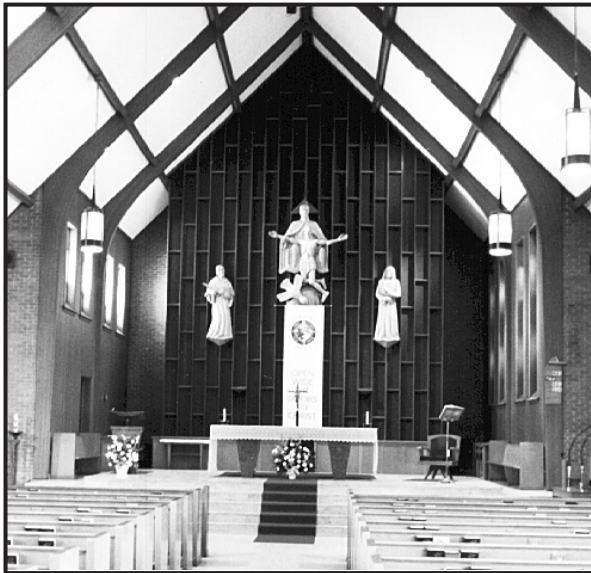


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WE BELIEVE OUR PARISH MISSION TO BE:

We, the joyful members of St. Augustine Parish, commit ourselves to devote time and energy to assist its people of God to embody the Gospel of Jesus Christ, thus promoting the Kingdom of God. We endeavour to serve the parish community by witnessing our faith in Jesus Christ and by celebrating the Eucharist and enhancing it in thought, word and deed.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Augustine's	1009 Arnot Road	(613) 225-8020
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Frank Ryan Sr. Elem	128 Chesterton Drive	(613) 224-8833
St. Pius X High	1481 Fisher Ave.	(613) 225-8105

SUNDAY LITURGY: Saturday 4:30 p.m., Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGY: Monday to Friday at 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

MONDAYS, 9:30 AM Divine Mercy Cenacle (St. Mary's Room)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call Brenda or Ray Gervais (613) 228-6848.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call parish office 9 months prior to the date of marriage.

PASTORAL CARE: To schedule a pastoral visit for parishioners who are shut-in, elderly, or bereaved, please contact the parish office.

PASTOR: Rev. Frank Scott

SECRETARY: Edda Mariani - (613) 225-7388

OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Please note that the parish office is closed on Thursday & Friday.

CUSTODIAN: Mr. Michael McGrath - (613) 225-0114

SEMINARIAN: Jonathan Kelly - (613) 225-7388

TELEPHONES

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Website: www.staugustineparish.ca
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REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

MONDAYS:	7:30 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group (Life in the Spirit Seminars)
TUESDAYS:	7:30 PM	Adult Choir Practice (Church)
WEDNESDAYS:	9:30 AM	Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Hour
FRIDAYS:	9:30 AM	Eucharistic Adoration

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kathleen Boskill	(613) 805-7308
Thom Maloney	(613) 864-0555
Betty Roy	(613) 228-4138

COMMITTEES

Development and Peace:	Wambui Kipusi	(613) 249-9051
Social Action:	Inez Gignac	(613) 526-0172
Pro Life:	Alana Beddoe	(613) 225-8523
Refugee Sponsorship:	Denis Therrien	(613) 228-7646

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Brian Gallant	(613) 224-3075
Craig Boyle	(613) 224-9821
Joseph Murphy	(613) 297-5383
David Toomey	(613) 729-8389
Christine Bradley	(613) 224-5985
Paul Finn	(613) 226-1531

