

Trust and Acceptance, Hospitality and Love

In all three readings today I find a common theme to be trust and acceptance, hospitality and love. The first reading from the book of wisdom speaks to us of God loving all things He created. In the second reading, we hear of Saint Paul pleading to the Thessalonians to remain faithful to God until Jesus comes again. And finally we hear of Jesus choosing to stay with Zacchaeus in his home.

As I read the first reading my first thought was: “God don’t make no junk” I apologize for the terrible grammar, but I’m quoting the way it was said to me once. One of my favourite lines is “**For you would not have made anything if you had hated it**”. God loves us as we are, sins and all! This reading reminds us that “**you overlook our sins, so that we may repent,**” and “**Therefore you correct little by little, those who trespass**”. We’re all fallible, we all make mistakes. God wants us to trust that he made us as we are so that we will reflect and learn from our sins and that we will be free of malice and fully trust in him.



The second reading really reinforces the need to trust in God. When Paul pleads to the Thessalonians he says: “**we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter**”. This reading speaks to my being human and imperfect. I don’t know about you but thinking back, I know I’ve had moments where I was shaken, I doubted His plan and sometimes even His love for me. Prayer and community often rectify those moments for me. One of my favourite worship songs says: “**Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders, let me walk upon the waters wherever you would call me. Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander, and my faith will be made stronger in the presence of my Saviour.**” I always find His

presence in my heart and in others when I pray.

Looking at today’s Gospel, I’m taking away a message of hospitality and unconditional love. Let’s look at Zacchaeus and Jesus. Jesus calls on Zacchaeus to be hospitable and accepts him. Zacchaeus, is so moved by this honour that he instantly repents for his sins by saying he’ll take care of the poor and taking care of those he may have defrauded by giving them four times what they’re owed. Their behaviour is so different from societal expectation that the crowd grumbles in horror. This very act didn’t make Jesus popular. In fact, he was blamed for going to the house of someone like Zacchaeus but isn’t it often like that? We want God to look down upon those we look down on? The only time Jesus looks down on us is from his cross – to raise us up to the heights of love and humanity we are made for.

These three readings have caused me to ask myself these questions: how have I mirrored our Father’s love and forgiveness? Have I acted in care of the poor? Am I seeking justice in any wrong doing I’ve caused? Am I hospitable to those in need? In moments of weakness and doubt, will I remember to trust in Him? How will my actions bring salvation to my house? From here on, I’m going to strive to be more like Jesus, so I can rise to the heights of love for which I was created and that starts with trust and acceptance, hospitality and love.

Katy Mahoney



November 3rd, 2019
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary time



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REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE—HEURES DES MESSES

St. Augustine's: Tuesday—7:00 p.m.
Friday—12:00 noon
Saturday—4:00 p.m.; Sunday 11:00 a.m.
St. Lawrence O'Toole: Monday—9:30 a.m.; Wednesday 4:00 p.m.(French)
Sunday —9:00 a.m.
Our Lady of Mercy: Saturday 7:00 p.m.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00, 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

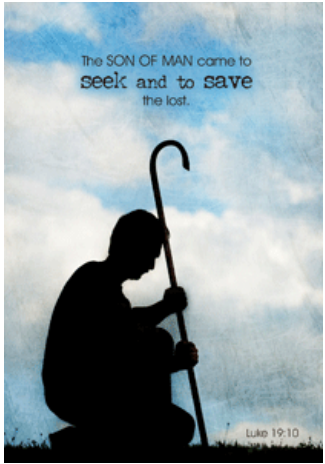
Faith Development-Children: Eileen Caissie
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St. Lawrence O'Toole Cemetery: Linda Evans 389-9300

Ray of Hope Needy Kitchen: 857-4224
Meals served: Monday to Friday 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 857-2088
Regular Depot Hours
Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Daily Readings	
<i>Monday</i>	Memorial: St. Charles Borromeo Romans 11:29-36
<i>Tuesday</i>	Romans 12:5-16; Luke 14:15-24
<i>Wednesday</i>	Romans 13:8-10; Luke 14:25-33
<i>Thursday</i>	Romans 14:7-12; Luke 15:1-10
<i>Friday</i>	Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8
<i>Saturday</i>	Feast: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Ezekiel 47:1-2; 8-9, 12; John 2:13-22
<i>Sunday</i>	Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 7, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20:27, 34-38



MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

In the Church, the reform of Vatican II has refined and reinvigorated a long-standing Catholic tradition: November is a month-long celebration of the communion of saints, of remembrance and prayer for those gone before us, and of heightened anticipation of Christ's second coming.

