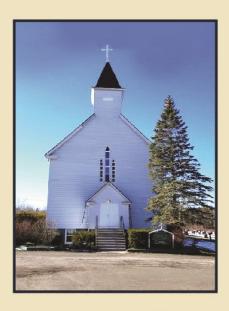
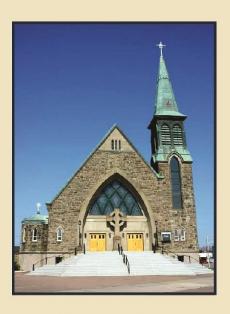
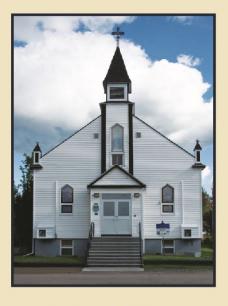
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Welcome to Queen of All Saints Parish January 8th 2023, The Epiphany of the Lord

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



There will be a Mass at St. Augustine's Monday evening January 9th at 7:00pm to celebrate the Baptism of our Lord

We observed his star at its rising,

and have come to pay him homage

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

Weekday Confessions Saint Lawrence O'Toole Mondays 10:00am to 12:00noon St. Augustine's by appointment Wednesdays 1:00pm to 3:00pm Please call the office at 857-4223 to schedule a time.

Daily Readings

Monday Feast: The Baptism of the Lord Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7;

Matthew 3:13-17

Tuesday Hebrews 2:5-12; Mark 1:21-28
Wednesday Hebrews 2:14-18; Mark 1:29-39

Thursday Memorial: St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Hebrews 3:7-14; Mark 1:40-45

 Friday
 Hebrews 4:1-5, 11; Mark 2:1-12

 Saturday
 Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 2:13-17

Sunday Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Isaiah 49:3, 5-6; 1 Corinthians 1:1-3; John 1:29-34

Church Support—Thank you for your generosity!

Saint Augustine's: Dec. 24th/25th: Envelopes: \$5,623.00 (103 env.); Loose: \$3,278.30; Building Fund: \$1,160.00 (6 env.); Christmas Offering: \$6,295.00 (69 env.); Beaverbrook School: \$800.00 (2 donations); St. Vincent de Paul: \$10.00; Needy at Christmas: \$285.00 (4 env.); Ray of Hope: \$140.00 (1 donation); Good Friday Chaplains: \$100.00; Christmas Flowers: \$130.00; Donation: \$657.60; Jan. 1st: Envelopes: \$2,044.85 (66 env.); Loose: \$1,246.80; Building Fund: \$230.00 (13 env.) Christmas Offering: \$1,240.00 (18 env.); New Year's: \$1,433.50 (39 env.); Needy at Christmas: \$5.00; Candles: \$255.90; Missals: \$10.00; Donation: \$400.00; Pre-Authorized \$2,920.00 (45 env.)

Saint Lawrence O'Toole: Dec. 24th/25th: Envelopes: \$2,021.70 (48 env.); Loose: \$159.05; Christmas Offering: \$1,140.00 (25 env.); Needs of the Canadian Church: \$10.00; World Mission Sunday: \$10.00; Poor of the Parish: \$10.00; Heating: \$10.00; St. Vincent de Paul: \$10.00; Needy at Christmas: \$20.00; Cemetery Upkeep: \$1,000.00; Jan. 1st: Envelopes: \$960.00 (16 env.); Loose: \$40.00; Christmas Offering: \$60.00; Solemnity of Mary: \$380.00 (14 env.); Initial Offering: \$140.00 (9 env.); Donation: \$1,000.00; Pre-Authorized: \$100.00 (5 env.).

<u>Our Lady of Mercy: Dec. 24th/25th:</u> Envelopes: \$965.00 (33 env.); Loose: \$1,238.45; Christmas Offering: \$470.00; (12 env.); Missals: \$5.00; Poor Box: \$25.00; Birthright: \$151.90; Candles: \$30.00; Pre-Authorized: \$150.00; <u>Jan. 1st:</u> Envelopes: \$330.00 (14 env.); Loose: \$504.05; Candles: \$186.00; Christmas Offering: \$240.00; New Year's Offering: \$425.00 (10 env.); Poor Box: \$20.00; Missals: \$15.00; Donation: \$55.00.