MINISTRIES

Altar Servers:	Jonathan Kelly	(613) 225-7388
Adult Servers:	Margaret Clair	(613) 226-8179
Children's Liturgy:	Denis and Sue Therrien	(613) 228-7646
	Concepcion Noel-Luong	(613) 228-1482
Cursillo Representatives:	Ray & Brenda Gervais	(613) 228-6848
Eucharistic Ministers:	Christiana Taylor	(613) 224-3928
Lectors:	Joan St. Germain	(613) 828-7490
Linens:	Colleen McEwan	(613) 225-2356
Money Counters:	Patrick Gignac	(613) 526-0172
9:00 AM Adult Choir:	James Fraser	(613) 224-1382
10:30 AM Choir:	Joe Cousineau	(613) 422-4387
4:30 PM Choir:	Thom Moloney	(613) 864-0555
Organist:	James Fraser	(613) 224-1382
Prayer Group:	Margaret Clair	(613) 226-8179
R.C.I.A.:	Jonathan Kelly	(613) 225-7388
Sacraments:		
Sacristans:	Elaine Choy	(613) 225-2236
Vigil Light Intentions:	Dolly Moyse	(613) 221-9178
Ushers:	Fern Corriveau	(613) 823-0247
Welcoming Team:	Ray Gervais	(613) 228-6848

PARISH REGISTRATION

A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners. Please introduce yourselves to the pastor and complete the registration form below and place it in the collection basket.

FULL NAME: SPOUSE'S NAME:

NUMBER OF CHILDREN: TELEPHONE NUMBER:

FULL ADDRESS:

Would you like a visit from the Welcoming Team?

Yes

No

From the Pastor's Desk

Fourth Sunday of Easter (C), April 17, 2016

“I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me” (Jn 10:14) The imagery of Jesus as lamb has profound theological and sacrificial implications, especially in Johannine literature, which presents Jesus as the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. But the imagery of the Lamb offers us another image: the lamb is one of us, the sheep. In a homily in 2013 Pope Francis asked that priests “be shepherds with the smell of sheep.” Jesus literally embodied this principle in the Incarnation by becoming the shepherd who joins the flock. Having grown up on the farm I know the smell of sheep, the cattle, and all those smelly places where farm animals and chickens stay and rest from the elements of weather etc. Further the animal on the farm knows the call, the voice of the farmer... I can attest from my own father calling the cattle in... knowing there is food to comfort them! There is something about the voice of the Shepherd and/or the farmer!

VOCATION SUNDAY IS TODAY!

(Fr Frank) When was the last time a priest was given from this parish? Today on this Good Shepherd Sunday, fourth Sunday of Easter we pray and reflect upon the importance of vocations. As I told a packed church here last Sunday for "first communion" it all begins at Baptism (pointing to the baptismal font) Our children who receiving Eucharist for the first time are entering the journey with their Good Shepherd who hears His voice! Vocations come from families with lively faith and prayerful life! I was blessed to have loving parents who were very active with the church and befriended many priests who came and went from their church at St. Michael's, Corkery. They lived for/with the Church. We have become mission territory here in this Diocese when we rely heavily on priests from Africa and Asia and priests from Religious communities. We have many young men and women who come here to worship let us pray for their vocation and discernment. Let us pray for our seminarian, Jonathan Kelly as he has two more years of study before ordination!

Readings for Sunday, Apr. 17th

4th Sunday of Easter

- 1st Reading:** Acts 13.14, 43-52
We are now returning to the Gentiles.
- 2nd Reading:** Revelation 7.9, 14b-17
The Lamb will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life.
- Gospel:** John 10.27-30
I give my sheep eternal life.



LITURGY COMMITTEE MEETING: on Wednesday, April 20th, at 7:00 p.m., in the meeting room.

BAPTISMS: next Sunday, April 24th at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION

For the week of April 17th

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

~ the living and deceased members of the Feraco & Mariani family ~

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2016

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Bal Brought Fwd	\$ 50,790	\$ 53,683	\$ 2,893
Apr. 3	\$ 5,414	\$ 2,953	- \$ 2,461
Year to Date	\$ 56,204	\$ 56,636	\$ 432



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Ronald Choy, Dan Mackay, Rita Dunlop, Rod Sabourin, Bertha Clarke and May Ellis.

