

# St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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## OFFICE HOURS

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

## WEEKDAY LITURGY:

Monday to Thursday: 8:30 a.m.

## SUNDAY LITURGY

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

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Thursday: 7:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m.  
 (Confessions are available during this time)

## PARISH REGISTRATION

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

<b>PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:</b>	Ray Gervais	613-228-6848
<b>PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:</b>	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387

<b>BAPTISMS:</b>	Julia Moffat	613-697-7966
<b>CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:</b> (Mondays – 7:30 pm – Church Hall)	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400 <a href="http://www.peopleofjoy.ca">www.peopleofjoy.ca</a>
<b>CHILDREN'S LITURGY:</b>	Denis Therrien	613-228-7646
<b>FINANCE COUNCIL:</b>	Ray Gervais	613-228-6848
<b>HEALING MASS:</b> (1st Friday of the Month – 7 pm - Church)	Edna Dubroy	819-592-6377
<b>HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC:</b> (Mondays – 1 pm to 4 pm – Church Hall)	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400 <a href="http://www.holyspirithealingclinic.com">www.holyspirithealingclinic.com</a>
<b>HOSPITALITY (Coffee Sunday):</b>	Michael Crane	613-834-5031
<b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:</b>	Anna Robotham	613-225-8523
<b>MARRIAGE:</b>	Margaret Heaslip	613-727-2769
	Parish Office	613-729-4071
	At least 9 months prior to marriage date	
<b>ORGANIST:</b>	James Fraser	613-224-1382
<b>PASTORAL CARE:</b>	Parish Office	613-225-7388
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<b>PRO-LIFE:</b>	Dolly Moyse	613-221-9178
<b>SOCIAL ACTION:</b>	Pat & Inez Gignac	613-526-0172

## PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Augustine Elementary	1009 Arnot Road	613-225-8020
St. Rita Elementary	1 Inverness Ave.	613-224-6341
Frank Ryan Senior Elementary	128 Chesterton Ave.	613-224-8833
St. Piux X High School	1481 Fisher Ave.	613-225-8105

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

~~ St. Augustine of Hippo ~~

**PASTOR'S DESK****JANUARY 21, 2024 – THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****Good Stewardship:**

*“Follow me and I will make you fishers of men.” - MARK 1:17*

Jesus' call to “*follow me*” is a call to all Christians! The call is in the here and now, in our present circumstances, not when we think we are “ready” or have everything in order. Good **Stewardship** of our God-given gifts means that things aren't always going to go according to our schedule, but that God has a much better plan in store for each of us.

**Week of prayer of Christian unity, Jan. 18—25**, is our annual week of intense prayer for conversion of the heart, as we contemplate this year's theme ... stems from Luke 10:27 — “You shall love the Lord your God ... and Jesus' command is linked to the Parable of the Good Samaritan which clearly illustrates God's love in action, We receive others as God has received us: going out of ourselves and our local ecclesial communities and sharing God's transformative love in Christ” and your neighbour as yourself. Traditionally, the formal time of observance for the tradition falls between the period of the Feast of the Confession of St. Peter on Jan. 18 and the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul on Jan. 25. The week-long celebration marks a time for Christians of various denominations to practice their devotion to prayer for the full visibility of unity among Christians.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS – JAN. 21<sup>ST</sup>**  
**3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jonah 3.1-5, 10**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 7.29-31**

**Gospel: Mark 1.14-20**

**VIGIL LIGHT INTENTIONS**  
**FOR THE WEEK OF JAN. 21**

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

~~ the repose of the soul of  
**Iolanda Feraco** ~~

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**  
**3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

For an increase in fishers of men and for a deeper gratitude for the priests and religious now serving our diocese, we pray to the Lord.



Maureen Funai, Maxine Kelly, Lillian Bradley, Barbara Minhall, Paulette Channette, Joan Hazel, Marie Springall, Edith Pakenham, Paul O'Grady, John Leman, Cydney Massine, Maureen Clulee, Ava Marrongelli, Ann Brownrigg, Pat O'Neill, Deacon Chris Moffat, the Seniors at the Ravines and at Sterling Park, the isolated, those suffering from mental health issues, Covid, or RSV.

**SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD**  
**JANUARY 21<sup>ST</sup>**

In the Apostolic Letter *Aperuit illis* 2, Pope Francis instituted the Sunday of the Word of God, which is celebrated on the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

“Devoting a specific Sunday of the liturgical year to the word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for us the treasury of his word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world.”

From: Ordo/LiturgicalCalendar 2023-2024

**ENROLMENT CEREMONY  
FOR FIRST COMMUNION**

The children of our parish schools preparing for their First Reconciliation and First Communion in our parish this year, will be participating in the Enrolment ceremony which takes place at all Masses this weekend.

Please welcome and keep these children, their parents and their teachers in your prayers.



**JAN. 21<sup>ST</sup> TO JAN. 27<sup>TH</sup>**

***THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME***

<b>Sun. Jan. 21</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Frank Trapani</i> by Karen O’Heare & family.
<b>Sun. Jan. 21</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>unity among all Christians.</i>
<b>Mon. Jan. 22</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the sick and suffering of our parish community.</i>
<b>Tues. Jan. 23</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the lonely, the unemployed and those who suffer from mental health issues.</i>
<b>Wed. Jan. 24</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the souls in Purgatory.</i>
<b>Thurs. Jan. 25</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>all those in need of prayers and those with no-one to pray for them.</i>
<b>Fri. Jan. 26</b>	<b><i>NO MASS ON FRIDAYS</i></b>	
<b>Sat. Jan. 27</b>	<b>4:30 p.m.</b>	For <i>the special intentions of the family members of the late Donnie Williams</i> by Barbara Miles.

2024



Available on the table at the back of the Church.

**CURRENT ENVELOPE USERS:** have been assigned the same number as last year. Envelope packages are in **alphabetical order**. *To avoid confusion, please do not use any leftover (unused) envelopes from last year (2023) or from previous years.*

**NEW ENVELOPE USERS:** Unlabeled envelope packages are also available for anyone who would like to start using parish envelopes in 2024.

**PLEASE NOTE:**  
**BOTH CURRENT AND NEW ENVELOPE USERS:** must include your full name, address and telephone number on the first few envelopes you use in 2024.

**REMINDER:** Please ensure that you write the **amount** of your contribution on **every** envelope you use throughout the year.

**OTHER DONATION OPTIONS**

**ETRANSFER**

**Donate directly through your banking institution.** The use of EFT (Electronic Funds Transfer) makes donations easier and more consistent, benefiting both the parishioner and the parish.

If you are already set up for online banking, you can send your donation to the parish via E-Transfer at: [edda@staugustineottawa.ca](mailto:edda@staugustineottawa.ca) for automatic deposit into the parish account.

If you wish to make your donation by E-transfer, but do not have online banking, please contact your bank to set it up.

**Reminder: Answer to security question:** Please provide us with the answer to your security question in a separate email, as we will not be able to deposit the transfer without the correct answer.

**PINK VISITOR ENVELOPES**

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