing photos from recent events

- What areas and/or categories are you expecting to be **viewed** the most (from the point of the user)?
 - Mass times
 - events/calendar
 - contact info
 - How to get involved
 - Faith Formation (registration forms)
 - Catholics Come Home
- Describe the identity of your organization (personality, purpose, etc.)?
 - A community focused on living and growing as disciples.
 - A large and energetic community that offers a welcoming, small town feel.
 - A place for beauty, peace, and faith.
- What is unique about your parish or organization?
 - see above
- What attracts an audience to you?
 - The presence of Christ is what attracts our members, the feeling of a parish family keeps them supported in coming
- Describe your audience... (demographics, etc.)
 - We have a full range of ages and stages in our parishes, but our web users are mostly age 18-34 (61%).
 - Approximate families:
 - 900 St. Augustine
 - 300 St. Edwards
- What is your focus and/or mission?
 - Our mission is the Catholic Church's mission, but specifically we are focusing as a parish and diocese on evangelization
 - Encounter, Accompany, Community, Mission
 - working to become evangelistic
- Do you have a tagline, and if so, what is it?
 - We don't. But we considered adding one - something like, "Encounter Christ with us"
 - Mission Statement
 - We are a Catholic Faith Community united as Disciples of Christ to build the Kingdom of God through prayer, worship, ministry and service.
- Content migration... how much and type of content to move to the new website?
(Please choose one; these are rough figures only.)
 - 30%
 - Most likely, will pare down to a minimum and start fresh.
 - We should discuss - not sure if we should cut down/organize our current site before you move it, or give guidelines for you to do as you move it, or what is best.
 - There's LOTS that is stored on our site that is trash.
 - Additional Content
 - Welcome
 - http://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/65b876_d1c7e41dd86d4d8dad702bd8a92a2f16.pdf
 - Restoration Project
 - <http://www.staugustinestedward.org/st-augustine-restoration-project->
- Diocesan Bulletin Salesperson
 - N/A
- How did you first hear about **Diocesan** (previously known as **Diocesan Publications** and **Trinity Publications**)?
 - We have the parish app, discovered the company during that selection process

Thoughts for Website Design and Layout

- **Design**
 - **Are you interested in a new logo?**
 - Yes
 - “Change the whole look... (emblem, colors, etc.)”
 - “Generic, Christian, Catholic symbols that feel like.”
 - **Logo and/or Organization Branding (Colors)**
 - Current Colors
 - Burgundy
 - Gold
 - New Colors
 - Something lighter, more calming and clean
 - blues, greens, greys, a tasteful use of white?
 - We like the St Mark’s, CO website as an example
 - we are Minnesotans, so natural, rich, earthy tones appeal to us... :)
- **Other Websites and Ideas**

(Please view our gallery at www.diocesan.com/web/website-design or list any others you like.)

 - We really like the following:
 - **St. Mark Catholic Church (Highlands Ranch, CO)**
 - <https://stmarkhr.org/>
 - We like this site overall, can we copy it?
 - Color feel, the cleanliness, layout of info on main page (although we would reverse Mass Times and Bulletin placements) and also organization of info under menu, etc...
 - Really like the font choices
 - Designer... be sure to use all Google fonts for client to download and use internally for business collateral and bulletin
 - **St. Paul University Catholic Center (Madison, WI)**
 - <https://uwcatholic.org/>
 - We just like the pinstriping/shadowing that makes the images feel like part of the page, not just stuck there randomly
 - Client likes text/image overlay on slider
 - <https://builtwith.com/?https%3a%2f%2fuwcatholic.org%2f>
- Additional thoughts and dialogue will take place between our web designer and your organization during the next stage of the project, the Design Phase.

Thoughts for Development and Communication Components

- **Current News, Information and Events**
 - **News and Events Area**
 - Just one “News and Events” category is all we need - again, we like the St Mark’s CO website
 - **Homilies**