ASS Intentions 4:00pm Late Bob Taylor Therese Gillespie St.A 7:00pm OLM Frances and Brandon Kelley Pat and Glenn Trites 8 9:00am SLOT Special Intention Tiffany Don and Ann Beaumaster 11:00am St. A Late Betty Trueman Pat and Barry Dickie 7:00pm St.A Late Dolphe Richard Neice Andrea 9 9:30am SLOT David & Kelly Crossman & Family Laurel Cliff 10 7:00pm St.A Thanksgiving Anil, Snehal and Rihan 4:00pm Late Marilyn Norton 11 SLOT Betty Cail and Debbie Parker 12 1:00pm OLM Late Yvon Pellerin Mike Sullivan 13 12:00noon St. A Late Martin Van Egmond Living Word Community 14 4:00pm St.A Late Martin Van Egmond Dave and Valerie Conners 7:00pm OLM Bruce Gallant Pat and Glenn Trites

Late Marie Defina

Late Lorraine Stafford

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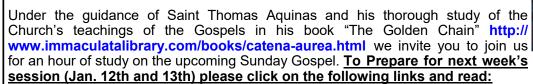
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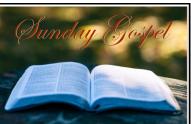
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Brenda Burns, Danny Dodds, Anna Curtis, Reggie Donovan, Bill Stafford, Arthur McGinnis

We also pray for those who have died including
Julie Scott, sister of Dolores McCormack, Evelyn Gionet, mother of Shirley Estey
and for those who mourn the loss of a loved one.

<u>The Sunday Gospel</u> Join us, in person or on Zoom, every week. For information contact Charlie Farrell at 857-4223 or charlie.farrell@qasmoncton.com





Betty Cail and Debbie Parker

Bernie Stafford

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St. John Chrysostom

https://www.pdfdrive.com/st-john-chrysostom-homilies-on-the-gospel-of-john-index-e7462258.html Homily XVII

St. Cyril Introduction to the Gospel of St. John (just for a change)

https://sites.google.com/site/aquinasstudybible/home/gospel-of-john-commentary/cyril-of-alexandria-commentary-on-john/cyril-on-intro-to-john

Thursdays at **St. Lawrence O'Toole** 6:00pm followed by an hour of Adoration at 7:00pm. Fridays at **St. Augustine's** 11:00am followed by Mass and Adoration at 12:00noon



Welcome to Your Faith Community!

For the last several months, a group of inquirers have been exploring their faith with the Rite-of-Christian-Initiation-for-Adults (RCIA) team at St. Augustine's Church. They have assembled together today, January 8, 2023, for their first rite, the Rite of Welcome.

We ask that you prayerfully and joyfully welcome Michael, Victor, Michael and Luciano as they continue on their journey to become full members of our faith community!



Baptism ST. AUGUSTINE'S BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE Will he held next on Saturday, February 4th and Saturday February 11th at 9:30 a.m. in the Church basement. Pre-registration is required. For more information and to register please call the parish office at 857-4223 or email parish.office@qasmoncton.com.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S FAITH DEVELOPMENT MEET

IN THE CHURCH BASEMENT Please use the door at the top of the stairs in the parking lot, proceeding downstairs to the basement.



You must be pre-registered for our Faith Development program in order to attend sessions. Families will receive an email advising what sessions they are scheduled for. You are only allowed to attend sessions you are assigned to. We will not be allowed to add families to other sessions. Please arrive 10 minutes prior to start time for check in and seating. Also, please note that the doors will be locked once the session has been underway for 10 minutes and entre will not be permitted after that time.

Level 1-3 Session #8 Sunday, Jan. 8th 12:15pm Level 4-6 Session #8 Monday, Jan. 9th 6:30pm Level 4-6 Session #9 Monday, Jan. 23rd 6:30pm

INFORMATION MEETING FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION – We will be holding an information meeting for the parents of children wishing to receive their First Reconciliation/Confession (**ages 8 or above**) to review what to expect for preparation prior to the sacrament during Lent. The meeting will be on Jan. 17th in the basement of St. Augustine's church starting at 6:30 pm. Please note that your child **must be pre-registered** in order for the parent to attend the meeting.

Registration is available by visiting our website at www.qasmoncton.com and going to the faith development page to select the form for 1st Reconciliation/Penance registration. You can submit the form online or print the form (using the word or pdf document) and drop it off at our office or place it in the collection basket at mass. Deadlines for registration will be Jan.15th. Please note that this meeting is for the parents. Only one parent is required to attend. Please ensure to make arrangements for your children if possible. If you require further information regarding First Reconciliation, please contact Eileen at eileen.caissie@gasmoncton.com

SAINT LAWRENCE O"TOOLE FAITH DEVELOPMENT: Gather in the Church Basement at 10:00am January 8th, January 22nd, February 12th, February 26th. If you have any questions please call Catherine at 878-7348



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FORMATION FOR PARISH R.C.I.A. TEAMS Mark the dates! We are pleased to offer a series of four virtual formation sessions led by Catherine Ecker, a lead Canadian voice in Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.). Each session will take place on Zoom and run from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. The dates will be January 30th, February 13th, March 6th, and March 20th and upon the completion of four sessions each participant will receive a certificate from the Archdiocese. This formation is designed for Parish R.C.I.A. teams and others involved in sacramental initiation but is open to anyone interested and would like to learn more. Contact Karen at 387-4198 or