If you wish to add a name to our prayer list, please contact the parish office at (613) 225-7388. Names will be kept on the list for a period of one month. To keep the name on for an additional month, please call the parish office 613-225-7388.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS
4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER – APR. 17TH

That the coming of the new heaven and new earth will be hastened through the holy lives and faithful witness of all those called to serve the Lord as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers.



Starting on Monday, May 2nd, we are going to change the weekday morning Mass time from 9:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. (a half hour earlier). Please spread the news, especially to those who regularly attend this daily mass. We will try this new time for at least the summer and see what happens.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Social Action Committee will be having their annual spring rummage on **Sat., April 30th**, from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon in the parish hall. All donations of clothing, household items, small appliances, books, toys, etc. are welcome. Donations may be dropped off and left on the parish hall stage from Mon., Apr. 25th to Fri., Apr. 29th. Volunteers are needed on Friday to help sort out and prepare items for the sale as well as on Saturday to help out with the sale. For more information, or to volunteer, please call: Inez Gignac (613-526-0172). Proceeds from the sale will be used for Social Action Committee projects to help the needy of the parish.

HIKE FOR LIFE

The 27th annual “Hike for Life” in support of Action Life will take place on **Sat., April 30th**. Action Life is a pro-life educational not-for-profit organization in Ottawa. All parishioners are welcome to attend the 5 km walk from St. Patrick Basilica to the canal and then return. There are pledge forms at all entrances of the church. Registration for the walk takes place between 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. in the basement of St. Patrick Basilica. Official kick-off is at 9:00 a.m. If you are unable to walk, please consider sponsoring our parish hikers: Kristen Boskill and Margaret Clair. Donation envelopes can be found in the pews and can be returned in the Sunday collection basket until May 1st. Thank you for your support!



APRIL 18TH TO APRIL 24TH

Mon. Apr. 18	9:00 A.M.	For the repose of the soul of <i>Rejean Cholette</i> by Pauline.
Tues. Apr. 19	9:00 A.M.	For the 90 th birthday of <i>Terry Tynchuk</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Wed. Apr. 20	9:00 A.M.	For the repose of the soul of <i>Therese Rita Rivet</i> by Ann Allen.
Thurs. Apr. 21	9:00 A.M.	For the intentions of <i>Michael McGrath and his family</i> .
Fri. Apr. 22	9:00 A.M.	For the repose of the soul of <i>Sherry Mackay</i> by Bill & Kay Crogie.
Sat. Apr. 23	4:30 P.M.	For a <i>thanksgiving Mass to God, Jesus, mother Mary, all the angels and saints for answered prayers</i> by a thankful parishioner.
Sun. Apr. 24	9:00 A.M.	For the repose of the soul of <i>Dorothy Parr</i> by Anne & Dirk de Vos.
Sun. Apr. 24	10:30 A.M.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>

ARCHDIOCESE FRIDAY FAX

EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE - URGENT QUESTIONS. An invitation to Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall, 153 Woodroffe Avenue to hear Louise Harbour, Executive Director of Action Life speak on these crucial issues, including the Parliamentary Report on Physician-assisted dying. **Thurs., April 21, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** Free. Info: Catherine Swimmings (613-729-1869) or Jennifer Jones (613-726-6738).

PRO-LIFE MASS: To continue our pilgrimage of prayer for the establishment of a Pro-Life Centre in Ottawa. This month we celebrate with the Nigerian community on **Sun., April 24, 1:30 p.m.** at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, 400 St. Laurent Blvd. Info: (613-831-2515).

LEGION OF MARY SPRING RETREAT: In honour of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, the Legion of Mary is hosting a silent retreat at La Maison de la Providence, Orleans, **Fri., May 27 – Sun., May 29.** Retreat master: Fr. Andrew Quarshie. Theme: Devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Cost: \$215 for 2 nights lodging, 5 meals, 3 conferences. Daily Mass. Info & registration: Johanne Walsh (613-226-3279).



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