

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Thursday
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 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.

BAPTISMS:

Julia Moffat 613-697-7966

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: (Mondays – 7:30 pm – Church Hall)

Antonella Couse 613-668-2400
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CONFIRMATION

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Denis Therrien 613-290-3028

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Tobi Kozakewich tnkozakewich@gmail.com

FINANCE COUNCIL:

Ray Gervais 613-228-6848

HEALING MASS:

Edna Dubroy 819-592-6377

(1st Friday of the Month – 7 pm - Church)

Antonella Couse 613-668-2400

HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC:

HSHC Receptionist 343-262-4325

(Mondays – 1 pm to 4 pm – Church Hall)

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HOSPITALITY (Coffee Sunday):

Anna Robotham 613-225-8523

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:

Jeff Edwards 613-729-4071

MARRIAGE:

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:

David Lafferty 613-421-8115

PRO-LIFE:

Dolly Moyse 613-221-9178

SOCIAL ACTION:

Denis Therrien 613-290-3028

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/>



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PASTOR'S DESK

February 22nd, 2026 – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**Steward Fasting**

“At that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. He fasted for forty days and forty nights, and afterwards he was hungry.” Matthew 4:1-2

By fasting, Jesus emptied Himself of worldly concerns and the temptations they bring. We encounter temptations on a daily basis. By emptying ourselves of worldly concerns, we are able to see the simple gifts God places around us and find them fulfilling beyond any material desires.

 Lent 2026 Reflection Message:

As we enter Lent 2026, we are invited into a sacred season of renewal — a time to pause, reflect, and realign our hearts with God’s love. Just as the Israelites journeyed through the desert toward the Promised Land, we too are called to walk through our own deserts of distraction, fear, and self-reliance, trusting that God will guide us toward hope and new life.

This year, let our fasting be more than abstaining from food — let it be a letting go of resentment, pride, and anything that keeps us from loving fully. Let our prayer be more than words — let it be a deep listening to God’s voice in the quiet moments. And let our almsgiving be more than charity — let it be a genuine sharing of ourselves with those in need.

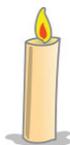
May these 40 days be a journey through the challenges of life toward the joy of Easter, where light overcomes darkness and love conquers all.

"Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me." (Psalm 51:10)

***Please note: in addition to daily Mass at 8:30 a.m., we will have 8:30 a.m. Mass on Saturdays during Lent, preceded by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, rosary at 8:00 a.m.**

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION

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



FEB.22nd ~ Intentions of Corazon & Edgardo ~



Anne Rolfe, Margaret Heaslip, Maureen Funai, Lillian Bradley, Paulette Chennette, Marie Springhall, Paul O’Grady, John Leman, Maureen Clulee, Deacon Chris Moffat, Frances Grandbois, Ken Taylor, John LeBrun, Wanda Hartlin, Lynn Kealey, the seniors at the Ravines and at Stirling Park, those who are isolated, lonely and those suffering from mental illness.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTIONS

Intentions for the vigil candle at the Blessed Sacrament can be made at the parish office at \$5 for the week.

HORIZONS OF HOPE PROGRAM: A CATHOLIC FAITH-BASED PROGRAM ON PALLIATIVE CARE

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops
 Questions about End-of-Life and Catholic Teaching?
 Facing a terminal illness or supporting a loved one?
 Interested in pastoral care and accompaniment?

The Horizons of Hope Program helps parishioners, caregivers, and family members facing terminal illness learn more about palliative care through four engaging modules:

1. Understanding the Human Experience of Dying and Death
2. Discerning and Making Decisions at the End of Life
3. Accompanying Those at the End of Life
4. Supporting and Integrating within the Wider Community

Location: St. Augustine Conference Room

Dates: Saturday, February 28, 2026,

8:30 AM – 12:00PM

Saturday, March 7, 2026, 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Facilitators: Tim Langlois JD and Julie Langlois PhD

To register or learn more:

Contact: Julie Langlois Phone: 613-791-5770

Email: Julie.Langlois817@gmail.com

GUIDELINES FOR LENTEN OBSERVANCES FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA-CORNWALL

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. Fridays are days of abstinence. On days of fast, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's own needs. Eating between meals is not allowed although fluids may be taken. Abstinence from meat binds all persons who are 14 and older, unless prevented by poor health. In the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall, the consumption of meat is not allowed on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent.

ARCHBISHOP'S FUND FOR MISSION ADVANCEMENT – SPECIAL COLLECTION (FEBRUARY 21-11)

On the First Sunday of Lent, we invite your contribution to the Diocesan & Missionary Works special collection, which supports the Archbishop's Fund for Mission Advancement. This fund helps Archbishop Damphousse respond quickly and generously to real needs and to opportunities that support the mission of the Church, especially here in the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall.

Most of what is given stays right here in our diocese, supporting evangelization, youth and family ministry, Catholic education and campus ministry, and other charitable works close to home.

Thanks to your generosity, more than \$60,000 was raised last year. This year, our goal is \$100,000.

Thank you for being a part of the mission!



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FEB. 22ND TO FEB. 28TH

Sun. Feb. 22	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. Feb. 22	10:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Federico D'Angelo</i> by Franca D'Angelo.
Mon. Feb. 23	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Kristy Hayes</i> by Ray Gervais.
Tues. Feb. 24	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the parents of Fr. Frank, Lois & Edmund</i> by Fr. Frank Scott.
Wed. Feb. 25	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Mrs. Val Fuller</i> by Melodie Gabriel.
Thurs. Feb. 26	8:30 a.m.	<i>For Dr. Edward O'Brien</i> by Fr. Frank Scott.
Fri. Feb. 27	8:30 a.m.	For Fr. Michael's Intentions.
Sat. Feb. 28	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Antonio Spezzano</i> by Antonella & Peter Couse
Sat. Feb. 28	4:30 p.m.	For <i>Gabrielle Poulin Gauthier</i> by her estate.

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