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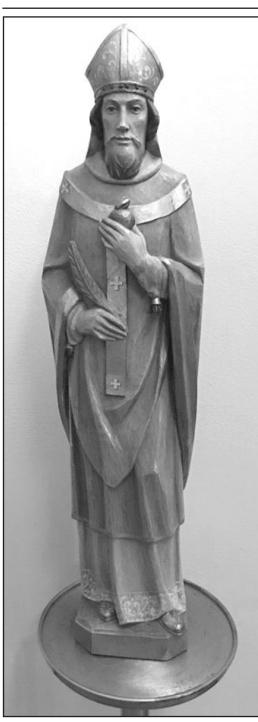
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"You have made us for yourself Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you."

#### OFFICE HOURS

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

# WEEDKDAY LITURGY: MONDAY TO FRIDAY

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 Friday: 1 hour before Mass.

#### PARISH REGISTRATION

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

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:	Brian Gallant	613-224-3075
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:	Betty Roy	613-228-4138

BAPTISMS:	Ray or Brenda Gervais	613-228-6848
FIRST COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION	N: Joanne Larose	613-410-9130
	joannelarose@stau	igustineottawa.ca
MARRIAGE: At least 9 months prior to marriage date.		613-225-7388
ORGANIST:	James Fraser	613-224-1382
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ALPHA (Faith Formation): BIBLE STUDY:	Office Nayla & Pari Lampsos	613-225-7388 613-226-6051
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:	Margaret Clair	613-226-8179
7:30 p.m. Mondays (Hall) www.peopleofjoy.ca REFUGE (Praise & Worship):		
7:00 p.m 3rd Friday of the Month:	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714: Thomas Lane		613-828-3339

PARISH SCHOOLS			
St. Augustine Elementary	1009 Arnot Road	613-225-8020	
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# SEPT. 24<sup>TH</sup> – 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

# "Do you begrudge my generosity?"

What can work and wages, welfare and the unemployed tell us about the kingdom of God? In the parable of the laborers in the vineyard we see the extraordinary generosity and compassion of God (Matthew 20:1-16). God is generous in opening the doors of his kingdom to all who will enter, both those who have labored a life-time for him and those who come at the last hour. While the reward is the same, the motive for one's labor can make all the difference. Some work only for reward. They will only put in as much effort as they think they will get back. Others labor out of love and joy for the opportunity to work and to serve others. The Lord Jesus calls each one of us to serve God and his kingdom with joy and zeal and to serve our neighbor with a generous spirit as well.

**Today's Smile:)** After a weekend evening mass one time I wanted to eat out or maybe order some food in ... so late in the afternoon I decided to order a pizza. At the end of mass I was going down the aisle greeting folks as they were leaving and in through the front door of the church comes the delivery boy saying "hey Father here's your pizza!" I turned around and said "since you came to the church, is it FREE?"

**Dealing with climate change,** part of our moral duty, was the title of weekly article in Ottawa Sun by Archbishop Prendergast. He noted that Saturday Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>, marked the one year anniversary of Pope Francis's major encyclical document, Laudato Si, on Care for our common home. Many initiatives have happened in our parishes where we are making a difference for the environment, such as: low energy burning lights, the use of green and blue bins for respective disposal for a cleaner environment; gardens for produce for parishioners!

# READINGS FOR THE

# 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY ORDINARTY TIME- SEPT. 24<sup>TH</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 55.6-9

The Lord says: My thoughts are not

your thoughts.

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 1.20-24, 27

To me, living is Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 20.1-16

Are you envious because I am

generous.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2017		
<b>Annual Budget</b>	\$190,776.00	
Date	September 10	
<b>Total Collection YTD</b>	119,384.00	
% Collected YTD	63%	
% Year Elapsed	72%	

# **VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION**

The vigil light in front of the Blessed Sacrament for the week of: **Sept. 24**<sup>th</sup> is reserved for:

~ the living & deceased members of the Feraco & Mariani families ~

Please pray for the sick of our parish and for their relatives.

Marcel Grandbois, Renee Grandbois, Cecilia Hastings, Sheila Kelly, Mary Stark, Helena Spath, Louise Weatherhead and all those from natural disasters.

