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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers Call the office Eucharistic Ministers Lordi Borges Lectors: Maryanne Chard 10:00AM Choir Susan McElcheran Rehearsal: Thursday 7:00 PM 12:00 Noon Choir Chris McConnell Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM Ushers: Ellen Hlebik

To contact a coordinator by e-mail, type the name of the ministry, organization or activity followed by @joanofarc.ca CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM Mass at Loyola Arrupe 1st Fridays at 10:30 AM with Anointing of the Sick

CELEBRATION OF RECONCILIATION Saturdays 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Arrangements are made through the Religious Education office. Couples expecting a child are encouraged to contact the office before the child is born. Please call Ms. Sheila Malloch, ext. 222, for more information.

MARRIAGE

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

Pastoral Visitation of the Sick: To arrange for a visit Call the office ext. 221

Phone

Fax

Office Hours Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm Wednesday mornings closed. Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:00 pm 6:30 to 8:30 pm

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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Please call Fr. Dan Callahan, ext. 226, for more information.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League 4th Monday, 7:30 PM Children's Liturgy 10:00 AM Mass **Development & Peace** www.devp.org (3rd Tuesday of the month 7:00 PM) Meditation Group Mondays, 7:15 PM Merry Makers 3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM Parish Council 2nd Monday, 7:30 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society 1st Tuesday, 7:30 PM Sunday School (ages 3-6) During 10:00 AM Mass Stewardship Six week schedule

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 2 Jeremiah 28:1-17 Psalm 119 Mathew 14:13-21 Holiday No Mass

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<u>Tuesday, August 3</u> Jeremiah 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22 Psalm 102 Matthew 22-36 5:30 pm The Sick of our Parish

Wednesday, August 4 Jeremiah 31:1-7, Jeremiah 31 Matthew 15:21-28 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

<u>Thursday, August 5</u> Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 51 Matthew 16:13-23 5:30 pm Consolacion Lagdamen +

<u>Friday, August 6</u> Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Psalm 97 Luke 9:28-36 5:30 pm For Vacationers

Saturday, August 7 Habakkuk 1:12-2:4 Psalm 9 Matthew 17:14-20 5:30 pm For our Seniors

Sunday, August 8 Wisdom 18:6-9 Psalm 33 Hewbrews 11:1-2, 8-19 Luke 12:32-48 8:30 am Clotilde Delmo + 10:00 am The Parish Community 12:00 noon Int. of The Friars 7:00 pm John Kulpers +

Monthly Comparison: July

Offertory	2009	2010
Envelopes	\$ 11,059	\$18,065
Loose	\$4,161	\$4,649
PAG*	\$6,109	\$8,524
Total	\$21,329	\$31,238





THE PASTOR'S CORNER Peace and Goodness to you and yours.

For the past two weeks, I have been discussing the Stewardship of our parish community. Two weeks ago we began by talking about Liturgical worship as the source and summit of our life and ministry here at St. Joan of Arc parish. Last week, I illustrated how our ministries grow from worship in organic development to meet the evangelical needs of the parish through integration of new members and ongoing education and development for the community. We also touched on some of the outreach that is provided by the parish to help us realize our Christian vocation to serve God and others. It is impossible to cover adequately, the full range of ministries that are provided by the parish in three short articles, but our hope is that you will have a clearer idea of the opportunities for Stewardship that are open to you through our parish.

Here at St. Joan of Arc we also host some very important organizations that bring life and holiness and support to our community. Primary among these is the *Catholic Woman's League*, the CWL. This group of women have been with St. Joan of Arc 46 years as a group of women whose social outreach, political advocacy, hands on participation in all of our organizations, and material support through fund raisers, and other activities has been a backbone of Christian life and devotion in the Spirit of Mary the Mother of God. *The St. Vincent DePaul Society* has also been a long mainstay of care for the poor and underprivileged in our midst. The *Knights of Columbus* are represented in our monthly First Friday Devotions, as they participate here and several of the surrounding parishes.

