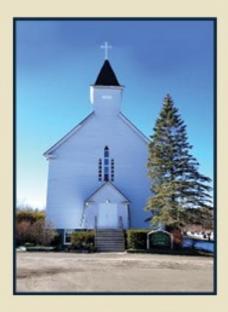
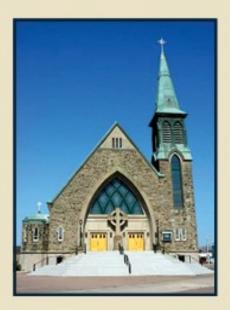
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Saint Lawrence O'Toole



Saint Augustine's Moncton



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Friday -- 9:00 am to 1:00 pm



Welcome to Queen of All Saints Parish December 10th 2023, 2nd Sunday of Advent

Mass Schedule—Heures des Messes

Monday9:30 a.m.Saint Lawrence O'TooleSaturday4:00 p.m. St. Augustine'sTuesday7:00 p.m.St. Augustine's7:00 p.m. Our Lady of Mercy

Wednesday 4:00 p.m. Saint Lawrence O'Toole (French) Sunday 9:00 a.m. Saint Lawrence O'Toole

Thursday1:00 p.m. Our Lady of Mercy11:00 a.m. St. Augustine'sFriday12:00 noon St. Augustine's7:00 p.m. St. Augustine's

First Saturday of the month Mass is celebrated each month at 10:00am St. Augustine's Church / Confessions available.

During Advent: Confessions times available at St. Augustine's on Saturdays from 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Weekday Confessions Saint Lawrence O'Toole Mondays 10:00am to 12:00noon

St. Augustine's Wednesdays 1:00pm to 3:00pm Our Lady of Mercy Thursdays 11:00am to 1:00pm

Monday Isaiah 35:1-10; Luke 5:17-26

Tuesday Feast: Our Lady of Guadalupe Zechariah 2:10-13; Luke 1:39-47

Wednesday Memorial: St. Lucy Isaiah 40:25-31; Matthew 11:28-30 Memorial: St. John of the Cross Isaiah 41:13-20;

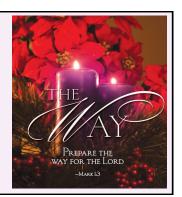
Matthew 11:11-15

 Friday
 Isaiah 48:17-19; Matthew 11:16-19

 Saturday
 Sirach 48:1-4, 9-11; Matthew 17:10-13

Sunday Third Sunday of Advent: Isaiah 61:1-2, 10-11;

1 Thessalonians 5:16-24; John 1:6-8, 19-28



Queen of All Saints parishioners are invited to make monetary donations for our Christmas floral arrangements in memory of deceased loved ones. All monies contributed will be used to purchase flowers to decorate our churches throughout the Christmas season. If you would like to donate funds for **Christmas Flowers** you may do so by completing the information and placing it with your donation in a plain envelope which can be put in the collection basket. Names will be in the Christmas bulletin. Thank you to all who donate to this yearly project.

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Thank you for your generosity!

<u>St. Augustine's:</u> Envelopes: \$3,470.10 (94 env.); Loose: \$1,230.80; Building Fund: \$255.00 (11 env.); Candles: \$85.50; Ray of Hope: \$105.00; St. Vincent de Paul: \$148.00 (4 env.); Missals: \$50.00; Christmas Flowers: \$120.00 (6 donations); Needy at Christmas: \$1,210.00 (28 donations); Beaverbrook School: \$210.00 (3 donations); Pre-Authorized: \$1,630.00 (28 env.).

<u>Saint Lawrence O'Toole:</u> Envelopes: **\$848.00**; Loose: **\$67.00**; St. Vincent de Paul: **\$5.00**; Christmas Boxes: **\$40.00**; Pre-Authorized: **\$145.00** (6 env.).

Our Lady of Mercy: Envelopes: \$900.00 (29 env.); Loose: \$136.55; Christmas Flowers: \$125.00;

Catholic Mission in Canada: \$30.00; Missals: \$30.00.