#### PARISH TWITTER PAGE

Check it out at: https://twitter.com//staugustineott

# **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

# September 25<sup>th</sup> to October 1<sup>st</sup>

<u>ALPHA</u>: continues **this Tuesday evening, Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.,** downstairs in the parish hall with a meal, video & group discussion. Not too late to join in. It could perhaps be a life changing experience for you.

<u>Thanksgiving Mass for Alana Beddoe</u>: there will be a Mass of Thanksgiving celebrating Alana Beddoe's entrance into the Little Sisters of the Poor on **Thurs.**, **Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>**, **at 7:00 p.m.** Light refreshments in the parish hall following Mass.

Men's Breakfast: takes place on Sat., Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 a.m., downstairs in the parish hall. Cost is \$5.00 per person. Speaker: John Paul Moreau - "Chauffeur to the Gates of Heaven." Please confirm by calling: Denis (613-228-7646) or email: <a href="mailto:breakfastformen@gmail.com">breakfastformen@gmail.com</a>. Please see posters at all entrances of the Church for more info.

# **SENIOR'S MOVIE NIGHT**

SAVE THE DATE – Senior's Movie Night returns Friday October  $6^{th}$ , 7:00-9:00 p.m. downstairs in the parish hall.

Our opening movie is the hilarious comedy – *Mrs*. *Doubtfire*. Robyn Williams stars as the divorced dad who pretends to be a British grandmother and gets hired as a "nanny" to his own children, becoming a better parent in the process. So come on out for a lovely evening where you will share some laughter among friends and enjoy some scrumptious treats. We look forward to welcoming you! For more information contact Barbara Miles at 613-224-3412, or <u>Barbara.miles@rogers.com</u>.

# **40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN**

40 Days for Life is an opportunity to pray and fast for **ALL** victims of abortion by standing vigil across from the abortion clinic at 65 Bank St. The campaign takes place from **Sept. 27**<sup>th</sup> **to Nov. 5**<sup>th</sup>.

Our parish vigil day is scheduled for **Tues.**, **Oct.** 3<sup>rd</sup>. We are looking for volunteers from the parish to silently and peacefully pray across from the abortion clinic for one hour from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Volunteer sign-up sheets for the vigil are at all entrances of the Church. We are also looking for a volunteer to read sections from the bible for 30 minutes from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please contact Alana (613-225-8523) for more details.



SEPT. 25 <sup>TH</sup> TO OCT. 1 <sup>ST</sup>				
Mon.	8:30 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of		
Sept. 25		Ross Stenhouse by Judy van		
_		Ulft.		
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	For Nelly's special intentions		
<b>Sept. 26</b>		by a parishioner.		
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	For <i>Tom &amp; Eva Ogilvie</i> by		
<b>Sept. 27</b>		Gary & Marilyn Ogilvie.		
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	For the special intention of		
Sept. 28		Bishop O'Brien on his 30th		
		Anniversary as bishop by		
		Father Frank Scott.		
	7:00 p.m.	For a Mass of Thanksgiving		
		celebrating Alana Beddoe's		
		entrance into the Little Sisters		
		of the Poor.		
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of		
<b>Sept. 29</b>		Bert Tremblett by Paul &		
		Helen Finn.		
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Missa Pro Populo		
Sept. 30				
Sun.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of		
Oct. 1		Henry &Barbara Hoglund by		
		the Hoglund family.		
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of		
Oct. 1		Samuel Jesudarson by the		
		Brule & Solomon families.		

# <u>Prayer for Vocations</u> 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>

That there will be an abundance of labourers chosen by the Lord to serve as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life in this vineyard of the Archdiocese of Ottawa.

### **UPCOMING CURSILLO WEEKENDS**

A 3 day short course on Christianity which provides a deeper understanding of self, Jesus Christ and the church. We ask that you prayerfully consider making a Cursillo weekend.

Women's Weekend: October 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> Men's Weekend: November 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>

You can apply online at www.ottawacursillo.ca

The cost is \$200 which includes 3 nights accommodations and all meals.

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