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CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday
5:30 PM

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

Office Hours

Tuesday and Thursday
9:30 am to 11:30 am

Monday to Thursday afternoons
1:00 pm to 4:00pm

Monday & Wednesday Morning Closed

Friday closed

Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:00 pm
6:30 to 8:30 pm

PARISH STAFF

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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

Eucharistic Ministers
Andrew O'Handley

Lectors:
Maryanne Chard
10:00AM Choir
Susan McElcheran
Rehearsal: Thursday 7:30 PM
12:00 Noon Choir
Antoine Pellerin

Ushers: Call the office

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 contact ext. 222, for more information.

MARRIAGE

Please call Fr. Bob 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

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League
See CWL Bulletin Board for Details

Children's Liturgy
10:00 AM Mass

Creation Care Ministry
2nd Tuesday of each month 7pm.

Development and Peace
www.devp.org
3rd Monday of the month 7:00 PM

Merrymakers
3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM

Prayer Group
Wednesdays after mass

Parish Council
Every two months

St. Vincent de Paul Society
2nd Wednesday, 7:30 PM

Sunday School (ages 3-6)
During 10:00 AM Mass



MASS
INTENTIONS

Monday, August 10

2 Corinthians 9:6-10 Psalm 112

John 12:24-26

5:30 pm Sick of the Parish

Tuesday, August 11

Ezekiel 2:8, 3:4 Psalm 119

Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

5:30 pm Consalcion Lagdamen +

Wednesday, August 12

Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22

Psalm 113 Matthew 18:15-20

5:30 pm Int. Natividad Lagdamen

Thursday, August 13

Ezekiel 12:1-16 Psalm 78

Mathew 18:21, 19:1

5:30 pm Gina Sylvester +

Friday, August 14

Ezekiel 16:1-15, 60, 63 Isaiah 12

Matthew 19:3-12

5:30 pm Ross Best +

Saturday August 15

Revelation 11:19; 12:1-6, 10 Psalm

45 1 Corin. 15:10-26 Luke 1:39-56

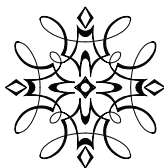
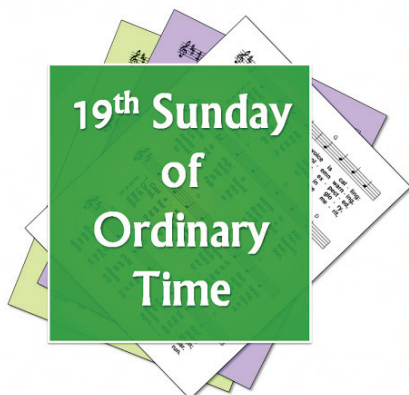
5:30 pm Antonio Lagdamen +

Sunday, August 16

Isaiah 56:1,6-7 Psalm 67 Romans

11:13-15,29-32 Matthew 15:21-28

10:00 am Int. of Cetty Incorvaga



The Friar's Nook

I received an email from the Chancery this week, stating that we should resume our Sacramental programs in the Church, being mindful of safe practices. Prior to this, they were suggesting that we wait until next year to celebrate the sacraments. At Saint Joan of Arc, we already began celebrating last week with the RCIA. And for the rest of the month we will be having first Communion at Mass. I'm sure that my decision to carry on with the sacraments had no effect on the decision of the diocese, but I like to think so. There was certainly a lot of joy last weekend and we certainly could use some joy!

Our numbers at Mass on weekends are continuing to grow. We now need to use the Chapel each weekend! I can't tell you how grateful I am for all the volunteers who helped make Mass possible on the weekends, those who usher, those who cleaned the church afterwards, and those that do both! We even have one person who's not comfortable joining the Mass but comes afterwards to help clean the church! Talk about devotion.

