

# 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>	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

<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 Thursday of the month	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387

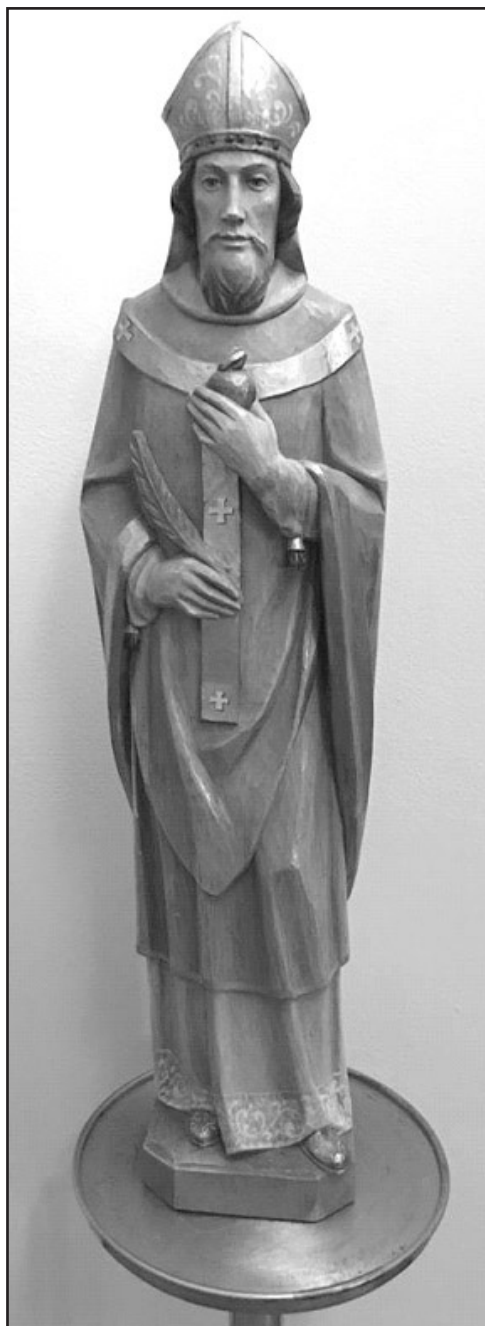
<b>HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC</b>	Michael Crane	613-834-5031
		<a href="http://www.holyspirithealingclinic.com">www.holyspirithealingclinic.com</a>

<b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:</b>	Jeff Edwards	613-729-4071
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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](http://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

**OCTOBER 1, 2023 – 26<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**UNSELFISH STEWARDSHIP**

*“Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves...” Philippians 2:3*

**Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe in Stewardship, everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life: your family, your friends and those who make you angry.**

**Synod on Synodality commences today for the whole month of October.**

May the power of prayer be felt through the world for this great reflection upon the future of the Church and its mission. The priority issues are communion, participation and mission. If the synod does not foster greater communion, participation and mission, then it will be a failure. Pope Francis' hope is that the fruit of the next assembly will be that the Spirit inspires the church to walk together as the people of God in fidelity to the mission the Lord has entrusted to it.

**UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS  
IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER**

**First Eucharist Registration/Info Meeting:** on Wed., Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

**Monthly Healing Mass:** on Friday, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Special Collection – Evangelization of the Nations:** will be taken up at all Masses Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Fall Rummage Sale:** on Sat., Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, in the parish hall.

**Monthly Coffee Sunday Social:** downstairs in the parish hall, after the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses on Sunday, Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**FIRST EUCHARIST  
REGISTRATION/INFO MEETING**

If you have a child in grade 2, who will be preparing to receive the Sacrament of First Eucharist in our parish this year, please ensure that you attend the one hour First Eucharist Information/Registration Meeting which is being held in the parish hall on Wed., Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. Please bring a copy of your child's baptism certificate with you. It is a requirement for First Eucharist registration.