During the month of November, St. Augustine's, St. Lawrence O'Toole and Our Lady of Mercy will each have their **BOOK OF THE DEAD** on display. On the pages provided, parishioners are encouraged to write the names of loved ones who have died, if they have not already done so.

The names of loved ones previously written in the Book of the Dead remain listed from year to year and continue to be in our thoughts and prayers.

On Tuesday, November 5th at 7:00 p.m., we will gather at St. Augustine's Church to pray for our loved ones who have died in the past twelve months. Everyone is invited to attend this liturgy.

				 <i>Mass Intentions</i>		
Sat	2	4:00p.m.	St. A	Late Jeff Longphee	Ron McGivney	
		7:00p.m.	OLM	Mona Ann Leger Doiron	Parents Ray and Rena	
Sun	3	9:00a.m.	SLOT	Late Danny Donnelly	Claudia and Family	
		11:00a.m.	St. A	L. Ann and Danny Stewart	Manley Family	
Mon	4	9:30a.m.	SLOT	Late Florence Flewelling	Odette Dupuis	
Tue	5	7:00p.m.	St. A	Late Barbara Quigley	Jean Ryan	
Wed	6	4:00p.m.	SLOT	L. Zoel, Mary,& Lorraine Girouard	Aurele & Aurea Maillet	
Fri	8	12:00noon	St. A	Diane Boudreau	Alma Barrieau and Charlotte	
Sat	9	4:00p.m.	St. A	L. Nancy Kelly	Murielle Collette-Richard	
		7:00p.m.	OLM	Jacques Lemay	Wife Maureen	
Sun	10	9:00a.m.	SLOT	L. Adelard and Aurore Gagnon	Clarence and Julie Gagnon	
		11:00a.m.	St. A	Bill and Marie Campbell	Yvon and Edna Tremblay	

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Saint Augustine's: Envelopes: **\$4,737.00** (181 env); Loose: **\$717.00**; Building Fund: **\$60.00** (4 env); Faith Development: **\$230.00**; Missals: **\$90.00**; Donation: **\$48.00**; International Outreach: **\$155.00**; Pre-Authorized: **\$1,480.00** (34 env.).

Saint Lawrence O'Toole: Envelopes: **\$900.00** (42 env.); Loose: **\$154.20**; World Mission Sunday: **\$50.00** (3 env); Heating: **\$120.00**; Columbarium: **\$1,200.00**; Pre-Authorized: **\$50.00** (3 env.).

Our Lady of Mercy: Envelopes: **\$928.00** (46 env.); Loose: **\$145.50**; Candles: **\$153.00**; World Evangelization **\$20.00**; Missals: **\$45.00**.

Thank you for your generosity!

QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS SENIORS GROUP extends an invitation to Seniors and Retirees for an afternoon of socializing, board games or cards Monday, November 18th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. The elevator will be available for this gathering which is held in the Fr. Peter McKee room in St. Augustine's Church basement. For information, contact Debbie at 384-8431.

St. Augustine's Catholic Women's League is reminding members that it is time once again to pay our annual membership dues. You may pay at the monthly meeting or simply put the \$25.00 in an envelope clearly marked **CWL DUES**. Don't forget to include your name!

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE will meet in St. Augustine's basement on Tuesday, November 5th at 7:00 p.m. in the Father Peter McKee room. Please use the elevator entrance. For information please contact Patsy Murray at 388-9620.

