

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

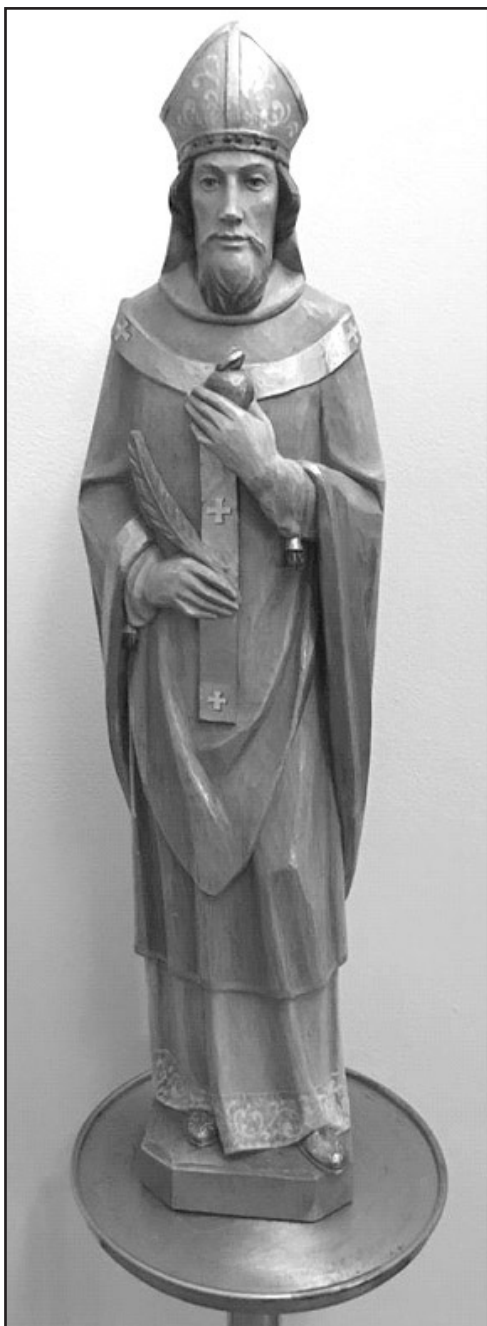
Saturday: 3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

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.



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

~~ St. Augustine of Hippo ~~

BAPTISMS:	Julia Moffat	613-697-7966
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: (Mondays – 7:30 pm – Church Hall)	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400 www.peopleofjoy.ca
CONFIRMATION	Anna Frangione	amfrangia@yahoo.ca
EVANGELIZATION COORDINATOR	Cory Mae Omega	corymaeomega@gmail.com
CHILDREN'S LITURGY:	Denis Therrien	613-228-7646
FIRST EUCHARIST	Tobi Kozakewich	tnkozakewich@gmail.com
FINANCE COUNCIL:	Ray Gervais	613-228-6848
HEALING MASS: (1st Friday of the Month – 7 pm - Church)	Edna Dubroy	819-592-6377
HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC: (Mondays – 1 pm to 4 pm – Church Hall)	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400
HOSPITALITY (Coffee Sunday):	Michael Crane	613-834-5031 www.holyspirithealingclinic.com
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:	Anna Robotham	613-225-8523
MARRIAGE:	Margaret Heaslip	613-727-2769
	Jeff Edwards	613-729-4071
	Parish Office	613-225-7388
	At least 9 months prior to marriage date	
ORGANIST:	James Fraser	613-224-1382
PASTORAL CARE:	Parish Office	613-225-7388
PASTORAL COUNCIL:	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387
PRO-LIFE:	Dolly Moyse	613-221-9178
SOCIAL ACTION:	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

ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA-CORNWALL: <https://ottawacornwall.ca/>

PASTOR'S DESK

JANUARY 12, 2025 – BAPTISM OF THE LORD**Baptized Stewards**

“John answered them all, ‘I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming...he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit..’” - Luke 3:16

The Catholic Catechism states that “Jesus’ immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God’s will.” In other words, as baptized Catholics Stewards, there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus – the gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

Catholic Register - Latest update on MAiD: [MAiD toll almost five per cent of deaths](#)

Health Canada’s new annual report about medical assistance in dying (MAiD) revealed that euthanasia now accounts for nearly five per cent — 15,343 people — of the nation’s total fatalities (326,571) in 2023.

