

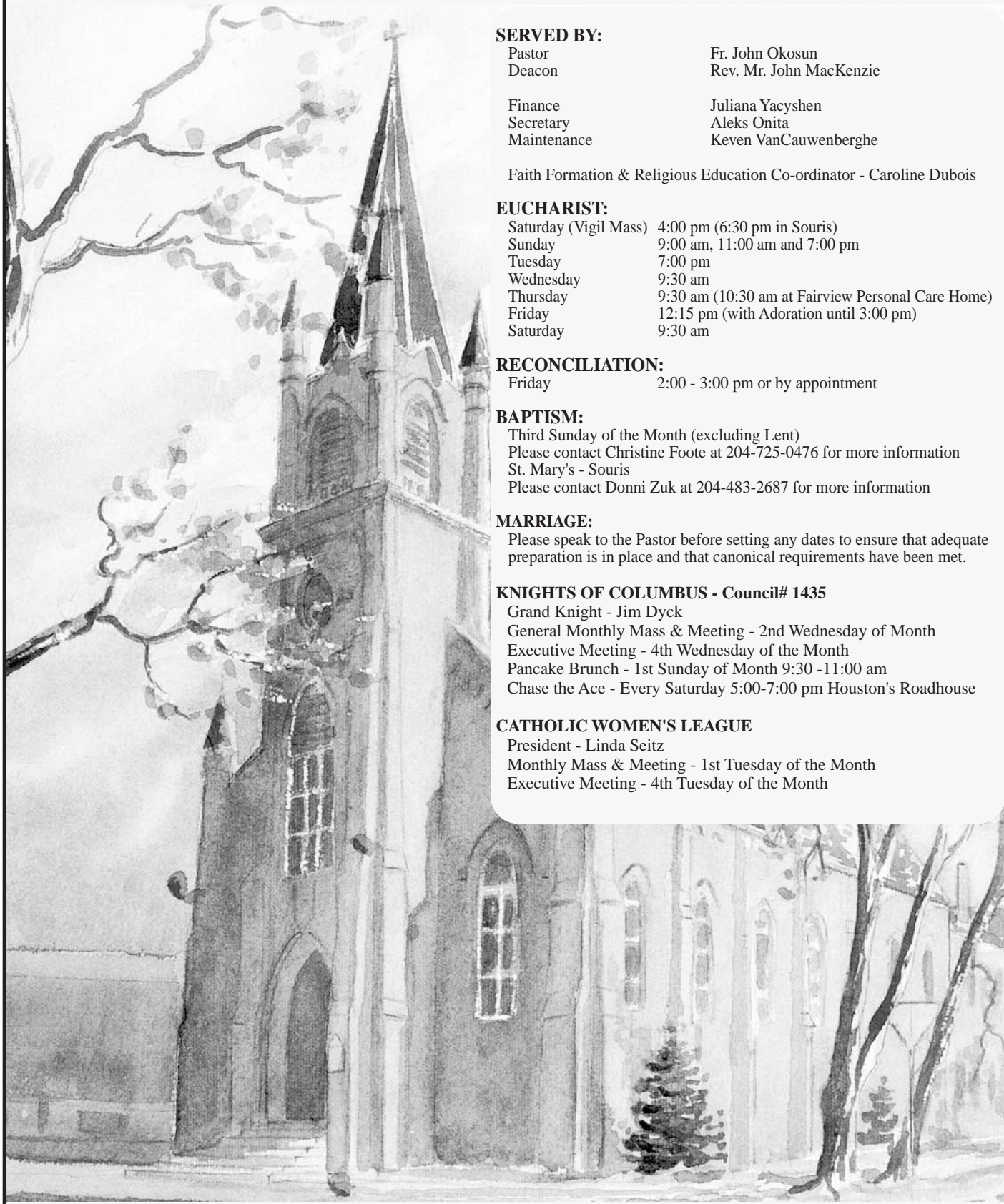
# Saint Augustine of Canterbury Church

Also serving Saint Mary's Church in Souris, MB (Saturdays at 6:30 pm)

