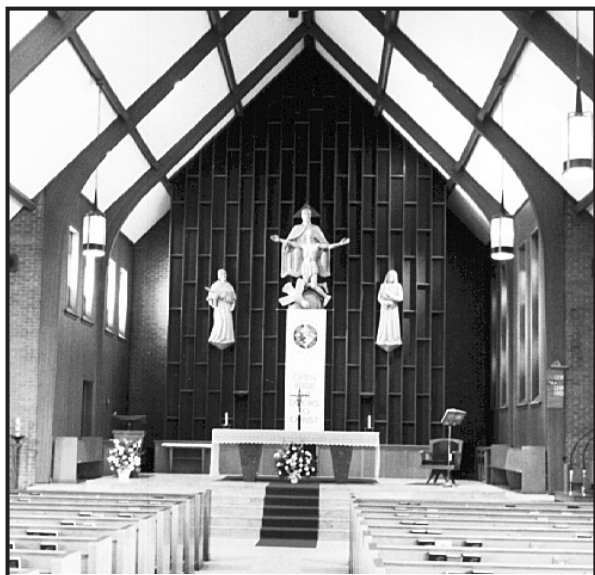


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WE BELIEVE OUR PARISH MISSION TO BE:

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
St. Rita's	1 Inverness Avenue	(613) 224-6341
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

Office (613) 225-7388 Church Hall (613) 225-0114 Fax (613) 225-6127
Website: www.staugustineparish.ca
Archdiocese Website: www.catholicottawa.ca

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

Sunday (April 3): "Unless I see - I will not believe" Would those words be true today? Is it possible for many baptized Christians to no longer believe? Have heavy doubts as did Thomas in the upper room? The Risen Lord Jesus revealed the glory of his resurrection to his disciples gradually and over a period of time. Even after the apostles saw the empty tomb and heard the reports of Jesus' appearance to the women, they were still weak in faith and fearful of being arrested by the Jewish authorities. When Jesus appeared to them he offered proofs of his resurrection by showing them the wounds of his passion, his pierced hands and side. He calmed their fears and brought them peace, the peace which reconciles sinners and makes us friends of God.

Readings for Sunday, Apr. 3rd
2nd Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy

1st Reading: Acts 5.12-16
More than ever believers were added to the Lord, great numbers of both men and women.

2nd Reading: Revelation 1.9-11a, 12-13, 17-19
I was dead, and see, I am alive forever and ever.

Gospel: John 20.19-31
A week later Jesus came and stood among them.



LITURGY COMMITTEE MEETING: on Wed., April 6th, at 7:00 p.m., in the parish meeting room.

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE MEETING: on Thursday, April 7th, at 1:00 p.m., in the parish meeting room.

1ST EUCHARIST – ALL CANDIDATES OF FIRST COMMUNION FROM ST. RITA SCHOOL: on Sunday, April 10th, at 1:30 p.m.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION

For the week of April 3rd

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

~ Renee Grandbois ~

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2016

	Budget	Actual	Variance
Bal Brought Fwd	\$ 43,195	\$ 45,789	\$ 2,594
Mar. 20	\$ 3,015	\$ 3,383	\$ 368
Year to Date	\$ 46,210	\$ 49,172	\$ 2,962



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Ronald Choy, May Ellis and Kay Crogie.

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.

FIRST COMMUNION
ST. RITA SCHOOL CHILDREN

The children of St. Rita School will be receiving the Easter Sacrament of First Eucharist **next Sunday, April 10th, at 1:30 p.m.** Please pray for the children, their parents and teachers as they continue on their journey of faith.

Prayer Shawl Ministry Program? Being wrapped in God's love and mercy.

In my previous parish (St. Martin de Porres), the CWL was instrumental in crafting a number of 'special' handmade shawls which were used in the celebration of various milestones, including baptisms, weddings, or in times of special need or serious illness. In an arrangement of colours, the shawls were brought to the altar for a special blessing during specific times at Sunday Mass and were then presented to the recipients.

Are there any "happy knitters" out there who would like to participate and contribute to this special ministry? Please let us know (613-225-7388).

PEOPLE OF JOY
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Are you looking for a way to deepen your relationship with Jesus? Why not join us for a beautiful evening of Sprit-filled song, praise, worship and sharing? We meet every Monday from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., in the parish hall. Check out our new website for more information: www.peopleofjoy.ca.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP

Donation envelopes are available at each church entrance. Parishioners are encouraged to donate toward this parish project once per month. Refugee sponsorship donations can be put in the collection more or less often and at any week-end mass. However, the masses of the last week-end of the month have been singled out as opportunities to provide support for the Refugee Sponsorship project. This collection coincides with Coffee Sunday thus providing an opportunity for parishioners to discuss developments with Refugee Sponsorship Committee members and meet the sponsored families.

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.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS
APRIL 2016

Universal: Small Farmers

That small farmers may receive a just reward for their precious labour.

Evangelization: African Christians

That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts.



APRIL 4TH TO APRIL 10TH

Mon. Apr. 4	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Larry Shepherd</i> by the Platinum Club.
Tues. Apr. 5	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Denny Doucette</i> by his family.
Wed. Apr. 6	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the souls in Purgatory</i> by a parishioner.
Thurs. Apr. 7	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Sister Marie Laurence</i> by a parishioner.
Fri. Apr. 8	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Stevan Aratski</i> by his family.
Sat. Apr. 9	4:30 P.M.	For <i>the special intentions of Sheila Kelly</i> by Sheila Kelly. For <i>the intentions of the Kendall family</i> by Barb.
Sun. Apr. 10	9:00 A.M.	For <i>God's comfort and protection of all seniors who live in senior's homes</i> by a parishioner.
Sun. Apr. 10	10:30 A.M.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>

ARCHDIOCESE FRIDAY FAX

SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD OF PRIESTS

APOSTOLATE INFO SESSION: At Villa Marconi Library, 1026 Baseline Rd. on **Wed., April 6, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.** All women are invited to attend. 'Learn more about interceding for our beloved priests.' Info: Maria Pirrone (613-225-6067) or Maria Nicastro (613-875-6279); (www.spiritualmotherhoodofpriests.ca).

MARYVALE ACADEMY ACCEPTING

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS OF

THANKSGIVING: Notre Dame Cathedral, **Sun., May 1, 2:30 p.m.** For couples celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 + years of marriage in 2016. Families & friends are most welcome. Registration details now available in parishes. Deadline to register: Wed., April 20.



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