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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:



"You have made us for yourself Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you."

~~ St. Augustine of Hippo ~~

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

WEEDKDAY LITURGY: MONDAY TO FRIDAY

May 1st to October 31st: 8:30 a.m. Nov. 1st to April 30th: 9:00 a.m.

SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. & Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday: 1 hour before Mass.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Welcome to new parishioners. Please call the parish office to register.

Brian Gallant

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:	Betty Roy	613-228-4138
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7:30 p.m. Mondays (Hall)	W ¹	ww.peopleofjoy.ca
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PARISH SCHOOLS		
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Welcome to St. Augustine Parish. ARE YOU NEW IN THE PARISH? HAVE YOU CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS? ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS? GIVE US A CALL. If you wish to register at the parish, please complete the following form and drop if off at the parish office or in the Sunday collection basket.

NAME:	ADDRESS:
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From the Pastor's Desk

April 7, 2019 - 5th Sunday of Lent

"For his sake I have accepted the loss of all things and I consider them so much rubbish, that I may gain Christ ... "(Philippians 3:8)

The first commandment says that we should not put other gods before the Lord. Sharing all of our gifts, our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support Church needs helps us keep God first in everything. It helps us from putting other gods before God. It helps us to use our gifts for the glory of God and not for our own honor.

There are attacks on Catholic churches too! Paris and other cities in France ... Vandals and arsonists have targeted French churches in a wave of attacks that has lasted nearly two months. More than 10 churches have been hit since the beginning of February, with some set on fire while others were severely desecrated or damaged. Reported in Crux (google for more info). Let us not think "its over there," this could happen here. We had a similar experience in my previous parish of St. Martin de Porres, (May 14, 2014), where the tabernacle was taken, along with anti-Christian slogans on walls and altar area, parish hall trashed!

Making daily progress towards God, by Augustine of Hippo, 354-430 A.D."As Christians, our task is to make daily progress toward God. Our pilgrimage on earth is a school in which God is the only teacher, and it demands good students, not ones who play truant. In this school we learn something every day. We learn something from the commandments, something from examples, and something from Sacraments. These things are remedies for our wounds and materials for our studies." (excerpt from *Sermon 16A, 1*) copyright (c) 2019 Servants of the Word, source: www.dailyscripture.net, author Don Schwager.

Diocesan Theme for Pastoral Year 2018-2019: Christ is Everything for Us!

"Let us work for the good of all, and especially for the family of the faith" (Galatians 6.10b).



Please pray for the sick of our parish and for their families: Cecilia Hastings, Ronald Choy, Susan Choy, Donna MacDonald, Sheila Kelly, Betty Kelly, Marie Vautour, Nana and Joanne Larose.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2019	
Annual Budget	\$200,000.00
Date	March 24, 2019
Total Collection YTD	\$41,223.60
% Collected YTD	21%
% Year Elapsed	23%



VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION for the week of April 7, 2019

The vigil light in front of the Blessed Sacrament is reserved for:

~ All Souls ~



<u>ALPHA</u>: continues on Tues., April 9th, at 6:30 p.m., downstairs in the parish hall. Everyone is welcome.

<u>Come to the Table – Fourth Session</u>: on Wed., April 10th, at 6:30 p.m., downstairs in the parish hall. These sessions are for both the parents and the children who are being prepared for Reconciliation and First Eucharist this year.

<u>Evangelization and Acts of the Apostles – Session #7</u>: on Sat., Apr. 13th, from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon, in the parish office boardroom.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – APRIL 7TH 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

That priests, deacons, sisters and brothers who, for the sake of Christ, have suffered the loss of all things, will be strengthened in their vocations to bring many souls to the knowledge of salvation.



Today Solidarity Sunday,

Development and Peace – Caritas

Canada invites us to Share the

Journey and reflect upon Jesus'

presence among us, and in the midst
of those who suffer. Like Jesus let us
adopt the vision of mercy that God has
for each one of us. Jesus, who is a
migrant among migrants; a refugee

among refugees; who is homeless among the homeless; help us recognize their dignity, reintegrate them into society, lift them up, support them in making a fresh start and look to the future with confidence. Taste the joy of mercy, compassion, forgiveness and reconciliation, and help create peace and justice in our world as you encounter Jesus in our midst. Your donation to Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, the official international solidarity organization of the Catholic Church in Canada supports projects for migrants and refugees in the Global South, among others. The Share Lent collection will be taken today on this Fifth Sunday of Lent. Please give generously. Visit devp.org to find out how you can take action. #sharejourney @devpeace or call 613-249-9051.



APRIL 8 th TO APRIL 14 TH		
Mon. Apr. 8	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Barbara Scott</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Tues. Apr. 9	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Bernadette Roy</i> by Father Frank Scott. For <i>Nelly's special intentions</i> by a parishioner.
Wed. Apr. 10	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Ken & Mary McElheran</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Thurs. Apr. 11	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Irene Hoglund</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Fri. Apr. 12	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Peter Couse</i> by Pat & Inez Gignac.
Sat. Apr. 13	4:30 p.m.	Missa Pro Populo

Palm Sunday	V

Sun.	9:00 a.m.	For the living and deceased
Apr. 14		family members and friends of
		the Feraco & Mariani families.
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of</i>
Apr. 14		<i>Mary Jordan</i> by Alison Semaan.

Let us enter into the Holy Week liturgies...



Saturday, April 13th Mass, at 4:30 p.m., will start in the parish hall (weather permitting), with a procession outside and then entering through

front door of church. Sunday, April 14th Mass, at 9:00 a.m. as usual, no procession. Sunday, April 14th, Mass at 10:30 a.m. starts with a gathering in parish hall first for short liturgy, everyone is invited to join in procession outside (weather permitting), the entering by front door of church ... children's liturgy in parish hall.



CHRISM MASS with Archbishop Prendergast and Bishop Riesbeck at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica, at 7:30 p.m., on Tuesday, April 16th. A reception follows in the Cathedral Hall immediately following Mass. Parishioners are encouraged to attend this beautiful Mass that celebrates the priesthood, the sacraments, and

our unity as a diocese. The highlights of the mass are: the Blessing of the Oils (Oil of the Sick, Oil of Catechumens and the Sacred Chrism Oil); the renewal of our baptismal promises and the renewal of the vows made by priests at their ordination. At the end of the Chrism Mass, the Holy Oils are brought back to parishes of the diocese for use in the coming year.



A Tenebrae service dedicated to prayer for victims of abuse, renewal and conversion of hearts at Notre Dame Cathedral on Wednesday evening of Holy Week, April 17 at 7:30 p.m.



Holy Thursday, April 18th, at 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper, washing of the feet, solemn procession of the Eucharist around the church and to the chapel of repose in the parish hall, adoration for one hour after mass.



Good Friday, April 19th, at 11:00 a.m. – Stations of the Cross (families particularly invited); 3:00 p.m., main liturgy of the Lord's Passion, adoration of Cross and Communion. Refuge night will be held in the church at 7:00 p.m., with "dynamic" stations of the Cross in candle-light.



Holy Saturday, April 20th, Chrism Mass at 8:00 p.m. A two hour liturgy, with the Blessing of the new fire and Paschal candle, all seven OT readings, Baptism of two young children, followed by a Profession of Faith and Confirmation.

Please note that there no 3:30 p.m. confessions or 4:30 p.m. Mass.



Easter Sunday, April 21st, Mass at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. with a Profession of Faith of one adult and the Sacrament of Confirmation.

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