	MASSIntentions						
Sat	9	4:00pm	St.A	In Memory of Evelyn Caissie	Janice Caissie		
Sun	10	9:00am	SLOT	Late Lloyd and Irene Swan	Clarence, Julie and Laurel		
		11:00am	St.A	Late Eileen, Susan & Matilda Fahey	Lindsay Fahey		
		12:00noon	OLM	Joanna Wojcik	Odette Babineau		
				* Richard Leger (Sr.)	Linda Gallant and Richard LeBlanc		
		7:00pm	St.A	In Memory of Zita Martis	Parishioner		
Mon	11	9:30am	SLOT	Late Doris Lirette	Doris Daigle and Family		
Tues	12	7:00pm	St.A	In Memory of Joseph Martis	Parishioner		
Wed	13	4:00pm	SLOT	Late Doris Lirette	Charles and Carol Kelly		
Thurs	14	1:00pm	OLM	Pam Breau	Odette Babineau		
Fri	15	12:00noon	St.A	Late Yu Sieu Soy	Parishioner		
Sat	16	4:00pm	St.A	In Memory of Rita S'Šouza	Parishioner		
Sun	17	9:00am	SLOT	Late John and Mary Jane Kelly	Moira Murphy		
		11:00am	St.A	Late Donald Fitzsimmons	Simon and Joan Dunn		
		12:00noon	OLM	Deborah McLellan-Bourque	Godson Mathieu		
		7:00pm	St.A	Fr. Angus Johnston	Merry Christmas		



We pray for the sick including

Norman & Pauline Gagnon, Harvey Gagnon, Randy Curtis, Susan Leger, Brenda Matchett, Jeanne and Ed Mack We also pray for those who have died including Patricia Leger

And for those who mourn the loss of a loved one.

Fourth Sunday of Advent Masses

Saturday December 23rd

4:00pm St. Augustine's 7:00pm Our Lady of Mercy

Sunday December 24th

9:00pm St. Lawrence O'Toole 11:00am St. Augustine's

Queen of All Saints Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve December 24th

2:00pm - St. Augustine's

4:00pm - St. Augustine's 6:30pm - Our Lady of Mercy

7:00pm - St. Lawrence O'Toole

8:30pm - St. Augustine's

12:00midnight- St. Augustine's

Christmas Day December 25th

9:00am - St. Lawrence O'Toole

11:00am - St. Augustine's

7:00pm - St. Augustine's



Regular weekday Masses will be held during the week of December 26th to December 29th

December 30th 4:00pm St. Augustine's

December 31st 9:00am St. Lawrence O'Toole January 1st

11:00am St. Augustine's 9 4:00pm Our Lady of Mercy 11 7:00pm St. Augustine's 7

9:00am St. Lawrence O'Toole 11:00am St. Augustine's 7:00pm St. Augustine's

Faith Development Family Catechism for St. Augustine's

Please note that your family <u>must be pre-registered</u> in order to attend any of the sessions. **Use the door at the top of the stairs in the parking lot.**

FAITH

Level 1-3 (age 6-8)

Session #8 Sunday Jan. 14th - 9:30am Group A 12:15pm Group B Session #9 Sunday Jan. 28th - 9:30am Group A 12:15pm Group B

Level 4-6 (age 9-11)

Session #7 Monday Dec. 11th	- 6:30pm Group C	Tuesday Dec. 12th	- 6:30pm Group D
Session #8 Monday Jan. 15th	- 6:30pm Group C	Tuesday Jan. 16th	- 6:30pm Group D
Session #9 Monday Jan. 29th	- 6:30pm Group C	Tuesday Jan. 30th	- 6:30pm Group D

SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE FAITH DEVELOPMENT Gather in the church basement at 10:00am December 17th, January 14th, January 28th, February 11th, February 25th.



CHOIR PRACTICE: Every Wednesday from 6:00pm to 7:00pm at Saint Augustine's Church. New members welcome! Please use the elevator to enter the Church.

YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE: Every Sunday after 11:00am mass until 1:15pm at Saint Augustine's Church. All youth welcome!



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CLOTHING DEPOT Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10:30am to 1:00pm

Donations may be left at the Drop Off Barn from 8:00am until 8:00 pm only. A limit of 10 Customers are allowed in the store at one time for a 15-minute time period. Hand sanitizing will be monitored. Items can be dropped in the Drop Off Barn in the parking lot from 8:00am to 8:00pm.

THE NEED CONTINUES TO GROW FOR MEN'S, WOMEN'S, AND CHILDREN'S WINTER JACKETS

Donations can be dropped off in boxes at Church or in donation bin in parking lot.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY "TAGS FOR TOYS"

The trees are up....... Trees laden with tags for boys and girls of all ages are in the main entrance of the church. Parishioners may select a tag, purchase an age appropriate gift and bring it <u>unwrapped</u> to the boxes provided near the trees **no later than December 16th.** Volunteers from the St. Vincent de Paul Society are coordinating this project in conjunction with the Salvation Army and

will ensure the toys are distributed to children from our area in time for Christmas. Thank you.