St. Augustine's **CWL MITTEN TREE** is now available for decorating. Mittens will then be distributed to local school children. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

St. Augustine's Faith Development families gather in St. Augustine's Church basement Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. for Levels 1-3; 12:15 p.m. for Levels 4-6; and Tuesday evening sessions for Level 4 to 6 at 6:30 p.m.

Level 1-3 9:15 a.m.	Session #5	Sunday, November 17th
	Session #6	Sunday, November 24th
	Session #7	Sunday, December 8th
Level 4-6 12:15 p.m.	Session #5	Sunday, November 17th
	Session #6	Sunday, November 24th
	Session #7	Sunday, December 8th
Level 4-6 6:30 p.m.	Session #5	Tuesday, November 19th
	Session #6	Tuesday, November 26th
	Session #7	Tuesday, December 10th



FAITH DEVELOPMENT AT SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE will be held following Mass Sunday, November 10th and November 24th.

THERE WILL BE A TOUR OF THE CHURCH FOR YOUTH PREPARING FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION on Monday, November 18th at 6:30 p.m. inside the church at St. Augustine's



LIVING WITH CHRIST MISSALS for the coming liturgical season are now available at the parish office during regular office hours. Cost \$5.00



ST. AUGUSTINE'S LOCAL PASTORAL COUNCIL will meet on Monday November 11th at 4:00pm in the Fr. Peter McKee Room



Baptism Preparation Class

OUR NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE will be held Saturday, December 7th and December 14th at 9:30 a.m. at St. Augustine's in the church basement. To register please call the office at 857-4223

CHARITY BREAKFAST TO BREAK A WORLD RECORD: Sunday November 3rd from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at the St Joseph Parish Hall in Shediac (417 Main St) we will serve a community breakfast with proceeds going to the Beausejour Family Crisis Resource Centre for the "\$5 Challenge" campaign, which aims to establish a world record for the longest line of banknotes! Admission is \$10.00 each for adults and \$5.00 each for children aged 10 or below. Please come out and support distressed families throughout Southeastern New Brunswick by joining our world-class team of record breakers!

Would you like to have the **WEEKLY BULLETIN DELIVERED DIRECTLY TO YOUR INBOX?** Simply send your email address to parish.office@qasmoncton.com



The **St. Vincent de Paul Society** would like to thank all the Parishioners who supported the Yard Sale Fundraiser. Once again it was very successful. Your continuing support allows us to help the needy of our community. Special thanks is in order for the many dedicated volunteers who worked tirelessly to make this such a worthwhile event.

Serge Dufour
Manager



**ADORATION AND ROSARY
ST. AUGUSTINE'S**

Tuesday 5:45pm with Rosary at 6:30pm
Friday 11:00am with Rosary at 11:30am

The Parish Office
will be closed
Monday, November 11th

ALL ST. AUGUSTINE'S, OUR LADY OF MERCY AND ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE PARISHIONERS may take advantage of the **PRE-AUTHORIZED PAYMENT SYSTEM** for weekly church contributions. Payments may be stopped or changed at any time. Please call the parish office if you are interested.

PRE-PAID

GOODIE SUNDAY

Will be held at St. Lawrence O'Toole following mass on Sunday, November 10th.

All are welcome.



SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE Local Pastoral Council

will meet on Tuesday, November 19th at 9:00am

ADDITIONAL WEEKLY MASSES Will be celebrated at Saint Lawrence O'Toole on Monday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 4:00p.m. (French) in addition to Sunday at 9:00 a.m.



HEARTFELT SYMPATHY is extended to Teresa Taylor Gillespie on the death of her husband **Charles Gillespie**

May he rest forever in the loving embrace of God



Food Collection

During the morning liturgy at St. Augustine's, it has become the custom for the children (and adults!) to bring a **FOOD OFFERING** forward during the collection, and this practice continues at the 11:00 a.m. liturgy. Donations are forwarded to the local area food banks. When donating **FOOD FOR THE NEEDY**, kindly consider canned and boxed items in order to avoid glass breakage.



