

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church

Established 1953

1060 Baseline Road, Ottawa, Ontario, K2C 0A6 Canada

Tel: 613-225-7388 • Email: office@staugustineparish.ca • Website: www.staugustineparish.ca

PASTOR:	Rev. Frank Scott:	613-225-7388	pastor@staugustineparish.ca
SECRETARY:	Cory Mae Menezes:	613-225-7388	office@staugustineparish.ca
CUSTODIAN:	Michael McGrath:	613-225-0114	michael@staugustineparish.ca
DEACON:	Christopher Moffat	613-697-7966	
BOOKKEEPER:	Na Bi		accounting@staugustineparish.ca



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
www.peopleofjoy.ca

CONFIRMATION

Anna Frangione amfrangia@yahoo.ca

EVANGELIZATION COORDINATOR

Cory Mae Menezes corymaeomega@gmail.com

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

Denis Therrien 613-290-3028

FIRST EUCHARIST

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)

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

ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA-CORNWALL: <https://ottawacornwall.ca/>



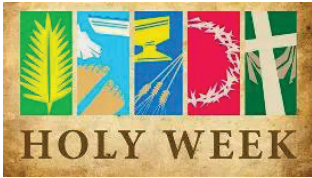
Donate Now -
St. Augustine Church

www.canadahelps.org

PASTOR'S DESK – MARCH 29TH, 2026**Stewardship Love of Neighbour**

“As they were marching out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross.” MATTHEW 27:32

The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with opportunities to love our neighbor and help him “carry his cross.” These opportunities aren’t usually big events, they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person’s needs before our own and not expecting anything in return.

Holy Week is upon us:

Let us capture all the symbols, gestures, long Gospels, and rich meaning of this most Holy week. Believe it a good exercise for you to wonder why we use and Bless+ palms, for next year being burnt are the ashes on Ash Wednesday. Why do we wear RED vestments today and Good Friday? Reflect on shared silence at the end of Mass today. Savour the "incomplete" nature of what's happening on Palm/passion

Sunday... the week continues. **You are invited to the solemn Chrism Mass at the Cathedral on Tuesday eve. at 5pm... where the special oils are Blessed+ Chrism, Catechumen, anointing for sick... presented to parish reps and brought back to respective parishes. **Holy Thursday highlights the washing of Feet for select few... and oh yes why do we use the particular Gospel from John; expressing service! **Good Friday highlights the Passion narrative from the Gospel of John. (where Jesus is in charge!) We have the solemn procession to adore the Cross who saves us. **Holy Saturday in quiet contemplation and mourning... ** Saturday eve, after sundown we celebrate the sacred Easter Vigil... +Blessing of the New Fire, solemn Exultet song, Scripture readings (our story) and homily...leading us into the Sacraments, renewal of Baptism promises and welcoming our Catechumen, Alex, into the parish through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist... then party time in the church hall after the Easter vigil of two hours. **Culminates with the Easter Sunday masses and solemn proclamation of the Alleluia.

Blessed Easter season! (Fr. Frank Scott)

What does our patron St. Augustine think of Holy week and its Passion?

Augustine here reflects on the hope and glory of the cross of Christ and the lesson in patience and love contained in the account of Jesus’ suffering and death. By his death, Jesus performed the most wonderful exchange with us. Through us, he died; through him, we shall live. The passion of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ is the hope of glory and a lesson in patience.

The Stations of the Cross is a great meditation how Jesus carried his cross; teaching for us all. The Stations of the Cross are more than a simple, ancient act of piety. It is a portrait of grace under pressure and specific reactions of Jesus. In our current age of global terrorism, economic uncertainty, widespread and severe depression and anxiety, and environmental devastation, the Stations offer us a time to strengthen our souls and grow the mystical muscles of our hearts. Take time to meditate; even offer these as your penance for Confession!

Deepening our understanding of Eucharist brings us to ponder many things. Notice in all the processions we stand. For the Entrance procession and the closing; for offertory and for Communion procession. As mentioned, we are invited to stand during the Communion procession as a sign of our solidarity as a pilgrim people. This has been added since the promulgation of the New missal and the changes that came about, around 12 years ago. It is after Communion we can remain seated or kneeling in Thanksgiving. During this time, we have "shared silence" to ponder what/who we have received.

VIGIL LIGHT INTENTION

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



MAR.29th ~ For the repose of the soul of Sam Bianco



Anne Rolfe, Margaret Heaslip, Maureen Funai, Lillian Bradley, Paulette Chenette, 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16714
FOOD FOR FAMILY DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting our monthly **Food for Family Drive** to support the Debra Dynes Family Centre – over the **March 28 & 29 and over the Easter Weekend (April 4 & 5).**

Items in high demand include:

- Dry pasta & pasta sauce
- Evaporated and condensed milk.
- Non-perishable dry goods, baby food, diapers, and personal hygiene products
- Grocery cards or cash donations are welcomed as well.

