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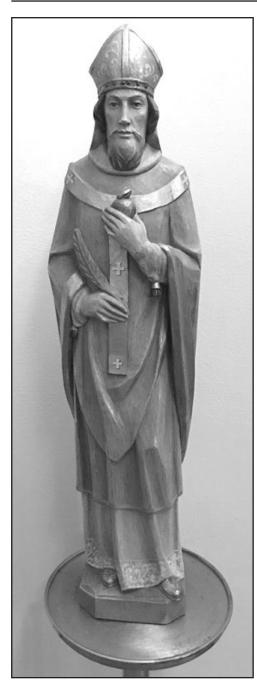
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"You have made us for yourself Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you."

OFFICE HOURS

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

WEEKDAY LITURGY: MONDAY TO THURSDAY

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 Thursday: 1 hour before Mass.

PARISH REGISTRATION

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

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL: PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:	David Toomey Joe Cousineau	613-729-8389 613-422-4387
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PASTOR'S DESK



PRAYING LENT Experiencing his love and following him more deeply.

March 7th – Third Sunday of Lent

"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape anything..." - Exodus 20:4

How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times, they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God's help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue.

Sacrament of Reconciliation in Lent is a wonderful time of healing, letting go and "regaining that lost JOY". There is ample time for encountering Christ the "healer". Each weekday the church is open at 7 am (except Friday), with confession from 7:00-8:30 am, as well as on Saturdays, from 3:00 to 4:15 pm. Confession is also offered during and after our Refuge Friday nights (every third Friday of the month) beginning at 7 pm. The next Refuge night is on **Friday, March 19th, at 7:00 p.m.** "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive".

<u>Sacraments of Anointing and Penance (reconciliation)</u> are healing Sacraments. In holy anointing, God's mercy ensures that the doubt and despair that often accompany sickness and death are healed in a soul already restored to his friendship in confession. We are being drawn to God's mercy. Many Gospels account the Divine Healer setting people free, transformed, changed. Healing and miracles, encountering Christ to "set them free" has been dominant theme; in last weeks of Gospel accounts.

Diocesan Theme for Pastoral Year 2020-2021: Christ is Everything for Us! "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life". (John 6.68)

NEW WEBSITE: ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA-CORNWALL: www.archoc.ca



Ava Marrongelli, Patricia Beach, Roman Joe Zakrajsekn, Rosie Warden, Maureen and Nicarlo Funai, Kenny Summers, Zakieh Abboud, Shadia Al-Khalil, Ron Choy, those in long term care, retirement homes and those who are ill with COVID 19.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION For the week of March 7th

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

~~ the intentions and healing of Lidia ~~

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

2020 tax receipts are ready. Since the most recent Covid 19 lockdown restrictions have been lifted and Ottawa is back to Orange status, that means that Mass is allowed at 30 percent capacity; therefore, parishioners attending Mass may pick up their receipts at the back of the church, after Mass. Please remember to keep your distance. To have your receipt mailed out to you, or to arrange curbside pickup at the parish office, please contact:

edda@staugustineottawa.ca. or call (613) 225-7388.

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS-MARCH 7 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

For those considering a call to the priesthood or consecrated life, that they will answer the call and proclaim Christ crucified, we pray to the Lord.

$\frac{READINGS\ FOR\ THE\ WEEK\ OF}{MARCH\ 7^{TH}-3^{RD}\ SUNDAY\ OF\ LENT}$

1st Reading: Exodus 20.1-17 or Exodus 20.1-3, 7-8, 12-17

The Law was given through Moses.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.18, 22-25

We proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to some, but to those who are called, the

wisdom of God.

Gospel: John 2.13-25

Destroy this temple, and in three days I will

raise it up.



March 7 th TO March 13 TH			
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT			
Sun. Mar. 7	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Lois Jordan by Lynn Kealey-Webb.	
Sun. Mar. 7	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul</i> of Caterina Guzzo by the Feraco & Mariani family.	
Mon. Mar. 8	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Karyna Laroche</i> by her mother, Julia Laroche.	
Tues. Mar. 9	9:00 a.m.	For the intentions of the People of Joy Prayer Group by Anne Stewart.	
Wed. Mar. 10	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Eric Guilbeault by Dolly Moyse.	
Thurs. Mar. 11	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Daniel Poirier</i> by the Choy family.	
Fri. Mar. 12	9:00 p.m.	NO MASS	
Sat. Mar. 13	4:30 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Mohan Rajendra by Melodie Gabriel.	

DO YOU WANT TO FAST THIS LENT?In the words of Pope Francis:

- Fast from hurting words and say kind words.
- Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.
- Fast from anger and be filled with patience.
- Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.
- Fast from worries and have trust in God.
- Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.
- Fast from pressures and be prayerful.
- Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.
- Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.
- Fast from grudges and be reconciled.
- Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.

FROM THE HOLY SEE

Lenten Message of Pope Francis: "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem" (Mt 20:18). Lent: a Time for Renewing Faith, Hope and Love. Dear Brothers and Sisters, Jesus revealed to his disciples the deepest meaning of his mission when he told them of his passion, death and resurrection, in fulfilment of the Father's will. He then called the disciples to share in this mission for the salvation of the world.... Full message at Lent 2021-Pope Francis.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH

Evangelization: Sacrament of Reconciliation
Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

SHARE LOVE, SHARE LENT: DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE



This year the *Share Love, Share Lent* campaign is inspired Pope Francis's encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti* where he call "for a love that transcends... geography and distance" and "allows us to acknowledge, appreciate and love each person." With the entire human family suffering from COVID-19, the *Share Lent* campaign

invites us to share love and express solidarity with our sisters and brothers in the Global South, whose vulnerabilities are being exacerbated by the pandemic. Remembering the inherent dignity of all human beings, let us heed the Pope's reminder that "justice and solidarity, are not achieved once and for all; they have to be realized each day." (*Fratelli Tutti*, 11.) Join Catholics across Canada on a journey of love and solidarity throughout the Lenten period at devp.org/lent. On Solidarity Sunday please give generously!



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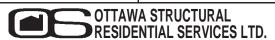
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