

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.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:	Ray Gervais	613-228-6848
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387

BAPTISMS:	Parish Office	613-225-7388
CHILDREN'S LITURGY:	Denis Therrien	613-228-7646
MARRIAGE: At least 9 months prior to marriage date.		613-225-7388
ORGANIST:	James Fraser	613-224-1382
PASTORAL CARE:	Betty Roy	613-228-4138
SOCIAL ACTION:	Inez Gignac	613-526-0172

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400
7:30 p.m. Mondays (Hall)		www.peopleofjoy.ca

REFUGE (Praise & Worship):		
7:00 p.m. – 3rd Thursday of the month	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387

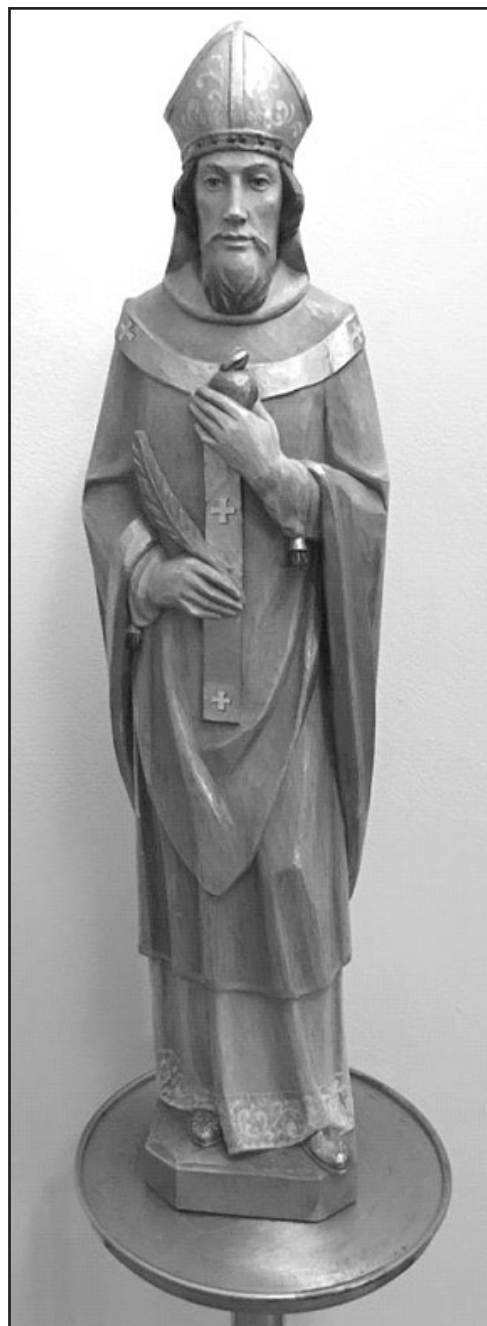
HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC	Michael Crane	613-834-5031
		www.holyspirithealingclinic.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:	Jeff Edwards	613-729-4071
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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

ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA WEBSITE: www.catholicottawa.ca



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

~~ St. Augustine of Hippo ~~

PASTOR'S DESK

JUNE 11, 2023 – THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

“Because there is one bread, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.” 1 CORINTHIANS 10:17

As disciples of Jesus, we are called to lead holy lives and invite others to join us. We are called to be fed and to feed others. Living a stewardship lifestyle, being grateful and generous with our gifts, serves a twofold purpose. One, it helps build God’s kingdom here on earth. Two, it helps us strengthen each other’s relationship with God the Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. It becomes our roadmap to Heaven. Let’s help each other get there!

Pope Francis urges the whole world to pray for the upcoming Synod in October, which will address the meaning of synodality. Questions remain as to where we are going as church, as a Christian community polarized on its journey, understanding our Christian faith for these times and giving witness to this precious gift. Have a look on parish website at: www.staugustineparish.ca or the Archdiocese website at: <https://ottawacornwall.ca/> for more focus and meaning to this great moment in our journey of Faith.