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## SERVED BY:

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Faith Formation & Religious Education Co-ordinator - Caroline Dubois

## EUCHARIST:

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4:00 pm (6:30 pm in Souris)  
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am and 7:00 pm  
Tuesday 7:00 pm  
Wednesday 9:30 am  
Thursday 9:30 am (10:30 am at Fairview Personal Care Home)  
Friday 12:15 pm (with Adoration until 3:00 pm)  
Saturday 9:30 am

## RECONCILIATION:

Friday 2:00 - 3:00 pm or by appointment

## BAPTISM:

Third Sunday of the Month (excluding Lent)  
Please contact Christine Foote at 204-725-0476 for more information  
St. Mary's - Souris  
Please contact Donni Zuk at 204-483-2687 for more information

## MARRIAGE:

Please speak to the Pastor before setting any dates to ensure that adequate preparation is in place and that canonical requirements have been met.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Council# 1435

Grand Knight - Jim Dyck  
General Monthly Mass & Meeting - 2nd Wednesday of Month  
Executive Meeting - 4th Wednesday of the Month  
Pancake Brunch - 1st Sunday of Month 9:30 - 11:00 am  
Chase the Ace - Every Saturday 5:00-7:00 pm Houston's Roadhouse

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

President - Linda Seitz  
Monthly Mass & Meeting - 1st Tuesday of the Month  
Executive Meeting - 4th Tuesday of the Month

## 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

*We hear many stories about women and men who value things or status over the people in their lives or over genuine fulfillment. Then something happens that throws them back on their heels and they are forced to face the question: Was it worth it? No, say the writers of today's readings. It is not worth losing yourself or the people you love. In fact, it is not worth risking your own integrity. The Hebrew word for vanity can be translated as "worthless" or "foolish." The characters in the first reading and the Gospel passage were considered foolish because the labors and possessions that wore them down were ultimately worthless. This idea of vanity or foolishness is a prominent theme in the Wisdom tradition. We all know that actions have consequences. It's these consequences that reveal what is good for us and what is not, what is worth pursuing and what we should avoid. Those who learn from life experiences in this way are considered wise; those who don't are deemed foolish. We all know this; we have learned the truth of it from our own experience. There is one more aspect that must be considered in making wise decisions. Which consequences are worth the effort we put into achieving them? Are we looking for short-term enjoyment or do we seek long-term satisfaction? The profit attained by the people in these readings did not last. They couldn't take it with them, so one might ask: Was it worth it?*

-Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

### MASS INTENTIONS

Tue.	Aug.	02	7:00 pm	Christine, Mark + Carson	Richard + Gisele Corrigan
Wed.	Aug.	03	9:30 am	Adam + Laura Gurr Family	Issigonis Family
Thu.	Aug.	04	9:30 am	Pro-Life Groups & Crisis ✠ Martha Edmonds	Life's Vision Deacon John + Carol MacKenzie
Fri.	Aug.	05	12:15 pm	Dinsdale Sons Elsie Kruk	Mom Joe + Suzanne Kiazky
Sat.	Aug.	06	9:30 am	✠ Michael Dillane	Issigonis Family
			4:00 pm	✠ Quinn Sieklicki	Mom & Dad
			6:30 pm	For All Parishioners	Fr. John
Souris					
Sun.	Aug.	07	9:00 am	✠ Claire Burke	Carl + Family
			11:00 am	Stephanie Kehler	Dad + Mom
			7:00 pm	✠ Frank Gudz	K of C
Tue.	Aug.	09	6:00 pm	✠ Alex Suski	Eileen + Family
Wed.	Aug.	10	9:30 am	✠ Bob Edmundson	Clarice Chartier
Thu.	Aug.	11	9:30 am	Thanksgiving Fr. John	Richard + Gisele Corrigan Dubois Family
Fri.	Aug.	12	12:15 pm	✠ John Cortens ✠ Zenon Hanzel	Issigonis Family Onita Family
Sat.	Aug.	13	9:30 am	Mariette + Plante Family	Richard Plante
			4:00 pm	✠ Lucien Faucher	Don + Claudette Smith
Souris			6:30 pm	For All Parishioners	Fr. John
Sun.	Aug.	14	9:00 am	Teresa Usunier + Family	Issigonis Family
			11:00 am	✠ Connie Phillips	Brian + Family
			7:00 pm	Jeannie Burgess	St. Vincent de Paul

