St. Joan of Arc Parish

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Happy Easter

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

EUCHARIST

Saturday Sundav Monday to Friday 5:30 PM

5:30 PM

8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon 7:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM:

Arrangements are made through Judi Engel, ext 222. Couples expecting a child are encouraged to make contact before the child is born.

MARRIAGE:

Please call Fr. Dan at least one year prior to the planned wedding date.

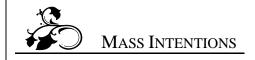
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS AND CHILDREN OF CATECHETICAL AGE: For those interested in the Catholic Church, please call Fr. Dan Callahan, ext. 226 (for adults)

or Sheila Malloch ext 222 (for older children and vouth).

PASTORAL VISITATION OF THE SICK:

To arrange for a visit to persons who are ill or housebound please leave their name and phone number at the office.





Monday, April 5 No Mass

Tuesday, April 6 Acts 2.36-41, Psalm 33, John 20.11-18 5:30 pm Susan Frederick

Wednesday, April 7 Acts 3.1-10, Psalm 105, Luke 24.13-35 5:30 pm Sabrina James

Thursday, April 8

Acts 3.11-26, Psalm 8, Luke 24.35-48 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Friday, April 9

Acts 4.1-12, Psalm 118, John 21.1-14 5:30 pm Parish Community

Saturday, April 10

Acts 5.12-16, Psalm 118, Revelation 1.9-11, 12-13 17-19, John 20.19-31 5:30 pm Parish Community

Sunday, April 11

8:30 am	Wes Hosick +
10:00 am	Confirmation Class
12:00 noon	The Parish Staff
2:00 pm	First Eucharist Class
7:00 pm	Mr. & Mrs. Kwoon
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Monthly Comparison: March

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Offertory	2009	2010	
Envelopes	14,058	\$15,709	
Loose	4,382	\$4,842	
PAG*	6,737	\$8,615	
Total	\$25,177	\$29,166	
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*PAG: Pre Authorized Giving





THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Welcome Parishioners, family and friends, gathered to celebrate Easter.

We have come here to celebrate the Resurrection of the Lord in this most holy season. New life is all around us as we enter the spring of the year and nature re-awakens. The cycles of death and new life from winter to spring, suggest the glorious event that Easter remembers: Jesus is Risen from the dead, indeed he is risen, the first fruit of all creation. He prefigures our own destinies through the seasons of life in his own gospel life. Even death itself is conquered in the Glory of God's power to Raise Jesus from the dead.

Through the 40 days of Lent and Holy Week we have walked together as followers in the footsteps of Jesus. We have remembered the events that have communicated God's Love throughout the ages and especially the great love that God has poured out for each of us in the person of Jesus, his only begotten Son. We have walked humbly together, in the way of the Cross and now we will celebrate for 50 days the triumph and glory He has won for us in this our Easter Season of Grace and Resurrection.

Now we are called to be witnesses to the meaning of Easter. We have been forgiven our former sins and brought through the grace of conversion to new life. We are now empowered to deliver this gift of forgiveness and new life to others so they too can come to know the power of the Resurrection and the free gift of God's grace that has transformed us. We are Easter People singing Alleluia for new life. We are glad to share our gratitude to God for the transforming love that has brought us from the death of sin to the joy of eternal life. God has promised and realized this truth through the Resurrection of the Lord, the model of the destiny that is ours in the Faith Hope and Love we share as Christian people now redeemed.

May the Glorious Love and Power of God poured out on us this Easter, Bless you and yours with new life and grace in abundance.

Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Elfreda Spiwak, Janina Saweczko, Jack Saweczko *The Deceased:* Br. Jim Daley, SA, Ada Dlholucky

<u>ShareLife</u>

"We don't own anything. It's really a gift from the Lord; our time, our talent. It's not ours to cling to; it's ours to share. The more we cling to things, the more we sink. The more we share generously, the more we live. Life's too short to just exist. We need to live, live to the fullest, and we do that when we're not so focused inwards but we're reaching outward. That's the way our Lord Jesus calls us to life" -Most Rev. Thomas Collins, *Archbishop of Toronto*

Winter Welcome Table

The Annual Winter Welcome Table Volunteer Appreciation Dinner is scheduled for April 12th at St Peter's Church with Mass beginning at 5:30 pm and dinner and fellowship to follow. This year it is a potluck, bring your favourite dish with you. Please RSVP to Frank or Marie as soon as possible, so we can accommodate everyone. Fr. Dan Callahan, SA will be celebrating the liturgy at St. Peter's that day. Thank you.

Stain Glass Windows

We are starting to put together the names for our plaque. Unfortunately, the list did not get transferred from the old computer to the new computer. If your name or the name you are remembering is not here, and you donated towards this project, please contact Rosanne in the parish office. Ann Horrigan, Mary Collins, Mary Krupica, Rosamund Ficker, Cay Maddaford, Bernadette Moroney, Margaret & Douglas McCarthy, John Lukas, Henryk Zalewski, Regina Horvatin, Eleanor Reeve, Alan Santolini.

The Catholic Women's League

The CWL is planning the Communion Brunch for April 25 following the 10 am Liturgy. Tickets can be purchased for \$12.00 each from executive members or Rosanne in the office during the week.

Eucharistic Ministers

Please email your email address to MaryAnn Chard, who is now making up the schedules. She would like to be able to send schedules by email to everyone. Her email address is: <u>mbchard@rogers.com</u>

Please Remember your Parish in your will!

Your parish has been there for you and your family during the most important moments of your lives. Help keep you Catholic Faith community active and alive for years to come. Please consider your parish in your Will or through a planned gift. Leave a lasting legacy of Faith. (The Archdiocese of Toronto)

Thursday, April 8

Rosanne will be out of the office in the morning, for a meeting at the Archdiocese. She will return to the parish by 1 pm.



THIS WEEK

<u>Monday, April 5</u>

No Activities

<u>Tuesday, April 6</u>

6:00 pm Confirmation Class 6:30 pm RFE Reheasal 7:30 pm SVDP

Wednesday, April 7

Staff 7:00 pm Social Committee

Saturday, April 10

12 noon RFE Rehearsal

Just a reminder:

If you are moving out of the parish, please call the office and inform us. Tax receipts can be then sent to the correct address at the end of the year. And you won't have mail forwarded to you at your new location.



Fr. Dan, Rosanne, Sheíla & Barbara

Wísh you all A Very Happy Easter!