Items can be dropped off at any of the entrances of the Church. To arrange a pick-up at your residence, please contact Jeff Edwards, Grand Knight (his information can be found in the bulletin). Thank you for your on-going support to families in our community

EVANGELIZATION MINISTRY
WORKSHOP: HOW TO SHARE THE GOSPEL
CLEARLY AND SIMPLY

Have you ever wondered how to share the Good News with others?

CCO Missionaries, Emily Masferrer and Grace Cavazon, will lead you through a method of sharing the message of salvation in a simple and effective way. We’ll explore the Ultimate Relationship booklet, which involves inviting someone to respond in faith to Christ’s invitation to a relationship and to open their lives to Him.

Saturday, April 11th, from 12:30-3:00 p.m., Parish Hall.

Registration is free. Email to register by April 9th

corymae.omega@ottawacornwall.ca

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS - MAR. 29TH

For the Church, that Christ’s sacrifice may strengthen priests and religious in selfless service, let us pray to the Lord.

MONTHLY HEALING MASS

Please note that there will be no healing Mass in April. The next healing Mass will be on Friday, May 1st at 7:00p.m. with confession at 6:00 p.m.

COURTESY CORNER

GRIEF SUPPORT PROGRAM AT HOLY CROSS

If you are suffering from the loss of a loved one and are grieving, please join us for a support program every Tuesday for 6 weeks starting Tuesday, April 7 until May 12 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the **Holy Cross Parish church hall – 685 Walkley Road.** This support program will help you to understand the grieving process and will help you through it. Register now by calling Kelly Funeral Homes at 613-692-1157 or email to grief@kellyfh.ca



MAR. 29TH TO APR. 4th

PALM SUNDAY

Sun. Mar. 29	9:00 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Sam Bianco by his family.</i>
Sun. Mar. 29	10:30 a.m.	Missa Pro Populo
Mon. Mar. 30	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Francis Gaudet by Maureen Mitchell</i>
Tues. Mar. 31	8:30 a.m.	<i>For the repose of the soul of Alvin Siy.</i>
Wed. Apr. 1	8:30 a.m.	<i>For Dolores Omega</i>

HOLY THURSDAY

Thurs. Apr. 2	7:30 p.m.	<i>For the sick and suffering of our parish community.</i>
--------------------------------	----------------------------	--

GOOD FRIDAY

Fri. Apr. 3	9:00 a.m.	Stations of the Cross for Children & Families
	10:00 a.m.	Stations of the Cross
	3:00 p.m.	Passion of the Lord

HOLY SATURDAY/EASTER VIGIL

Sat. Apr. 4	8:00 p.m.	Missa Pro Populo
------------------------------	----------------------------	-------------------------

HONOURING TRADITIONS,
strengthening faith.

MCEVOY-SHIELDS

FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

1411 Hunt Club Rd.
613-737-7900
mcevoy-shields.com



LIFE WELL CELEBRATED

Liturgica inc.

Religious Supplies & Gifts

Shop online:
www.liturgica.ca
613-745-1537

Showroom:
2310 St-Laurent, Unit 209

Living**LIGHTING**

Where solutions come to light.

Large selection of Lamp Shades & Bulbs

www.livinglightingottawa.com

1600 Merivale Rd. 613-224-7817



Friends Hair Design

Unisex Hair Cutting • Walk-Ins Welcome

1600 Merivale Rd 613-727-3921

www.FriendsHairDesign.ca



Lima Denture & Implant Solutions

Your Smile is our Business!®

Adam Lima DD, B.Sc. Joseph Lima T.D., R.D.T., DD Michael Lima DD

1580 Merivale Rd. 613-224-1001 1535 Bank St. 613-526-1234

www.DentureclinicOttawa.com

Remember...

Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.



THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS!



TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

OS OTTAWA STRUCTURAL RESIDENTIAL SERVICES LTD.

Foundation Waterproofing
Structural repairs
Seniors discounts

18 Enterprise Ave 613 226-1234
www.ottawastructural.com

We Service ALL Makes and Models!



613-225-1260
1200 Baseline Rd.
myerscadillacgm.ca

Myers Ottawa CADILLAC | CHEV | BUICK | GMC

Angela Grandinetti
Realtor

Innovation Realty Ltd.
Brokerage

angela@innovationrealty.ca
angelagrandinetti.com
613-223-7526