On very practical levels we have a *Gardening Committee* to keep our grounds and gardens beautiful (even in the midst of construction). *Our Building Committee* has been focusing on assisting the *Capital Campaign Committee* to bring about the current renovations and is looking toward becoming a Building maintenance committee in the future to forecast needed repairs and renovations before they become urgencies. Our *Finance Committee* provides oversight, foresight, and advisory governance to the pastor for the solvency and financial health of the parish. These groups work together sharing expertise and assistance for the material well being of the Parish. We are always seeking new volunteers in these areas to step in to rotating terms of service.

In the past three weeks I have named over two dozen different organizations and ministries of the parish. These groups are coordinated for the sake of communication and interaction through a network of representatives on our *Parish Council*. Together with the Pastoral team, the Council works to realize good Stewardship in building our relationships to utilize our resources and talents for the continued growth and development of the parish community. Most of our parish committees and organizations are represented by members of the parish council.

However, there are other groups and services that gather here at St. Joan of Arc that deserve mention.

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(Continued from page 1) To enhance Christian life and formation, we offer hospitality to a *meditation group*, a *Taize* prayer service which is an ecumenical prayer gathering, and a *Marion prayer* gathering that meets some of the devotional needs of the parish. Sr. Elizabeth has provided some scripture study as she has walked with those who "*Stroll thru Scripture*" as a faith sharing ministry, and we are open to the possibility of a scripture study group growing in the future

. We welcome inquiries that involve development to promote spiritual growth in the community and as ever, we seek individual volunteers to develop and sustain these devotional and faith building opportunities.

St Joan of Arc Community provides a wealth of opportunity for everyone in the parish to become involved in Stewardship Activities. As the summer progresses we are illustrating this reality to prepare the ground for our Stewardship Weekend in September. Our aim is to proclaim this Spirit of Stewardship in Christ, and strengthen our community participation so that we may indeed mirror the Kingdom of God that the Gospel Proclaims. We hope to help everyone see how they might become involved in the life of the parish in ways that fit the particular needs and life schedules that are possible for each family or situation. Please ask God in your prayers and consider how you may be called to serve the community in your life.

May God Bless you Richly in Love and Joy,

Fr. Dan

<u>Please Pray for:</u> The Sick: Don Hildreth, Dorothy Payne, Julian Cesario The Deceased:

Wedding Banns

Second Publication Jennifer Cabral & Michael Rocha

Catholic Cemeteries – Archdiocese of Toronto

Invite all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful departed on Wednesday, August 11th at 7:00 pm. Locations and Celebrants:

Assumption Cemetery Christ the King Cemetery Holy Cross Cemetery Mount Hope Cemetery Queen of Heaven Cemetery Resurrection Cemetery St. Mary's Cemetery Most Rev. John Boissonneau Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen Most Rev. William McGrattan Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic His Grace, Archbishop Thomas Collins Rev. Msgr. Ambrose Sheehy Most Rev. Peter Hundt

In the event of rain mass will be held in the mausoleum at Assumption, Holy Cross, Resurrection and Queen of Heaven. Christ the King Cemetery will celebrate mass on the site of the Reception Centre. Mount Hope at St. Monica's Parish, 44 Broadway Ave. And St. Mary's in Barrie at St. Mary's Parish, 65 Amelia St.



Toronto Catholic District School Board

The TCDSB extends a warm welcome to all families who have recently moved into the Toronto area. The Board is proud to provide a wide range of programs and services to students in 201 publicly-funded Catholic Schools from Jr. Kindergarten to Gr. 12. School begins Tuesday, September 7. For registration information pleases call 416 222-8282 ext 5314. New landed immigrants (14 Yrs and older) must call the TCDSB Orientation Centre at 416 393-5500 to make an appointment for evaluation prior to applying for secondary school.

<u>CONGRATULATIONS FR. DAN !</u> THE IRON FRIAR KEEPS HIS TITLE!

As you know Fr. Dan participated in the Lake Placid Iron Man Triathlon last week end and successfully completed the course. *Interested in Fr. Dan's times?* He:

Swam: 2.4 miles in 1:12:48 Biked: 112 miles in 8:25:37 Ran: 26.2 miles in 5:53:48





The Iron Friar!

How to beat the heat! (continued) 1) Take a cool bath or shower periodically or cool down with cool, wet towels.

2) Wear loose fitting clothing.

3) Avoid heavy meals and using your oven.

4) Avoid intense or moderately intense physical activity.



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