### In Our Prayers Are ...

Gladys Fast, Eric DePass, Maxine Tkachuk, Liam Penner, Andrew MacGregor, Judy Bryant, Justin Enns, Rosaline Fedorkie, Colette Garlinski, Jenny Hamill, Ralph Jonasson, Angela Lau, Diane Lomas, Paul Malabar, Carl Mousseau, Millicent Mychasiw, Paul Omilanow, Susan Richardson, Bonnie Schellenberg, Ron Umpherville, and the homebound.

**Papal Prayer Intentions for the Month of August:** We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

### Please do not use Offertory Envelopes from Previous Years:

Envelope numbers have changed from prior years. If you require 2022 envelopes, please inquire at the office.

**Organs Restoration:** We are restoring our parish organs. It was Mike Malazdrewicz's dream to have the organ restored. He unfortunately passed away before this was realized. The approximate cost is \$20,000. We are looking for any donations towards this beautiful cause. If you are able to donate please make a note; "for the organ". Thank you.

**Ordination to the Transitional Diaconate:** We are very happy to announce the ordination of our seminarian Oliver Omega to the transitional diaconate on Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at St. Mary's Cathedral. The celebration begins at 7:00pm, and all are invited and encouraged to attend Oliver's diaconate ordination. We pray for God's blessings and protection so Oliver will be ordained to the priesthood next year.

**Church Attire:** During the hot summer months there is often the inclination to "dress down". Let us remember to dress appropriately when we attend Mass on the Day of the Lord.

### Welcome to Our Community...

Robert McKay, Ezequiel Borillo, Eliana Aemanuel, Ariam Bahta, and Thomas Hernandez.

### To St. Augustine's Families & Friends:

**Save the date:** Our first parish "Festival of Joy" is coming on **August 13<sup>th</sup>**. Invite friends and family. Please share your time and talent by volunteering with various planning committees for our festival. All parishioners who would like to promote their culture, ethnic groups or would like to bring and share their food, please contact the church office or sign up the list, available at the East door.



When I was young, we never had Eucharistic devotions. Why are they so popular now? Prior to the Second Vatican Council, many Catholics found solid food for their spiritual lives in Eucharistic devotions, which include visiting the Blessed Sacrament (Eucharistic adoration), attending Forty Hours devotion, and assisting at benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. However, as the modern liturgical movement began picking up steam, scholars and theologians began questioning the amount of energy and attention going toward Eucharistic devotion. They urged us to focus our spirituality more clearly on the Mass—the action of the sacred liturgy and

the Eucharist itself—and to understand that all Eucharistic devotions outside of the sacred liturgy are meant to direct us back to the action of the Mass, the Eucharistic sacrifice, and its high point of Communion. The drop-off in Eucharistic devotions after Vatican II can be positively understood as an attempt to take the insights of liturgical reform seriously and develop a more liturgical piety. At the same time, the resurgence of Eucharistic adoration is a worthy retrieval of a beloved practice that both scholars and the faithful understand as complementing a full, conscious, and active participation in the sacred liturgy that is the “source and summit” of our lives.

Fr. Matthew Allman, CSSR

### Financial report - Thank You!

Weekly Collection for July 17<sup>th</sup> - \$8,944. July 24<sup>th</sup> - \$5,831 .

