

# 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

Anna Frangione [amfrangia@yahoo.ca](mailto:amfrangia@yahoo.ca)

## EVANGELIZATION COORDINATOR

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## CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

Denis Therrien 613-290-3028

## FIRST EUCHARIST

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## 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)

[receptionisthshc@gmail.com](mailto:receptionisthshc@gmail.com)

## 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

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## PASTOR'S DESK

**January 25<sup>th</sup> & February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026 – Third and Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Steward Calling**

*"He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed Him."*

**MATTHEW 4:22**

Just as Jesus called the first apostles, He calls each of us to follow Him, too. Not everyone is called to leave their business or family behind, but we are expected to put God first in everything. In gratitude to God, we should give our first and best of everything to Him: our time in daily prayer, our talent in participating in one of our parish ministries and our treasure to support the financial needs of our parish mission.

**Is confession dead? Q&A with a Catholic historian on the state of the sacrament**

There is an interesting article with the title above in *National Catholic Reporter*. Only a minority of the faithful are seeking out confession at all, finds author [James O'Toole](#) in his urgent, provocative new study of the sacrament, *For I Have Sinned: The Rise and Fall of Catholic Confession in America*. Let us be clear how this Sacrament of healing and of Joy (Pope Francis reminds us) brings immense grace and blessing to all who receive. We are one of the few parishes offering the opportunity for Confession during the Holy hour of Adoration each weekday from 7 am to 8:15 as well as on Saturdays from 3 pm until 4:15pm.

**Looking ahead**

We are happy to receive and celebrate the Rite of Enrolment the weekend of Jan 24<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> for Candidates of Confirmation. We are anticipating Confirmation hopefully in late May. We have invited St. Elizabeth church to join us since they too equally have a small group! I believe we have under 12 candidates registered... this is the lowest number ever. \*ASH Wednesday is coming Feb 18. Masses to be celebrated at 8:30 am and 7 pm.

*"You have made us for Yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You."*

*This quote encapsulates Augustine's belief in the innate human desire for God and spiritual*

**VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION**

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

**JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup>** ~ The Lagrimas Family ~  
**FEB 1<sup>ST</sup>** ~ The repose of the soul of Cornelio Omega ~



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.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS – JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup>**

**First Reading:** Isaiah 9.1-4  
**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17-18  
**Gospel:** Matthew 4:12-23

**COMBINED BULLETIN FOR JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup> AND FEB. 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**Please note** that this is a combined bulletin for both Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> and Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>. Regular publication will resume on Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>.

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup>**

For those discerning their vocation, that Christ's invitation may awaken courage and commitment to follow Him faithfully, let us pray to the Lord.



## FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY & FEBRUARY

### SUN., JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup> – COFFEE SUNDAY SOCIAL

after the 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Masses (Parish Hall).

### SAT., JAN. 31<sup>ST</sup> – CONFIRMATION PREP SESSION

3:30-4:15 p.m., in the Parish Hall.

### FRI., FEB. 6<sup>TH</sup> – HEALING MASS

6:00 p.m. confessions, Mass at 7:00 p.m.

### FRI., FEB. 6<sup>TH</sup> – YOUTH NIGHT GR. 6-8

6:00 p.m. confessions, Mass at 7:00 p.m.

### MON., FEB. 9<sup>TH</sup> – BIBLE STUDY GOSPEL OF MARK

7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

### FRI., FEB. 13<sup>TH</sup> – THE SEARCH

7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

## THE SEARCH

Are you looking to explore questions about faith in a casual setting? **The Search** is for you!

**The Search** is an innovative video series created by The Augustine Institute that tackles the key questions of every human heart. In seven episodes, Chris Stefanick and experts from multiple fields of science, medicine, psychology, art, and religion examine our place in the larger story of existence.

### What happens at The Search?

We'll gather over light refreshments and after a few words of welcome, we'll begin with the video which is usually around 30 minutes. After, will discuss the video for about 30-45 minutes, then your host will wrap up the session.

**Cost:** Free

**Dates:** Fridays from 7:00-9:00 in the Conference Room, from February 13 – March 27.

To Register: [corymae.omega@ottawacornwall.ca](mailto:corymae.omega@ottawacornwall.ca)

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY

During 10:30 a.m. mass, except the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month.

For ages 4 to 11

During the first half of mass

Older children can join as helpers

Parents to accompany their child as they see fit

A time of prayer, song, gospel reading, and discussion.



## JAN. 25<sup>TH</sup> TO FEB. 7<sup>TH</sup>

Sun. Jan. 25	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. Jan. 25	10:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Philomena Serrao</i> by Lucy Goveas.
Mon. Jan. 26	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Terry Mullaly.</i>
Tues. Jan. 27	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Annamaria Spadaccini.</i>
Wed. Jan. 28	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Iolanda Feraco</i> by her daughter and family.
Thurs. Jan. 29	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the intentions of Claire Schultz</i> by Gerry Larkin.
Fri. Jan. 30	8:30 a.m.	For Fr. Michael's Intentions.
Sat. Jan. 31	4:30 p.m.	For <i>Pat and Inez Gignac</i> by Barbara Miles.
Sun. Feb. 1	9:00 a.m.	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Sun. Feb. 1	10:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Giovannella Mariani</i> by her son and family.
Mon. Feb. 2	8:30 a.m.	For <i>Goankim, Ho Van Tam, Thomas and Ho Ngoi.</i>
Tues. Feb. 3	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Elaine Hunt</i> by Julie Langlois.
Wed. Feb. 4	8:30 a.m.	
Thurs. Feb. 5	8:30 a.m.	For the <i>special intentions of David Langlois</i> by Julie Langlois.
Fri. Feb. 6	8:30 a.m.	For Fr. Michael's Intentions.
Sat. Feb. 7	4:30 p.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Victor D'Amico</i> by Teresa Wong.



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