

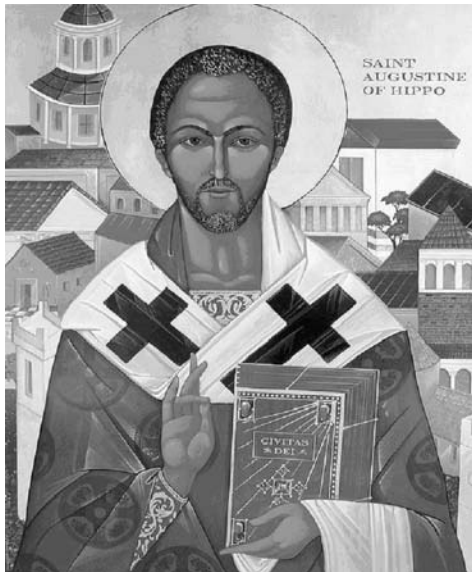
St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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

Weekday Liturgy
 Monday to Friday
 May 1 – October 31: 8:30 a.m.
 November 1 – April 30: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Liturgy
 Saturday: 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Parish Pastoral Council

Betty Roy (Chairperson) (613) 228-4138

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Children's Liturgy: Denis & Sue Therrien	(613) 228-7646
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Coffee Sunday: Anna Robotham	(613) 225-8523
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9:00 a.m. Adult Choir: James Fraser	(613) 224-1382
10:30 a.m. Choir: Joe Cousineau	(613) 422-4387
4:30 p.m. Choir: Thom Moloney	(613) 864-0555
Organist: James Fraser	(613) 224-1382
Prayer Group: Margaret Clair	(613) 226-8179
Sacristans: Elaine Choy	(613) 225-2236
Vigil Light Intentions: Parish Office	(613) 225-7388
Welcoming Team/Greeters: Ray Gervais	(613) 228-6848

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

Pastoral Care

To schedule a pastoral visit for parishioners who are ill, elderly, bereaved or shut-in, please call the office.

Sacrament of Baptism
 Ray or Brenda Gervais (613) 228-6848

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

Parish Registration
 A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners. Please call the parish office to register.

Regular Weekly Parish Events

Monday: 7:30 p.m.	Charismatic Prayer Group (Hall) www.peopleofjoy.ca
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m.	Adult Choir Practice (Church)
Wed.: 9:30 a.m.	Our Lady of Guadeloupe Prayer Hour (Church)
	9:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Cenacle (St. Mary's Room)
Mon. - Fri.: 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.	Eucharistic Adoration (Church)

Archdiocese of Ottawa Website
www.catholicottawa.ca

Parish Schools

St. Augustine	1009 Arnot Road	(613) 225-8020
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From the Pastor's Desk

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Sun., Feb. 5th)

"You are the salt of the earth and light of the world"

Jesus used ordinary images, such as salt and light, to convey extraordinary truths that transform our minds, hearts, and lives. What does salt and light have to teach us about God and the transforming power of his kingdom? Salt was a valuable commodity in the ancient world. People traded with it, like we trade with valuable goods, such as gold and stock. Salt also served a very useful purpose, especially in warmer climates before the invention of electricity and refrigeration. Salt not only gave rich flavor to food, it also preserved food from going bad and being spoiled. Jesus used the image of light and a lamp to further his illustration of God's transforming work in and through us. This famous Gospel was the basis for Salt and Light TV, out of Toronto and the theme for WYD in 2002 in Toronto motivated many youth to become leaders for the New Evangelization. This Gospel also gives teaching and reflection on the Vocation of Marriage and Priesthood which I will be speaking on today!

Readings for Sunday, February 5th
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 1st Reading:** **Isaiah 58.6-10**
Your light shall break forth like the dawn.
- 2nd Reading:** **1 Corinthians 2.1-5**
I proclaimed to you the mystery of Jesus Christ, and him crucified.
- Gospel:** **Matthew 5.13-16**
You are the light of the world.

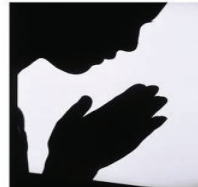
VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION
For the week of Feb. 5th

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

~ Nick & Jacob ~

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2017

Annual Budget	\$190,776.00
Date	January 22, 2017
Total Collection YTD	\$11,807.00
% Collected YTD	6%
% Year Elapsed	8%



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Marcel Grandbois, Renee Grandbois, Margaret Clair, Mary McEltheran, Cecilia Hastings and Mary Finlan.

