

And lo, I heard from a nearby house, a voice like that of a boy or a girl, I know not which, chanting and repeating over and over, "Take up and read. Take up and read." Instantly, with altered countenance, I began to think most intently whether children made use of any such chant in some kind of game, but I could not recall hearing it anywhere.
(Excerpt from VIII.12.29 of the Confessions, trans. John K. Ryan)

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Marathon Reading of St. Augustine's *Confessions*

McMahon Foyer



Fresco of St. Augustine, Lateran Palace

October 11

11am-3pm

Books 1-5

Trans. Vernon J. Bourke (1953)

October 12

11am-3pm

Books 6-9

Trans. Msgr. John K. Ryan (1960)

October 13

11am-5pm

Books 10-13

Trans. Sr. Maria Boulding, O.S.B. (1997)

Refreshments will be provided

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