I'm sad to say that we've lost a couple members of our community this week to death. Gina Sylvester passed away. She was a lector for a long time until she started getting ill and her husband Len, was an usher at Mass every week until shortly before we closed for the pandemic. And Ross Best, who's wife Theresa is a greeter at the 10 am Mass. You may not recognize the name but she and her daughter are always faithful to the 10:00 o'clock community. We also have a eucharistic minister who is extremely ill and may pass any day now. As we send their souls to God, I am reminded of the void they leave behind, in their families, and in this parish. I mentioned this so that you might think of taking on one of these roles, or in fact any liturgical role. I realize right now we're not using a lot of ministers, except for ushers, but we will when this is over. And I'm still looking to put together a group for the Art and Environment that can take over the seasonal decorating in the church and I have yet to hear from anyone interested. I am willing to train anyone. Remember we can't wait for someone else to do it if we're not willing to do it ourselves.

On the bright side, I am looking forward to seeing the youngsters receiving communion for the first time. I hope both their families and this congregation will provide good examples of what it means to be Christian, taking up their cross, and committing themselves good stewardship in the parish. It's a sign to me of new life in the Church. In these crazy times it's a consolation to see life go on, especially young life.

Also, the cleaning here at Saint Joan of Arc has continued. Mike, our caretaker, has been stripping and waxing all the floors. When you can return to using the Hall, you might need sunglasses because it's so clean and shiny! We're doing everything we can to make the parish a more inviting place for you, your family, and your friends.

*Stay safe and stay cool,
Fr. Bob.*

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Carmel Grech, Krystyna Tybinkowski, Gary Hartnett and Brendan Crowley

The Deceased: Nelfa Droa, Gina Sylvester and Ross Best

The Parish Office

Rosanne is now in the parish office Tuesdays and Thursdays. You must have an appointment to come to the office to see her or anyone else.. This is following the instructions from the Archdiocese. We are only allowed to work on site two days a week. When coming to the office you must be wearing a mask according to the instruction of the City of Toronto. Monday and Wednesday, she is working from home, collecting emails and phone messages to keep in touch with parishioners.

Message from the Archdiocese ShareLife Office.

We have received word from the ShareLife office that the Episcopal Board has granted permission to the ShareLife department an extension on their 2020 campaign into the fall this year. As of June 30, \$5.4 million was received at the ShareLife office. The new dates for the extra ShareLife Collections will be September 12 /13, October 10/11 and November 7/8,2020.

Seven Pillars of Self-Care have been developed as a holistic approach to healthcare. They include:

- Health Literacy
- Self Awareness (Mental Well-being)
- Physical Activity
- Healthy Eating
- Risk Avoidance
- Good Hygiene
- Optimal Use of Self-Care Products and Services

For more information about each pillar visit selfcare.ca.

Celebrate this Self-Care Day by doing something that contributes to your well-being and overall health. Self-care benefits for you and everyone around you. (From the Office of Human Resources & Wellness

Committee of the Archdiocese)

Office of Formation for Discipleship

August 22nd: 9 am to 12 pm. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are invited to join a formation event. Participants will have a opportunity to deepen their understanding of the Liturgy of the Eucharist. This is an online version of the in-person formation events that have been previously held by the Office of Formation for Discipleship. Online registration is required. Please register at <https://bit.ly/EMHCF-registerAug2020> by August 20th.



Sunday Mass

Fr. Bob & Fr. Ken will continue to stream the 10 am mass on Sundays on the St. Joan of Arc Facebook page.

Mass can also be found televised Sunday Mornings on different channels at different times. Check you TV listings.

Invitation for this summer leading up to the Season of Creation.

The season of Creation runs from September 1st to October 4th and calls Christians around the world to pray and care for creation. Creation Care Ministry invites you to visit our website at: www.bit.ly/sjacom to learn about the Season of Creation including related suggestions for prayer, reflection and action for the summer. More along the way of living well with less and letting the earth rest by making a commitment to reduce waste.

Message from the Office

The church only has one bank account! All cheques must be payable to St. Joan of Arc Parish, and on the memo line write the fund it is to go towards such as ShareLife.

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