

# 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

### 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time – June 16, 2024

#### Stewardship Gifts

*“For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive recompense, according to what he did in the body, whether good or evil.” - 2 CORINTHIANS 5:10*

We are all accountable for all the gifts God has given us in Stewardship, including our time, our talent and our treasure; everything we have and everything we are. Each of us is accountable not only for our own life but for the lives of others as well. One day God will ask each of us what did we do with the gifts we were given. How will you respond?

#### Here's what you need to know about the National Eucharistic Revival

The Eucharist revival will be happening in the USA, as a means to rekindle and rejuvenate the Catholic population into understanding the depth and meaning of what we receive each week ... the source and summit in Holy Eucharist. Many walking pilgrimages are taking place from all over the USA and culminating into the main event in Indianapolis, IN from July 17-21, 2024. More info online at: <https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/pilgrimage-2024> (Fr. Frank)

#### Did you know?

A recent Pew Forum survey revealed the startling statistic that 69% of Catholics do not believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. For the majority of Catholics today, the Eucharist is merely a symbol of Christ, and the Mass is merely a collectivity of like-minded individuals gathering to remember his life. This indicates a spiritual disaster, for the Eucharist is “the source and summit of the Christian life.” In response to this crisis, Bishop Robert Barron, then the Chair of the Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, began working with his brother bishops on a solution. From these conversations, the National Eucharistic Revival was born. Would hope that Canada will benefit from this congress and teachings in future. We here can gain much insight in developing a Eucharistic people! (Fr Frank)



Margaret Heaslip, Maureen Funai, Maxine Kelly, Bradley, Barbara Minshall, Paulette Channette, Edith Pakenham, Paul O'Grady, John Leman, Sydney Massine, Maureen Clulee, Ava Marrongelli, Deacon Chris Moffat, Lynn Kealey-Webb, Frances Grandbois, Richmond Guillermo, Joe Murray, the seniors at the Ravines and at Stirling Park, those who are isolated and those who are suffering from mental illness, Covid, or RSV.

#### VIGIL LIGHT INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 16<sup>TH</sup>

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

~ The Gallant family ~

#### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS—JUNE 16 11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

That with dedicated spirits, we ask the Lord of the Harvest to provide an abundance of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**  
**11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading - Ezekiel 17:22-24:**

The Lord promises to take a shoot from a cedar, plant it on a high mountain, and make it a great tree where birds will find shelter. He will humble the proud and exalt the humble.

**Second Reading - 2 Corinthians 5:6-10:**

We walk by faith, not sight, aiming to please the Lord. We will be judged by Christ for our deeds.

**Gospel - Mark 4:26-34:**

Jesus taught the crowds about the kingdom of God using parables, comparing it to a growing seed and a mustard seed that becomes a large plant. He explained these teachings privately to his disciples.

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**  
**REPORT FROM THE MAY 26 – AGM**

***Some thoughts - Beyond the hour on Sunday:***

**The People of Joy Prayer Group**

Continues every Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall, under the direction of Peter & Antonella Couse.

**The Holy Spirit Healing Clinic**

Provides outreach to those with various challenges, offering prayers of healing and intercession each Monday afternoon from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., in the church hall. **Note:** On the first Friday of each month at 7:00 p.m., in the Church, there is a healing service, hosted by the People of Joy Prayer Group and the Holy Spirit Healing Clinic with Fr. Francis Donnelly, presiding. Confessions are offered before the service, starting at 6:00 p.m.

**Weddings and Funerals**

Continue to be the focus of attention. We have very few being celebrated here in the parish. As mentioned in a recent homily, there was only one wedding scheduled this year, on May 18<sup>th</sup>. Funeral services are focusing less on “church liturgy.” What may be the cause of this? Costs? It’s surprising to see the number of obits now with no church service.

**Sacraments**

The Sacrament of Confirmation took place on Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, with 22 candidates. First Communion have also taken place, with approximately ten children from each school.



**JUNE 16<sup>TH</sup> TO JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup>**

**11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Sun. June 16	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. June 16	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Geoff Mallik</i> by Lynn Webb through the Communion of Saints.
Mon. June 17	8:30 a.m.	<i>In thanksgiving for Richmond's healing</i> by Father Frank.
Tues. June 18	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the protection of life at all stages</i> by St. Augustine's Pro-Life Committee.
Wed. June 19	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Ron Choy</i> by Elaine and family.
Thurs. June 20	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Nancy Jarvis Sullivan Swartz</i> by Lynn Sullivan Kealy Webb.
Fri. June 21	<b>THERE IS NO MASS ON FRIDAY</b>	
Sat. June 22	4:30 p.m.	For <i>the intentions of the Kennedy family</i> by Ron & Diane Brule.



**A FATHER'S DAY BLESSING**

Blessed is the Father,  
 who lets the Lord be his guiding hand,  
 whose faith brings his family courage,  
 whose wisdom come from God,  
 and whose children stand still  
 and honor him.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY**

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