

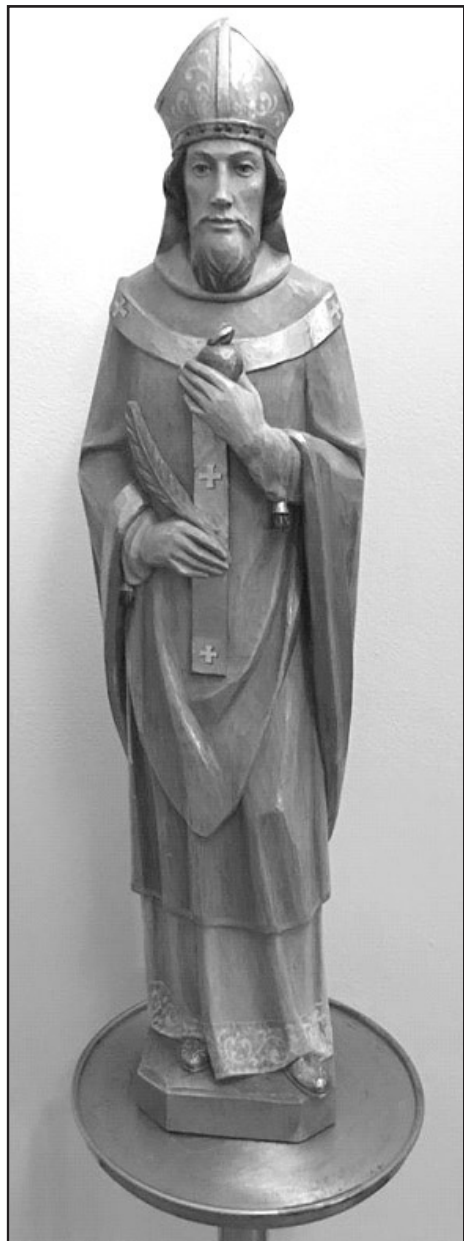
St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

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

~~ St. Augustine of Hippo ~~

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 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 www.peopleofjoy.ca
CONFIRMATION	Anna Frangione	amfrangia@yahoo.ca
EVANGELIZATION COORDINATOR	Cory Mae Omega	corymaeomega@gmail.com
CHILDREN'S LITURGY:	Denis Therrien	613-228-7646
FIRST EUCHARIST	Tobi Kozakewich	tnkozakewich@gmail.com
FINANCE COUNCIL:	Ray Gervais	613-228-6848
HEALING MASS: (1st Friday of the Month – 7 pm - Church)	Edna Dubroy	819-592-6377
HOLY SPIRIT HEALING CLINIC: (Mondays – 1 pm to 4 pm – Church Hall)	Antonella Couse	613-668-2400
HOSPITALITY (Coffee Sunday):	Michael Crane	613-834-5031 www.holyspirithealingclinic.com
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714:	Anna Robotham	613-225-8523
MARRIAGE:	Margaret Heaslip	613-727-2769
	Jeff Edwards	613-729-4071
	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:	Joe Cousineau	613-422-4387
PRO-LIFE:	Dolly Moyse	613-221-9178
SOCIAL ACTION:	Pat & Inez Gignac	613-526-0172

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. Pius X High School	1481 Fisher Ave.	613-225-8105

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PASTOR'S DESKTHE ASCENSION OF THE LORDLiving Stewardship

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." (Revelations 22:13)

This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work, or at school. Living Stewardship gratefully and generously is an intentional lifestyle. Every decision you make either moves you closer to God or farther away. Choose wisely!

Confession leads to healing:

We offer a special service to the community with priests being available for Confession each weekday morning from 7:00 a.m. until 8:15 a.m. and for an hour each Saturday afternoon, starting at 3:00 p.m.

It's truly amazing to see how many visitors come from all over, to partake of this "Sacrament of JOY."

Pope Francis has enshrined this phrase. "It is not a 'torture chamber' it really is perhaps the only encounter to open up ourselves to the Divine Redeemer; from whom ALL blessings flow." Confession leads to **forgiveness and healing by uniting the believer's heart with God's holiness and mercy**. Scripture, from Leviticus through the letters of the New Testament, reveals that confession is fundamental to restoring right relationship with God.