 $\underline{\text{karen.diocese@gmail.com}}. \hspace{0.2cm} \text{Register online by } \underline{\text{www.diomoncton.ca}} \rightarrow \text{Pastoral Offices} \rightarrow \text{Adult Faith} \rightarrow \text{Formation Opportunities}.$

CONVERSATIONS AROUND DEATH AND DYING (Rexton/Richibucto) Since 2016, a diocesan committee has been offering formation and information sessions in response to the legalization of medical assistance in dying (MAiD). One theme arising from these sessions was that many of us are uncomfortable discussing the subject of death. However, honest conversations (about values, good palliative care, or advanced care planning) can help to improve the care we receive at the end of our lives. In response to this, the diocesan Committee looking at End of Life Pastoral Care is planning a session for Saturday, January 28th at Immaculate Conception Church in Rexton (10 School Street) from 10:30 am − 12:00 pm. The session will be led by Pam Driedger, member of the Adult Faith Commission and a Director of Spiritual Care at the Moncton Hospital with Horizon Health Network. The aim of this session will be to help families start conversations about death and dying before circumstances force them to. How can families and loved ones accompany those who find themselves struggling with illness, pain and difficult medical circumstances? Register with Karen LeBlanc at 387-4198, karen.diocese@gmail.com or online at www.diomoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Adult Faith → Formation Opportunities.

FAITH EXPERIMENTS EXPRESS Children in grades 1 through 6 are invited back to Faith Experiments Express where



we use interactive science experiments to teach about God and Scripture. Sessions are conducted via Zoom and our next session will take place **January 9th** at 6:00 pm. For more information, Contact Karen at 387-4198 or <u>karen.diocese@gmail.com</u>. Register online at <u>www.diomoncton.ca</u> → Pastoral Offices → Youth Faith Development.



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In Chapter 2 of his encyclical, Pope Francis connects his environmental concerns with his faith by exploring the Creation story. I invite you to enter into the study by reading the chapter and reflecting about the wonders of God's creation and our role in preserving it.

THE GOSPEL OF CREATION

62. Why should this document, addressed to all people of good will, include a chapter dealing with the convictions of believers? I am well aware that in the areas of politics and philosophy there are those who firmly reject the idea of a Creator, or consider it irrelevant, and consequently dismiss as irrational the rich contribution which religions can make towards an integral ecology and the full development of humanity. Others view religions simply as a subculture to be tolerated. Nonetheless, science and religion, with their distinctive approaches to understanding reality, can enter into an intense dialogue fruitful for both.



I. THE LIGHT OFFERED BY FAITH

- 63. Given the complexity of the ecological crisis and its multiple causes, we need to realize that the solutions will not emerge from just one way of interpreting and transforming reality. Respect must also be shown for the various cultural riches of different peoples, their art and poetry, their interior life and spirituality. If we are truly concerned to develop an ecology capable of remedying the damage we have done, no branch of the sciences and no form of wisdom can be left out, and that includes religion and the language particular to it. The Catholic Church is open to dialogue with philosophical thought; this has enabled her to produce various syntheses between faith and reason. The development of the Church's social teaching represents such a synthesis with regard to social issues; this teaching is called to be enriched by taking up new challenges.
- 64. Furthermore, although this Encyclical welcomes dialogue with everyone so that together we can seek paths of liberation, I would like from the outset to show how faith convictions can offer Christians, and some other believers as well, ample motivation to care for nature and for the most vulnerable of their brothers and sisters. If the simple fact of being human moves people to care for the environment of which they are a part, Christians in their turn "realize that their responsibility within creation, and their duty towards nature and the Creator, are an essential part of their faith".

 [36] It is good for humanity and the world at large when we believers better recognize the ecological commitments which stem from our convictions.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH



Our Lady of Mercy Baptism Preparation: The next baptism preparation classes will take place January 10th and 17th at 7:00pm in the church basement. Baptisms from these classes will take place January 29th, at the 4:00pm Mass. For information please contact Brenda Kent at 532-6950.



2023 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH When you receive your envelopes please look them over to see if we have the correct address and information. If you would like to have a box of envelopes please call Josephine at 506-871-9508. Thank you.



Our Lady of Mercy would like to express our appreciation and gratitude to Odette Babineau for everything she does in our parish as music director and her work with catechism, not to mention the multitude of little things that need to be done. We appreciate all that you do!



Memorial Donations for Christmas Flowers: In Memory of our Parents, Lutes and Abell—by Bill and Norma Lutes.





ST. AUGUSTINE'S, SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE: 2023 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES and special collection envelopes for (PAP parishioners) are available for pick up at the 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 857-4223.

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