Tuesdays 5:45p.m. – St. Augustine's:
Adoration and Rosary at 6:30p.m.
Fridays 11:00a.m.—St. Augustine's
Adoration and Rosary at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.—St. Augustine's:
Living Word Community Prayer Group

Thursdays 7:00 p.m.—St. Lawrence O'Toole:
Adoration, Silence, Prayers for Vocations

Tuesday, November 5th
7:00—St. Augustine's: **Mass of Remembrance**

Sunday, November 10th
10:00am— Saint Lawrence O'Toole: **Goodie Sunday**

Sunday, November 10th
10:00am—Saint Lawrence O'Toole: **Faith Development**

Monday, November 11th
4:00pm—St. Augustine's: **Local Pastoral Council Meeting Fr. Peter McKee Room**

Sunday, November 17th
9:15am—St. Augustine's Basement: **Level 1-3 Faith Development**

12:15pm—St. Augustine's Basement: **Level 4-6 Faith Development**

Monday, November 18th
6:30—St. Augustine's main Church: **Church Tour for Candidates preparing for Confirmation**

Tuesday, November 19th
6:30pm—St. Augustine's Basement: **Level 4-6 Faith Development**

Tuesday, November 19th
9:00am—Saint Lawrence O'Toole: **Local Pastoral Council Meeting**

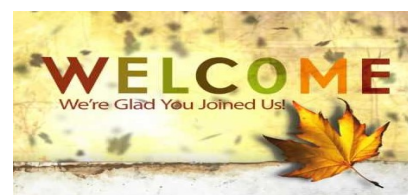


*Heartfelt Prayers
and
Congratulations
Are extended to*

*Frank and Rachel Hennessy
on the occasion of their
60th Wedding Anniversary
November 7th, 2019*

VISION BOOK STORE:

Place de la Cathédrale, 224,
St-George St. Regular hours
Tuesday to Friday from
9:00a.m. to 12:00 and
1:00p.m. to 4:00p.m.



We are happy to have you join us! Are you new to the parish or have you been part of our community for awhile but have just never registered? We would like to know who you are. There are registration forms at the entrance of the Church or you can register online at www.qasmoncton.com.

What she saw changed everything..... Moncton chapter of NB Right to Life presents the movie "**Unplanned**" at St. Bernard's Church Hall on Sunday November 3rd 7:00 p.m. May not be suitable for children 11 and under! (Free will offering to cover licensing fee, etc.)



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TRANSFORMED THROUGH EUCHARIST: What happens during the Eucharist? How important is Eucharist to you? Why are you preparing your child to make their First Communion?

As parents of children preparing to receive First Eucharist in the spring of 2020 at any parish within the English sector, you are asked to attend this session taking place on Thursday, November 14th from 6:00 -8:30 pm at Holy Family Church Hall, Falkland Street, Moncton. At the session you will register your child to receive the sacrament, following which facilitators Karen LeBlanc and Ellen Bennett will offer an overview of the Liturgy of the Eucharist, and talk about how, through the Eucharist, the bread and wine *and* the assembly are transformed again into the Body of Christ. Please contact Ellen or your parish catechetical coordinator to confirm your attendance. Please note that the session from 6:30—8:30 is open to anyone interested in attending, but they are asked to contact Ellen to register.

THE DEATH OF A CHRISTIAN: Understanding Funeral Rituals from a Roman Catholic Perspective

Join Dr. Andrew Wilson and Deb Gillispie on Saturday, November 16th from 9:00 – 12:00 noon at St. Bernard's Church Hall as they speak about the importance of funerals. Issues such as: the evolution of the sacred and secular story of death and dying; understanding the ritual of the liturgy and why Roman Catholics do what we do during it; cremation and where we stand on this subject; the value of the funeral vigil and why it's pertinent to the funeral ritual, will be some of the points discussed. Preregistration is necessary and may be done by contacting Ellen.

UPCOMING MEETINGS: Adult Faith Commission: Tuesday, November 5th, 2019 at 6:30. Archbishop Valéry Vienneau will be joining us for this meeting.

Parish Catechetical Coordinators: Thursday, November 7, 2019 at 6:00.

Sacrament Resource Selection Committee: Thursday, November 14th, 2019 at 2:30 p.m.

All meetings take place at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion St. entrance.