**HEALING MASS**

The next monthly healing Mass hosted by the People of Joy Prayer Group and the Holy Spirit Healing Clinic will take place on **Friday, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>**, with confessions at 6:00 p.m. and Mass at 7:00 p.m. The celebrant is Father Francis Donnelly. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Maureen and Nicarlo Funai, Maxine Kelly, Lillian Bradley, Barbara Minshall, Paulette Channette, Joan Hazel, Marie Springall, Edith Pakenham, Paul O'Grady, John Leman, Cydney Massine, Maureen Clulee, the seniors at the Ravines and at Sterling Park and all those who are isolated, suffering from mental illness, Covid, the flu or RSV.

**VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION  
FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

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

~ the D'Angelo family ~



**Annual Day of Public Witness for Children Killed by Abortion**

Life Chain is held simultaneously in ~300 locations across Canada each year.

Show your support by standing up for life **this Sun., Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m., at the corner of Merivale Road and Meadowlands Drive.** Signs will be provided.



40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated 40-day peaceful pro-life campaign to end abortion. Vigil for Life will host a 40 Days for Life campaign this year from **Wednesday, September 27 through Sunday, November 5, 2023.** Vigil hours are from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., 7 days/week during this time. Info: [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com).

For those people who are not comfortable praying on the street, we suggest the following options:

1. A Holy Hour devoted to an end to abortion.
2. Register a time slot on a day for our church to witness near the abortion facility.
3. Pause and pray daily in unison with the many others who are praying during the campaign.

**A CHRIST-CENTRED CO-JOURNEY TOWARDS HEALING**

**Save the Date – Special Collection November 4/5**

In the fall of 2021, Canada's Bishops set up a \$30 million Indigenous Reconciliation Fund. *A Christ-Centred, Co-Journey Towards Healing* is the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall's campaign to raise the \$1.2 million that we have pledged to the IRF. The money raised goes to support projects such as the 23rd Annual Ottawa Indigenous Children and Youth Pow Wow held March 25, 2023. Pow Wows are important Indigenous gatherings where multiple generations come together to enjoy food, honour traditions, forge a sense of community and practice spiritual healing. Learn more at [www.journeyforhealing.ca](http://www.journeyforhealing.ca).



**OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup> TO OCTOBER 7<sup>TH</sup>**

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

<b>Sun. Oct. 1</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Gail Caron</i> by Carole Collins.
<b>Sun. Oct. 1</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Pasquale Pomponio</i> by Antonella & Peter Couse & family.
<b>Mon. Oct. 2</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Lynn Guay</i> by the Brule family.
<b>Tues. Oct. 3</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the intentions of Charles Hastings</i> by Elaine Choy.
<b>Wed. Oct. 4</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Joe Filoso</i> by Giovanna Filoso.
<b>Thurs. Oct. 5</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	For <i>the repose of the soul of Marc Cousineau</i> by Joe Cousineau & family.
<b>Fri. Oct. 6</b>	<b>NO MASS ON FRIDAYS</b>	
<b>Sat. Oct. 7</b>	<b>4:30 p.m.</b>	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>

**COURTESY CORNER**

**Living Water Woman's Retreat**

You are invited to step away from the everyday and encounter Jesus, The Living Water. In this one-day retreat experience we will dive into scripture, meet him in the Eucharist and be renewed through creating something beautiful with Anna from The Flower Pantry. The retreat will include Mass, talks, time for Adoration and Confession, fellowship, and more.

**The retreat will be held at St. Maurice Parish on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am- 4:00 pm.** Cost is \$60 (includes lunch and floral arrangement). Registration is open to women by accessing the St. Maurice Parish Facebook page or emailing [livingwater.retreat2023@gmail.com](mailto:livingwater.retreat2023@gmail.com). **Registration deadline: October 6, 2023.**

**13<sup>th</sup> Annual Autumn Pilgrimage to St-Joseph's Oratory and 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the canonization of St-Brother André** from the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall (8 seats only) taking place on **Sunday, October 15, 2023.** Information contact Mike Budge at [mike.budge@bell.net](mailto:mike.budge@bell.net) or by phone 613-224-8110.

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