A Bit of history here at the parish

Did you know that in 1953, we were Blessed with starting a new parish here in the West-end of Ottawa. The neighbourhood at that time was farmland, well beyond the city limits of Ottawa, and with few decent roads. The growth of Ottawa provided the seeds of the parish. People trekked out to Nepean to find reasonably priced land on which to build their houses. The church here at St Augustine's was built in 1955. It is interesting to note that St George's parish (est. 1923) and St Augustine's parish were the only parishes in the west end at that time. It is said that people had to travel five miles into Ottawa to attend St George's, on Piccadilly Ave. near, Island Park Drive. "You were out in the boonies" recalls a parishioner. Mons. Len Lunney, a student in the 1950's when the parish was being built, remembers looking out over Parkwood Hills at the time and "seeing nothing but crops."

Vatican News

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html>

I would really like to encourage you to partake of this special communiqué via the internet – it contains daily news on the Vatican and Pope Leo. "As you may know," he shared, "the experience of mission is part of my life—not only as a baptized person, as it is for all Christians—but also because, as an Augustinian religious, I was a missionary in Peru. It was among the Peruvian people that my pastoral vocation matured." "I can never thank the Lord enough for this gift!"



Margaret Heaslip, Maureen Funai, Lillian Bradley, Paulette Chennette, Edith Pakenham, Paul O'Grady, John Leman, Maureen Clulee, Deacon Chris Moffat, Frances Grandbois, Richmond Guillermo, Ken and Christiane Taylor, John Lebrun, Donna, Wanda Hartlin, Luca, Franca the seniors at the Ravines and at Stirling Park, those who are isolated, lonely and scared and those suffering from mental illness, Covid, and RSV.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 1ST

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

~ for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit
and it's gifts at Pentecost ~

SCRIPTURE READINGS – JUNE 1ST THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

First Reading: Acts 1.1-11
As the disciples were watching, Jesus was lifted up.

Second Reading: Ephesians 1.17-23
God seated Jesus at his right hand in Heaven.
Or
Hebrews 9.24-28; 10.19-23
Christ entered into heaven itself.

Gospel: John 14.23-29
The Holy Spirit will teach you everything and remind you of all that I have said to you.

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY – JUNE 1

Today Catholics are invited to reflect upon the media of social communication (films, radio, television, newspapers, audiovisuals) and how these influence our lives.

The media can promote values that lead to a more fully human society. The Church's ministry is two-fold. The media can be used to help promote the Gospel. At the same time, as receivers of the materials presented by the media, the faithful have a duty to support and promote worthwhile presentations on media and reject those which promote values contrary to spiritual growth. ~~ Ordo/Liturgical Calendar 2024-2025 ~

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS-JUNE 1 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

For grace of confidence in prayer for all those discerning their vocation as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers, that they will be faithful to the voice of the Good Shepherd, we pray.

FIRST FRIDAY HEALING MASS

The next monthly healing Mass hosted by the People of Joy Prayer Group and the Holy Spirit Healing Clinic will take place on **Friday, June 6th**, with confessions at 6:00 p.m., followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. The celebrant is Father Francis Donnelly. Everyone is welcome to attend.

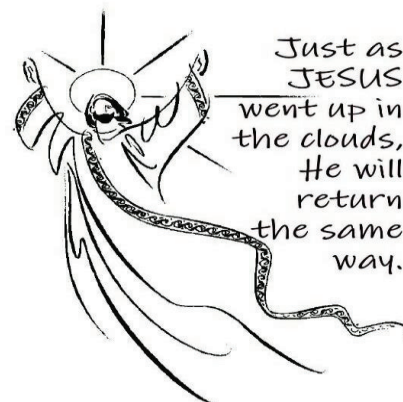
Please note: The healing Mass will break for the summer months of July and August and will resume in September.



JUNE 1ST TO JUNE 7TH

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sun. June 1	9:00 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Julia Moffat</i> by Natalia Havrylyshyn.
Sun. June 1	10:30 a.m.	For <i>the repose of the soul of Ron Choy</i> by Angie Koh.
Mon. June 2	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of our beloved friend Lisa</i> by your sisters of faith.
Tues. June 3	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Chris Moffat</i> by Natalia Havrylyshyn.
Wed. June 4	8:30 a.m.	For <i>those who are unjustly imprisoned</i> by Keven Cheung.
Thurs. June 5	8:30 a.m.	For <i>the intentions of Natalia</i> by Natalia Havrylyshyn.
Fri. June 6	NO MASS ON FRIDAYS	
Sat. June 7	4:30 p.m.	For <i>the intentions of Natalie</i> by her family.



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JESUS
went up in
the clouds,
He will
return
the same
way.

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