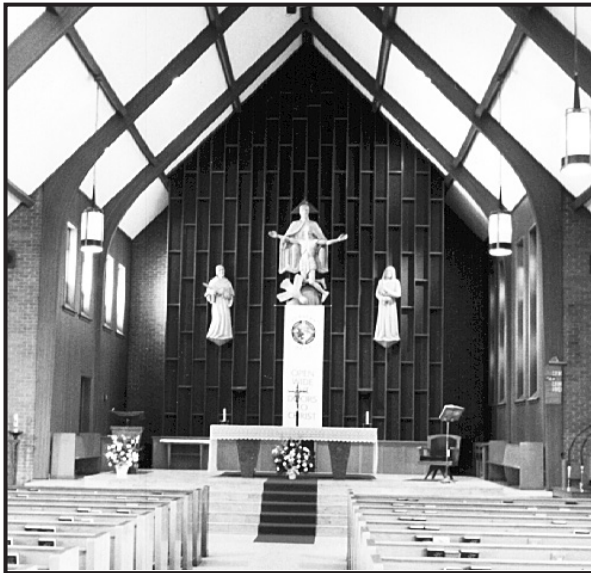


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WE BELIEVE OUR PARISH MISSION TO BE:

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 8:30 a.m.

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

WEDNESDAYS, 9:30 a.m. 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.

REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

MONDAYS:	7:30 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group www.peopleofjoy.ca
TUESDAYS:	7:30 PM	Adult Choir Practice (Church)
WEDNESDAYS:	9:30 AM	Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Hour
FRIDAYS:	9:30 AM	Eucharistic Adoration

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

TELEPHONES

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Website: www.staugustineparish.ca
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kathleen Boskill	(613) 805-7308
Thom Maloney	(613) 864-0555
Betty Roy	(613) 228-4138
Joseph Murphy	(613) 297-5383

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
David Toomey	(613) 729-8389
Christine Bradley	(613) 224-5985
Paul Finn	(613) 226-1531

MINISTRIES

Adult Servers:	Margaret Clair	(613) 226-8179
Children's Liturgy:	Denis and Sue Therrien	(613) 228-7646
	Concepcion Noel-Luong	(613) 228-1482
Coffee Sunday:	Anna Robotham	(613) 225-8523
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
Sacramental Preparation:	Parish Office	(613) 225-7388
Sacristans:	Elaine Choy	(613) 225-2236
Vigil Light Intentions:	Parish Office	(613) 225-7388
Welcoming Team/Greeters:	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 (September 4):

The cost of discipleship: Why does Jesus say we must 'hate' our families and even ourselves? The expression 'to hate' often meant to 'prefer less'. Jesus used strong language to make clear that nothing should take precedence or first place over God. God our heavenly Father created us in his image and likeness to be his sons and daughters. He has put us first in his love and concern for our welfare. Our love for him is a response to his exceeding love for us. True love is costly because it is willing to sacrifice all for the sake of the beloved. God sacrificed his Son for our sake and for our salvation.

Readings for Sunday, September 4th 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Wisdom 9.13-18
Who can discern what the Lord wills?

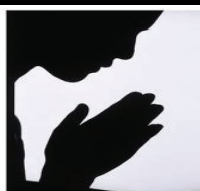
2nd Reading: Philemon 9b-10, 12-17
Take him back, no longer as a slave but as a much beloved brother.

Gospel: Luke 14.25-33
Whoever of you does not give up all that he has cannot be my disciple.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION For the week of September 4th

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

~ the intentions of John ~



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Dan Mackay, Rita Dunlop, Rod Sabourin, Bertha Clarke, Marcel Grandbois, Renee Grandbois, Carmel Bigelow, Margaret Clair and Mary McElheran.

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, unless a request is made to keep them longer.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS FOR 2016

Annual Budget	\$203,354.00
Date	August 21
Total Collection YTD	\$117,727.00
% Collected YTD	58%
% Year Elapsed	65%

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer Ministers of Communion are need for the 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday and the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday. Orientation will be provided. Please call Father Frank at (613) 225-7388 for further details.