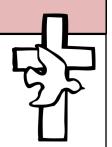
2024 Contribution envelopes are available for St. Augustine's and St. Lawrence O'Toole at each Church

When you receive your envelopes please look them over to see if we have the correct address and information. Do we have your email address? It's a great way for us to keep in contact with you. If you would like to have a box of envelopes or start pre-authorized payment call Charlie at the parish office at 506-857-4223. Thank you.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH

CATECHISM:

ALL CHILDREN IN THE 6 TO 12 YEAR OLD CATECHISM PROGRAM AT OUR LADY OF MERCY ARE INVITED TO AN ADDITIONAL CATECHISM CLASS **December 10th and December 17th AT 10:30** FOR THE GROUPS AGED 6 TO 12 AND 13 AND OVER. THIS WILL BE THE FORMATION SESSION. THE PRE-SCHOOLERS ARE INVITED AT 11:00 AM WHEN BREAKFAST WILL BE SERVED TO ALL CHILDREN WHO PARTICIPATE- 11:30 THERE WILL BE A 20 MINUTE MUSIC PRACTICE FOR CHRISTMAS MUSIC!



For information call 506-531-0252 or email at olom.education@gmail.com

The schedule of masses and activities at Our Lady of Mercy in December is the following: (to date subject to change when situations arise)

Sunday December 10, 2023-mass at 12:00 pm (noon)

Thursday December 14, 2023-mass at 1:00pm

Sunday December 17, 2023-mass at 12:00 pm (noon)

Thursday December 21, 2023-mass at 1:00pm

Saturday December 23, 2023-mass at 7:00pm

Sunday December 24, 2023 (Christmas Eve)-mass at 6:30pm

Thursday December 28, 2023-mass at 1:00pm

Sunday December 31, 2023 (New Year's Eve)-mass at 4:00pm



Starting December 31st, weekend Mass at Our Lady of Mercy will be celebrated on Sundays at 4:00pm instead of Saturday.



Our Lady of Mercy parishioners are invited to make monetary donations for Christmas floral arrangements in memory of deceased loved ones. Funds donated will be used to decorate our Church for the Christmas Season. These are a beautiful Memorial for a deceased family member, friend or special intention. If you would like to donate funds for Christmas flowers you can complete the information and place it with your donation in a plain envelope which can be put in the collection basket. Names will be in the Christmas bulletin. Thank you.

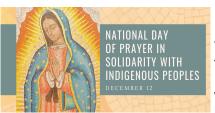
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BENEFIT CONCERT - "Music of the World" on Sunday, December 10, 2023, from 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm at OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH (11 rue St Andrews), Pointe Du Chêne. The Christmas concert will be followed by a potluck supper in the basement. All are welcome. Donations will be accepted at the door to support the church's mission projects. This musical afternoon will see artists from Canada, Nicaragua, Mexico, Poland, and the Philippines present pieces from their native countries. For information, contact 506-531-0252. Thank you for your support!



A REMINDER: The 2024 parish envelopes are ready for pick up at the back of the Church. When you receive your envelopes please look them over to see if we have the correct address and information. Thank you.



NATIONAL DAY OF PREYER IN SOLIDARITY WITH INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DECEMBER 12

The Canadian Catholic Indigenous Council, founded by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) in 1998, proposes that the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe (December 12) be a National Day of Prayer in Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples. All are invited to join their Indigenous sisters and brothers in a special way this day through prayer and acts of solidarity.



In Dulci Jubilo: A night of Carols & Music

Join us on Saturday, December 16th at 7:00pm for an evening of Christmas carols, music and sing-alongs at Saint Augustine's Church.

During the evening, a collection will be passed for our partnering charities - the Saint Vincent de Paul Society, the Ray of Hope Soup Kitchen, the QAS International Outreach and the Beaverbrook School Breakfast Program.





Dear Friends, the Filipino Community of the Archdiocese of Moncton invites everyone to join in our first ever Simbang Gabi in Moncton. Simbang Gabi, a tagalog phrase that literally means "Evening Mass," is the Filipino traditional novena Masses offered for nine consecutive evenings before Christmas Eve. It is a spiritual journey for Filipinos, a time of reflection, devotion, and anticipation as we prepare

for the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ. Centered on the Eucharist, the nine Masses honor the Blessed Mother Mary, who carried Our Lord Jesus in her womb for nine months. How is it different from a daily Advent Mass? On Simbang Gabi Masses, the priest wears white festive vestments, and the Gloria is sung. In Moncton, I will preside at Simbang Gabi Masses at St. Bernard's Church from December 15th to the 23rd at 7:00 PM.

