

# St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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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 ~~

## 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 8:30 a.m.  
(Confessions are available during this time)

## PARISH REGISTRATION

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

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

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

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| <b>ALPHA (Faith Formation):</b>            | Joe Murphy      | 613-297-5383   |
| <b>CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:</b>           | Antonella Couse | 613-668-2400   |
| 7:30 p.m. Mondays (Hall)                   |                 | <a href="http://www.peopleofjoy.ca">www.peopleofjoy.ca</a>                           |
| <b>REFUGE (Praise &amp; Worship):</b>      |                 |  |
| 7:00 p.m. - 3rd Friday of the Month:       | Joe Cousineau   | 613-422-4387   |
| <b>HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC</b>          | Michael Crane   | 613-834-5031   |
|  |                 | <a href="http://www.holyspirithealingclinic.com">www.holyspirithealingclinic.com</a> |
| <b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:</b> | Jeff Edwards    | 613-729-4071   |

## 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](http://www.catholicottawa.ca)

**PASTOR'S DESK****May 22, 2022 – Sixth Sunday of Easter**

*“...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.” (JOHN 14:27)*

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

**Greeting folks at the door of the church is an essential ministry.** There is nothing like opening the door and being greeted with a smile. Think of greeting friends or family at the door of your house! How would you greet someone you hadn't seen in a while? What about that greeting when you get into the pew at mass? What about those folks who are new, sitting right next to you? Someone shared a story of welcome in a church with me. The welcome that she received changed her life. She found Christ because people accepted her. Greeting people as they enter the church is more than a handshake and a smile. It is an opportunity to express God's love through Christ and help set the tone of the upcoming worship service.

**Thought for the week:** Jesus, invites us to something higher, and he models that for us in the way he died. Jesus took away tension by transforming it rather than by transmitting it. What Jesus does for us is comparable to what a water-purifier does. A water-purifier takes in water containing dirt, toxins, and poisons. It holds the impurities inside of itself and gives back only pure water. Jesus, as the Lamb of God, took away our sins and purified us in his blood not by some divine magic but, precisely, by absorbing and transforming our sin. Like a water-purifier, he took in hatred, held it, transformed it, and gave back love; he took in jealousy, held it, transformed it, and gave back affirmation; he took in resentment, held it, transformed it, and gave back compassion; and ultimately, he took in murder, held it, transformed it, and gave back forgiveness. That's the Christian design for taking tension and resentment out of our lives.

**The vigil light in front  
of the Blessed Sacrament**

*For the week of May 22<sup>nd</sup>  
is reserved for:*

*~~ Anthony & Sofia ~~*

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – MAY 22  
6<sup>TH</sup> Sunday of Easter**

That the Holy Spirit will guide and comfort men and women discerning their vocations, we pray to the Lord.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS – MAY 22<sup>ND</sup>  
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 15.1-2, 22-29  
*It has seemed good to the Holy Spirit  
and to us to impose on you no further burden  
than what is essential.*
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23  
*The angel showed me the holy city of  
Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from  
God.*
- Gospel: John 14.23-29  
*The Holy Spirit will teach you everything and  
remind you of all that I have said to you.*



**Special Mass of Thanksgiving** Archbishop Damphousse will be presiding at a special Mass of Thanksgiving in our parish, on **Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00 a.m.** The Queenship of Mary will be here with the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of the Cape. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Sacrament of Confirmation:** for the children of our parish and our parish schools will be taking place **next Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at the 4:30 p.m. Mass and Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> (Pentecost Sunday) at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.**

**Sacrament of First Holy Communion:** for the children of our parish and our parish schools will be taking place on **Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at the 4:30 p.m. Mass; Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at the 9:00 a.m. Mass and Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at the 4:30 p.m. Mass.**

*Please continue to keep these children in your daily thoughts and prayers.*

## Fish Fry Alert!



**Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 to 7:00 pm**

### CATCH THE ACE LOTTERY

“The first Catch the Ace lottery operated by the Ottawa Central Council SSVP is finished because the Ace of Spades was chosen on the May 9<sup>th</sup> draw. The Society has applied for a new lottery license and expects to start a second lottery in early July. Please watch for more information, or you can check out the website <https://ssvpottawa.ca/> The Catch the Ace lottery is a great way to support an important housing initiative and have fun too. We look forward to your participation.”

We thank you for your understanding and support.

Brian Miller  
Housing committee  
Ottawa Central Council, Society of Saint Vincent de Paul



**MAY 22<sup>ND</sup> TO MAY 28<sup>TH</sup>**

### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

|                  |            |   |
|------------------|------------|---|
| Sun.<br>May 22   | 9:00 a.m.  | For <i>the repose of the soul Marc Cousineau, father of Joe Cousineau</i> by the Cousineau family.      |
| Sun.<br>May 22   | 10:30 a.m. | <i>Missa Pro Populo</i>   |
| Mon.<br>May 23   | 8:30 a.m.  | For <i>the repose of the soul of Father Peter Cody</i> by Father Frank Scott.                           |
| Tues.<br>May 24  | 8:30 a.m.  | For <i>the repose of the soul of Maridy (Marie-dee) DeLeon</i> by the Flores Lyons family.              |
| Wed.<br>May 25   | 8:30 a.m.  | For <i>the intentions of Fran Grandbois</i> by the Choy family.   |
| Thurs.<br>May 26 | 8:30 a.m.  | For <i>the repose of the souls of Gerald, Patricia and Tommy Beach</i> by the estate of Patricia Beach. |
| Fri.<br>May 27   | 8:30 a.m.  | <b>NO MASS ON FRIDAYS</b>   |
| Sat.<br>May 28   | 4:30 p.m.  | For <i>the repose of the soul of Patricia Ann Perkins</i> by Paul & Helen Finn.                         |

### HIKE FOR LIFE – THANK YOU

Thank you for supporting Father Scott in the annual Hike for Life. The total amount sponsored will be published in the parish bulletin in a few months.

~~ Dolly Moyse ~~



Please note, that the parish office is closed on **Monday, May 23, 2022** for the Victoria Day statutory holiday.





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