Rebecca Vachon, health program director for the non-partisan think tank Cardus, declared the report “reconfirms that Canada has one of the fastest growing euthanasia and assisted suicide programs in the world. The dramatic rise in MAiD deaths since 2016 is far faster than the federal government, the courts or pro-euthanasia activists ever publicly predicted before or since legalization.”

Weekly evening Vespers commence this Thursday, January 16th, at 7:00 p.m.

Come join us for sung vespers, the official prayer of the Church from the Liturgy of Hours. Thursday, Jan. 23rd will highlight the week of prayer for Christian Unity. The theme is: "Do you believe this" John 11:26.

Liturgy of Enrolment for Candidates of First Eucharist will be held on the weekend of Jan. 25th-26th, at all Masses. Twenty-two (22) children from our schools are registered for this Easter Sacrament.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION
FOR THE WEEK OF JAN. 12TH

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

~~ Marcel Oostendarp ~~



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

SCRIPTURE READINGS – JAN. 12TH
BAPTISM OF THE LORD

First Reading: Isaih 40.1-5, 9-11
The glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all people shall see it.

Second Reading: Titus 2.11-14; 3.4-7
God saved us through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

Gospel: Luke 3.15-16, 21-22
When Jesus had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS—JAN. 12TH
BAPTISM OF THE LORD

That all Catholics will deepen their responsibility to foster vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, which is rooted in Baptism, through prayer and by inviting young people to consider that call.

POPE’S PRAYER INTENTION
FOR JANUARY 2025

~~ *For the right to an education* ~~

Let us pray for migrants, refugees and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.



FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY

FRI., JAN. 17TH – CONFESSIONS & HEALING MASS
 starting at 6:00 p.m., in the Church.

SUN., JAN. 19TH – SACRAMENTAL PREP SESSION – FIRST COMMUNION during the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

SUN. JAN. 19TH – LITURGY OF THE WORD/HEALING SERVICE at 2:00 p.m. in the Church.

SAT., JAN. 25TH – CONFIRMATION SESSION
 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

SAT. JAN. 25TH/SUN. JAN. 26TH – LITURGY OF ENROLMENT FOR CANDIDATES OF FIRST COMMUNION
 at all Masses on the weekend of Jan. 25th/26th.

SUN., JAN. 26TH – COFFEE SUNDAY SOCIAL
 after the 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Masses (Parish Hall)

INVITATION TO THE
YOUNG PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH

We invite all young people looking to become more involved in parish life or preparing for a sacrament, to sing, altar serve or read at one of our masses. Please contact Cory Mae at: corymaeomega@gmail.com.



CHILDREN’S LITURGY

During 10:30 a.m. mass
 For ages 4 to 11
 During the first half of mass
 Older children can join as helpers
 Parents to accompany their child as they see fit
 A time of prayer, song, gospel reading, and discussion.



JAN. 12TH TO JAN. 18TH

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Sun. Jan. 12	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. Jan. 12	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Bahnan Najjar and Yvonne Krko-Najjar</i> by Michael, Lourdes, Nowella & Suhail Najjar.
Mon. Jan. 13	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Balvir Machado</i> by Anne-Marie De Souza.
Tues. Jan. 14	8:30 a.m.	For <i>peace and consolation for Louella MacDonald</i> by her cousin Rhea & Frank Dalton.
Wed. Jan. 15	8:30 a.m.	
Thurs. Jan. 16	8:30 a.m.	
Fri. Jan. 17	<i>NO MASS ON FRIDAYS</i>	
Sat. Jan. 18	4:30 p.m.	For <i>the intentions of Cecilia D’Amico</i> by the family.

HEALING MASS - JANUARY 17TH

The next monthly healing Mass hosted by the People of Joy Prayer Group and the Holy Spirit Healing Clinic will take place on **Friday, Jan. 17th**, starting with confessions at 6:00 p.m., and followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. Our celebrant, Father Albert MacPherson. OSA, Powerful Healing Ministry will be flying up from Nova Scotia. Everyone is welcome to attend.

LITURGY OF THE WORD
HEALING MASS

Join us on **Sunday, Jan. 19th at 2:00 p.m. in the church** for a special Liturgy of the Word/Healing Mass for the students attending our parish schools and the children of our parish community. Father Albert MacPherson. OSA, Powerful Healing Ministry will be presiding.

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