All Masses are in English. The Filipino choir will lead the hymns. We will keep the parish's regular daily and weekend Mass schedule, and we are only adding the nine evening Masses. We will be honored if you join us in these celebrations. May this season of anticipation and reflection fill your days with peace, joy, and the warmth of love. - Fr. Carlos Jacinto, Good Shepherd Pastoral Unit



Christmas ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE: Parishioners who would like to request a Christmas box can do so by contacting Janice at 506-380-4477 or Barb at 506-875-8155 after 6:00pm. Deadline for request is December 15th. Donations from parishioners Food Boxes monetary or non perishables are greatly appreciated!



ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE parish is forming a maintenance committee....a coordinator of this committee would regularly check out the Church building and it's property and if anything needs looking after would fix it or get someone(plumber, electrician etc.) to

take care of the problem. The committee would comprise of anyone interested in helping....would not have to be on parish council....the more people involved the better...call Rosemonde at 506-853-8448 today to put your name on the list.

St. Augustine's, Saint Lawrence O'Toole, Our Lady of Mercy

Living with Christ 2023-2024 Missals are currently available at each Church or you can drop by the parish office at a cost of \$5.00 each.





May 17–27, 2024: Pilgrimage to Medjugorje where Our Lady has been appearing daily for 42 years. Cost of \$3570 includes all airport taxes, security, fuel surcharges, airfare from the Moncton/Halifax, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. (Optional single room supplement, \$250/p.) INFO: Hector Caissie at hectorcaissie@gmail.com or 506-857-2295.



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BREAKING OPEN THE WORD DURING ADVENT - Come join us in breaking open the Sunday readings of Advent. The Third Week of Advent will be at Immaculate Heart of Mary (after 9:30am mass) on Wednesday December 13th. Fourth week of Advent will be at St. Bernard's (after 9:30am mass) Thursday December 21st. Take this opportunity to reflect and grow in what God is telling you this Advent.



THEOLOGY ON TAP (MARK THE DATE) Our next Theology on Tap will take place on Monday, December 18th at 6:30 pm at Five Bridges Pub in Riverview. Our guest speaker will be Maurise Levesque who will share with us talk entitled "Dealing with Loss in Death and Life: Common Misconceptions about Grief." Please register with Karen at 387-4198 or email karen.diocese@gmail.com online at www.diocesemoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Adult Faith → Formation Opportunities.



WELCOME TO SENIORS CONNECT a safe space for Seniors to gather, socialize, learn about, and discuss issues related to aging in New Brunswick. Our next gathering will take place on January 11 at 10:30 am at the Dan Bohan Centre at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 5 Fatima Dr., Riverview. We will have retired dietician Lynn Burdock join us. Jot down any questions you may have in the mean-

time. Questions? Contact Karen LeBlanc at 387-4198 or email karen.dioceses@gmail.com

ADVENT @ THE MOVIES We are excited to announce that again this year we will meet four times prior to Christmas to discuss Advent themes found in some of our favourite popular films. Our last two discussions will be held on Mondays at 2:00 pm via Zoom: December 11th, Frozen; and December 18th, The Polar Express. Mondays @ The Movies is a film discussion group designed to spark conversation about issues of faith and spirituality found in popular films. Please contact Karen at 387-4198 or karen.diocese@gmail.com if you are interested.



COP28 - Because Pope Francis thought the world climate conference in Dubai, was so important he planned to be there in person. When illness prevented it, he still made two presentations virtually. He said that "the destruction of the environment is an offence against God, a sin that is not only personal but greatly endangers all human beings". Also, that it is important to see ourselves as brothers and sisters in the one human family and we have a duty to protect our common home. See www.vatican.va for his presentations.

Gospel Study Group: Saint Thomas Aquinas "The Golden Chain" http:// www.immaculatalibrarv.com/books/catena-aurea.html.

Weekly in person or Zoom, Thursdays at **St. Lawrence O'Toole** 6:00pm followed by adoration at 7:00pm AND Fridays at St. Augustine's 11:00am, followed by Mass at 12:00noon and adoration. For information contact Charlie Farrell at 857-4223 or charlie.farrell@gasmoncton.com. For next session Dec.7th/Dec.8th) 2nd Sunday of Advent, Click on the following link and read:



St. Alphonsus of Liguori

http://www.catholicapologetics.info/scripture/newtestament/liguori.pdf

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