Weekly Expenses are approximately \$11,000.

Bi-weekly shortage - \$7,225.

### Sharing God's Gifts

Total target for 2022 - \$53,272. Amount as of July 10<sup>th</sup> - \$18,870.

### Options for Donating Money to the Church

We are trying to ensure your ease when making a donation.

For your convenience we accept donation envelopes, e-transfers (finance@staug.ca) and pre-authorized payments.

Please contact the church office if you need more information.

**Thank you for your generosity. God Bless.**

“The GRACE of our Lord has been Abundant.” 1 Timothy 1:14

### Sharing Gods Gifts

Thank you for your good works and ongoing support of St. Augustine of Canterbury Parish. Thank you for your personal commitment to the ministries that affect those within our diocese and the universal Church. The success of this appeal depends on your active response in faith. Our goal for 2022 is to get a total of \$53,272. As of the end of May, we've collected only about quarter of our goal. We are well behind our target. As by the end of May last year we already had almost half the contributions needed. As good stewards of God's gifts, we are called to return to Him a share of the gifts he has given us. Your gift will help those in need. Your stewardship is a witness of your faith in Him. Thank you for your compassion and generosity.

“Everybody today seems to be in such a terrible rush, anxious for greater developments and greater riches and so on, so that children have very little time for their parents. Parents have very little time for each other, and in the home begins the disruption of peace in the world.”  
—St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

The Month of August is traditionally dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The physical heart of Mary is venerated (not adored as the Sacred Heart of Jesus is) because it is united to her person and is the seat of her love, virtue, and inner life. Such devotion is an incentive to a similar love and virtue.

### Festival of Joy:

The activities committee for our upcoming Festival of Joy is in need of volunteers to run stations such as the fish pond, balloon stomp, tug of war, basketball, and many others. We are also in need of the following items: A 50ft rope, potato sacks, and gift prizes. If you are able to lend a hand, either as a volunteer, or by loaning items, please contact the office. Thank you!

“A saint is not someone who never sins, but one who sins less and less frequently, and gets up more and more quickly.” -St. Bernard

### Readings for the Week August 1<sup>st</sup> - August 14<sup>th</sup> :

Monday : St. Alphonsus Liguori  
Jer 28:1–17, Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Sts. Eusebius of Vercelli and Peter Julian Eymard  
Jer 30:1–2, 12–15, 18-22, Mt 14:22–36

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7, Mt 16:13-23

Thursday: St. John Mary Vianney  
Jer 31:31-34, Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Nah 1:15c, 2:2, 3:1-3, 6-7, Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 or 2 Pet 1:16-19, Lk 9:28b-36

Sunday : Wis 18:6-9, Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Lk 12:32-48

Monday : St. Dominic  
Ezk 1:2-5, 24-28c, Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross  
Ezk 2:8-3:4, Mt 18: 1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: St. Lawrence  
2 Cor 9:6-10, Jn 12:24-26

Thursday: St. Claire  
Ezk 12:1-16, Mt 18:21 - 19:1

Friday: St. Jane Frances de Chantal  
Ezk 16:1–15, 60, 63 or Ezk 16: 59-63, Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: St. Pontian and St. Hippolytus  
Ezk 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32 Mt 19:13-15

Sunday : Jer 38:4-6, 8-10, Heb 12:1-4, Lk 12:49-53

### St. Vincent de Paul:

A special thank you to Paula, a long-time parishioner and supporter of SVDP, who has been sewing patchwork quilts from scraps of clothing tirelessly for many years. Every few months, Paula calls us to pick up beautiful quilts which we distribute to those in need. Thank you, Paula, for the wonderful work you do for those in need. Paula is one of our many fantastic parishioners who support SVDP's service to the poor. Thank you all for your support.

### In Thanksgiving:

Ken and Dianne Fox invite you to share a morning coffee and muffins in the parish square after the 9:30am Mass on Thursday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, as they and members of their family celebrate their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.



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