New Beginnings bring change and renewal. Let us pray for the New Evangelization in our parishes as we ourselves are looking at areas of empowering more of the Baptized to bring their gifts and talents, as we build the Christian community. Bring someone to church who has not had the encounter with Christ that you have. Encourage those of the faith or no faith to join in an Adult faith program to experience the fullness of membership with the church.

(Fr Frank Scott)

RCIA

Adult formation of those seeking full membership in the church will commence in late September. Those adults who seek Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist are invited to participate in a weekly session here in the conference room (office). This journey of faith is called the Rite of Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Inquiries, please call the office (613) 225-7388.

“Where have all the weddings gone?”

Part 1

Destination, hotel, back yard... People are surprised when I say that there are no weddings here!! What is happening? The last time the question of the Sacrament of Matrimony or related themes is brought up is in Grade Twelve. Could it be that there is NO interest at all in those who go out in the working world after high school and college and feel no interest in following through on celebrating such a Sacrament of service in the Church? Yes to be a witness for our world is to be a Sacramental SIGN. There is much need of adult catechesis in these times for the New Evangelization.

PLANNING FOR THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND TEA

Planning is well underway for the return of the Christmas Bazaar and Tea on **Sat., Nov. 19th from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** We will be asking for your donations for the event, such as: baked goods and home-made preserves, handcrafted items, new gift items, and more. Stay tuned in the weeks to come! If you would like to join our working group responsible for planning the event details, contact Barbara Miles @ 613-224-3412, or barbara.miles@rogers.com.

(Our next meeting takes place on Thursday September 8th from 7-8:15 pm in the Parish Hall.)

THE BEAUTY OF MERCY: POPE FRANCIS AND CONFESSION

To aid Canadian Catholics in celebrating the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy which ends this November 20, the Episcopal Commission for Doctrine of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has prepared a text entitled *The Beauty of Mercy: Pope Francis and Confession*. It is a series of quotations from the Holy Father on the importance and beauty of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and contains likewise words that encourage and challenge both penitents and priest confessors. Copies are available at all entrances of the Church and in the confessional or online at: www.cccb.ca.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS SEPTEMBER 2016

Universal: Centrality of the Human Person

That each of us may contribute to the common good and to the building of society that places the human person at the centre.

For Evangelization: Mission to Evangelize

That by participating in the Sacraments and meditating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS 23RD SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME-SEPT. 4TH

For the faithful response of those being called by Christ to take up their cross and follow Him as a priest, deacon, sister or brother.

THEME FOR THE 2016-2017 PASTORAL YEAR

The 2016-2017 pastoral year theme is: *The family: home of love, mercy and joy. "The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace . . ."* (Galations 5.22)



SEPT. 5TH TO SEPT. 11TH

Mon. Sept. 5	8:30 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Mary Ann Summers</i> by Kenny Summers & family.
Tues. Sept. 6	8:30 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Mary Jacob, mother of Michael Dawson</i> by Michael & Josephine Dawson. For <i>the repose of the souls of Ana Fernandez, Segundo Sagon & Robert Quezon</i> by Esmeralda.
Wed. Sept. 7	8:30 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Christopher Dobson</i> by Father Frank Scott.
Thurs. Sept. 8	8:30 A.M.	For <i>the protection of life at all stages</i> by St. Augustine's Pro-Life Committee.
Fri. Sept. 9	8:30 A.M.	For <i>the intentions of Monica Kerry</i> by Ron, Elaine & family.
Sat. Sept. 10	4:30 P.M.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Ken McPherson</i> by the Platinum Club. For <i>the repose of the soul of Gerry McGrath</i> by the Lisle family.
Sun. Sept. 11	9:00 A.M.	For <i>the repose of the souls of Henry & Barbara Hoglund</i> by the Hoglund family.
Sun. Sept. 11	10:30 A.M.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>



SEPT. 5, 2016

Please note: the parish office is closed on Labour day. Have a nice weekend.



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