- “Dear sisters and brothers in Christ” (from Bulletin and already on current site)
 - Text format
 - <http://www.staugustinedward.org/blog>
- **Automated Content**
(Your new site may dynamically showcase the following content that is vital to keeping the faith. Please state the automatic feeds to include and preference on how to display.)
 - **Options** (Please add to, modify, delete the following as needed.)
 - Daily Readings
 - include as a link that takes to separate page
 - Saint of the Day
 - could display on page, but not the front page, keep that clean
 - **Format** (Please display this information as...)
 - see notes above
- **Online Giving**
 - No, do not include
- **Social Media**
 - Facebook
 - <https://www.facebook.com/sasecatholic>
 - Format
 - A simple link (open in a new browser window)
- **Staff Directory**
 - Simple (Included)
 - We’re shy and displaying the standard contact information with NO staff photos at this time is fine.
- **Image Gallery**
 - Standard (Included)
 - Includes one “Album” comprised of 2-3 image “Galleries”.
 - Upon training, you will be able to create as many albums and galleries as needed.
- **Multilingual Option (Automatic Language Translation)**
 - No
- **Website Calendar(s)**
 - **Current Calendar(s)**
 - Gmail Calendar called “Austin MN Website Calendar”
 - `<iframe src="https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=558fdh7e1c92cnj0f4p255o960%40group.calendar.google.com&ctz=America/Chicago" style="border: 0" width="100%" height="95%" frameborder="0" scrolling="no"></iframe>`
 - Client thinks it is Mary Gorman’s email
 - mgorman.ae@gmail.com
 - <http://editor.wix.com/html/editor/web/renderer/edit/ae195043-6c1f-425e-9370-0302b44af4dc?metaSiteId=ee24d9ec-64f6-4c4b-a936-9593a0ccbb78&editorSessionId=4a076c60-1b47-44c4-80cf-1dc4854ffe1f>
 - We also have a gmail calendar that is just internal and doesn’t push to the web.
 - **Preferred Day of Week for the Calendar to Start With?**
 - Sunday (default)

- **E-Newsletter Integration**
 - No
- **Important Secondary or Third-Party Links**
(Please add to, modify, delete the following as needed.)
 - **Standard**
 - The Vatican
 - <http://w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html>
 - Roman Catholic Diocese of Winona-Rochester
 - <https://www.dow.org/>
 - USCCB
 - <http://www.usccb.org>
 - **Custom to Your Organization**
 - <http://www.staugustinedward.org/links>
 - FORMED[®]
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 - Pacelli Catholic Schools
 - http://www.pacellschools.org/newpacelli/index_new.php
 - Minnesota Catholic Conference
 - <https://www.mncatholic.org/>
 - Queen of Angels Parish
 - <http://www.queensaustinmn.net/>
 - Knights of Columbus
 - <http://www.kofc.org/en//index.html>
 - USCCB Vocations
 - <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/vocations/>
 - Birthright
 - <http://birthright.org/minnesota.html>
- **Site Administration**
 - Approximately how many people need to be trained on the new website?
 - 4
 - Website Admin Access
 - Please list all **Full Access** users here:
 - Rebecca Gust
 - rgust.ae@gmail.com
 - Jaci Brennan
 - tjbrennan2@charter.net
 - John Gust
 - jgust.ae@gmail.com
 - Mary Gorman
 - mgorman.ae@gmail.com
 - Fr. James Steffes
 - fathersteffes.ae@gmail.com
 - Are there any admin users needing **Limited** or **Special Access** (i.e. Mary Smith, Faith Formation category only)?
 - No

- Contact / Registration Forms
 - Provided
 - Contact Us
 - Will you need additional, custom forms?
 - Possibly a registration for Faith Formation programs
 - “We are currently deciding whether to purchase a ParishSOFT module that might also do this for us instead of the website.” Hold off on this for now.
 - Perhaps a new member registration form.
 - http://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/65b876_3e02d4b80e9848c0a225abb3f059e4b9.pdf
 - No, keep as a PDF
 - “I Have a Question”, turn into “Returning Catholics”
 - <http://www.staugustinestedward.org/i-have-a-question>
 - Currently not working, but use same form as Contact Us
 - Volunteer
 - <http://www.staugustinestedward.org/ministry-c1qkp>
 - “Official” email address to use throughout the website (e.g. contact form, footer, contact page, etc.)
 - staugustinestedward@gmail.com
 - Not created yet, most likely will be using though
- Notes
 - Additional thoughts, options, ideas here...
 - Use Revolution Slider
 - Client wants to go deeper down the rabbit hole and have available all functionality, options, layout/design capabilities, and craziness that will ensue. 😊
 - Questions to discuss -
 - “Can we auto delete old messages that push on the app (once obsolete)?”
 - Yes
 - “Can we add text on photos so that we can say what they are from? (see UWCatholic website)”
 - St. Paul University Catholic Center (Madison, WI)
 - <https://uwcatholic.org/>
 - Yep, via Revolution Slider
 - Add FAQ functionality
 - Content example: <http://www.staugustinestedward.org/calendar-and-content>