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



Feb. 5th to Feb. 12th

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: held at **8:00 a.m. each weekday morning before Mass.** "Come let us adore Him" for the New Evangelization of the Parish, rosary at 8:35 a.m. **7:00 p.m.,** in the parish boardroom.

Alpha Program (Session 5): on Wed., Feb. 8th, from **6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.,** downstairs in the parish hall.

World Day of Prayer for the Sick: Father Frank will administer the anointing Sacrament of the Sick at the **4:30 p.m. Mass next Sat., Feb. 11th.**

The World Day of Prayer for the Sick is held each year on Feb. 11th. Since it falls on a Saturday this year, we will have the Sacrament of the Sick during the **4:30 p.m. Mass next Saturday (Feb. 11th).** Those of you who are chronically sick, getting progressively worse, preparing for surgery or have a terminal illness are welcome to join Fr. Frank who will administer the Sacrament of Anointing for you, as you partake of this special blessing from the Divine Physician.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP
END OF FUNDRAISING/THANK YOU

As the Refugee Sponsorship fund has reached a sufficient level to fulfill its goal of supporting the family for at least one year, fundraising has stopped.

Thank you all for your generous support.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

2016 income tax receipts are available for pick up at the Baseline Road entrance of the Church.

2017 OFFERING ENVELOPES

2017 offering envelope boxes with assigned numbers have been brought back to the parish office. For parishioners who have not yet picked up your assigned box, please call the parish office (613-225-7388) to arrange for pick-up. They will be available until March 1st. After that, the number will be removed from the database system and reassigned.

Unassigned envelopes will continue to be available at the Baseline entrance of the church for anyone who wishes to start using parish envelopes on a regular basis. Visitor envelopes are also available for those who are visiting for the day. Please ensure that you fill in your **name, address, phone number** and the **amount** of your contribution on the envelope.

Please Note: The amount section must be clearly filled in on each and every envelope you use throughout the year.

UPCOMING CURSILLO WEEKENDS

WOMEN'S

March 9th – March 12th

MEN'S

April 6th – April 9th

For that boost in your life, prayerfully consider participating in a Cursillo weekend.

The cost is \$200 or whatever you can afford. For more information, please contact Ray or Brenda Gervais at 613-228-6848.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

5TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME – FEB. 5TH

World Day for Consecrated Life. That all those discerning a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life will find encouragement through our prayers and sacrifices on their behalf.



Feb. 6th to Feb. 12th

Mon. Feb. 6	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of David Holmes on his birthday</i> by Rollande and Norman Shank.
Tues. Feb. 7	9:00 A.M.	For <i>Nelly's special intentions</i> by a parishioner.
Wed. Feb. 8	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Father Andre Fortin</i> .
Thurs. Feb. 9	9:00 A.M.	For <i>those confined to their home, senior residence, nursing home or hospital</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Fri. Feb. 10	9:00 A.M.	For <i>God's blessing in our homes, our parish and our schools</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Sat. Feb. 11	4:30 P.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Barry Farrugia</i> by Gina & Mark Davies. For <i>the repose of the soul of Mary Ann Summers</i> by Margaret Paul.
Sun. Feb. 12	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the special intentions of Hannah & John</i> by their mother.
Sun. Feb. 13	10:30 A.M.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>



Friday Facts

PRIESTHOOD DISCERNERS' GROUP: Open to any single Catholic man interested in knowing more about the priesthood. Next meeting: **Wed., Feb. 8, 7:00 p.m.** at St. Margaret Mary Parish. Info: Fr. Pierre Champoux (613-558-1445) or (vocations@archottawa.ca); (<http://www.catholicottawa.ca/priesthood>).

ULTIMATE DATE NIGHT: Sanctifying Families presents a Couples' Dinner on **Sat., Feb. 11, 6:30 p.m.** at Senhor Santo Cristo Parish, 1100 Kenaston, Gloucester. Guest speaker: Bishop Christian Riesbeck CC. Tickets: \$35/couple. Advance registration required: (www.sanctifyingfamilies.ca). Info: Theresa or Cheryl (sanctifyingfamilies@gmail.com); (613-821-9932).



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