Celebrating 70 years: We need to look back on amazing moments! On Dec. 1, 1953, St. Augustine was declared a parish and the people gathered for Mass in a temporary church that could handle 200 people in the hall north side of adjacent building, the former convent for Augustinian Fathers and Brothers. Four Masses were celebrated each Sunday. Those first Masses were modest gatherings. The church, later the Knights of Columbus Hall, was originally a tool shed. However, this was a start, for a church that would become a touchstone for Catholic families on the southwestern edge of Canada's capital city... next to the Experimental Farm. There was no looking back; clearly a community was growing, and many memories will forever be realized.

Pope Francis added that he sees the Holy Spirit as not only as the “soul of the Church” but also as “the heart of synodality.” He called for the Synod on Synodality, which will culminate in October with the 16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops, to “place the Holy Spirit at the beginning and at the heart of the work of the synod.”

*“The synod now taking place is — and should be — a journey in accordance with the Spirit, not a parliament for demanding rights and claiming needs in accordance with the agenda of the world, nor an occasion for following wherever the wind is blowing, but the opportunity to be docile to the breath of the Holy Spirit,” the pope said. * From Catholic News Agency, May 28th: <https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/254439/on-pentecost-pope-francis-says-holy-spirit-can-bring-harmony-to-a-polarized-church>. Also, the Pope urges all Marian shrines through-out the world to pray for upcoming Synod.*

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION
FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 11, 2023

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

~ **Nicola Feraco & Artabano Mariani** ~

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – JUNE 11TH
CORPUS CHRISTI

That all Catholics will adore the great gift of the Holy Eucharist given to them by Jesus Christ in the hands of His priests to nourish them with His body, and that the Holy Spirit will inspire many more to follow Him, we pray to the Lord.

SCRIPTURE READINGS – JUNE 11TH
CORPUS CHRISTI

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8.2-3, 14-16
God fed you in the wilderness with Manna that your ancestors did not know.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10.16-17
Because there is one bread, we, who are many, are one body.

Gospel: John 6.51-59
My flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink.



Maureen and Nicarlo Funai, Ron Choy, Maxine Kelly, Lillian Bradley, Barbara Minshall, Bill McDonald, Paulette Chanute, Joan Hazel, Marie Springall, Edith Pakenham, Paul O’Grady, John Lemman, Mary McElheran, the seniors at the Ravines and at Sterling Park and all those who are isolated, suffering from mental illness, Covid, the flu or RSV.

REFUGE

Come join us for an hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and quiet prayer at our monthly Refuge night of praise and worship, on **Thursday, June 15th**, at 7:00 p.m. *Come let us adore HIM. God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. (Psalm 46)*

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
FOR THE SANCTIFICATION OF PRIESTS

JUNE 16: Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for priests today on the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests. The day was begun by Saint John Paul II in 2002 with the objective of having all Catholic faithful join in prayer for the sanctification of priests. The World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests coincides with the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

~~ Ordo/Liturgical Calendar 2022-2023 ~



JUNE 11TH TO JUNE 17TH

Sun. June 11	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. June 11	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Concetta Mariano</i> by Giovanna & Giulio Ferrante.
Mon. June 12	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Nicola Feraco</i> by his daughter & family.
Tues. June 13	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the special intentions of Pat & Inez Gignac</i> by the Walker family.
Wed. June 14	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Sheila Mary Kelly</i> by the estate of Sheila Kelly.
Thurs. June 15	8:30 p.m.	For <i>the protection of life at all stages</i> by St. Augustine’s Pro-Life Committee.
Fri. June 16	NO MASS ON FRIDAYS	
Sat. June 17	4:30 p.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Pierre Therrien</i> by the Walker family.

EVENTS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE

<https://ottawacornwall.ca/all-events/>



Corpus Christi

Jesus, Body and Blood, we are grateful for the gift of your life and the way it strengthens us to live ours. Teach us to draw on the gift of your Body and Blood for energy, renewal, strength and grace. May we never take the gift of your presence for granted.

Amen.

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