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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 23

Malachi 3:1-4, 4:5-6 Psalm 25

Luke 1:57-66

5:30 pm Enza ;& Fliorella Quattrini +

Tuesday, December 24

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8-12, 16 Psalm 89

Luke 1:67-79

5:30 pm Parish Community

9:30 pm Parish Community

12:00 am Parish Community

Wednesday, December 25

10:00 am Parish Community

12:00 pm Parish Community

Thursday, December 26

Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59 Psalm 31

Matthew 10:17-22

No Mass

Friday, December 27

1 John 1:1-4 Psalm 97

John 20:2-8

5:30 pm Janek & Wladyslwa Pabian+

Saturday, December 28

1 John 1:5, 2:2 Psalm 124

Matthew 2:13-18

5:30 pm Loc Ortiz +

Sunday, December 29

Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 Psalm 128

Colossians 3:12-21 Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

8:30 am Int. of Fr. Dan

10:00 am Maria Tomasone +

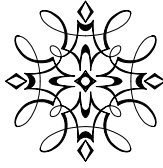
12:00 pm The Parish Community

7:00 pm Mercedes Gonzalez +

Monthly Comparison for: November

Offertory	2018	2019
Envelopes	\$ 14,966	\$ 13,434
Loose	\$ 4,526	\$ 4,757
PAG	\$ 7,376	\$ 7,039
Total	\$26,868	\$ 25,231

Contributions for the Building
Maintenance Fund: \$4,339.00



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to all!

Welcome to St. Joan of Arc as we celebrate the wonders of the Christmas Season! We are so delighted you are here to celebrate the great mystery of God's love revealed to us in the birth of Jesus, our most humble Lord and Savior. The whole parish gathers in this our 100th year to offer our liturgical worship to pay homage to the depth of meaning and significance given to us in this miraculous event. Our God has become one of us in human life, so we can become God's holy people in our love for God and one another. Human love has become divine love because Jesus is born.

To love and honour the Christ Child we gather for the annual Christmas Pageant presented by our children and directed by their parents to tell the story. What beauty, what innocence is represented in this lovely production. We give thanks to all who participated in this effort, we know you will be delighted by this spectacle.

The Christmas crèche will be erected in the place where the pageant is held. St. Francis of Assisi created the first crèche scene to help us visualize the gospel stories. Thank you to Monique Le Ray and others whose artistic gifts create this beautiful scene. The musicians and choirs have been preparing the music that sings the scriptures bringing to life the majesty of this gospel story. We thank you all for your preparation and wonderful participation in this worship. Our lectors have prayerfully prepared to make the proclamations clear for us to hear and marvel at God's love revealed to us in the scriptures. We are grateful also to our Eucharistic ministers, greeters, ushers, altar servers and others who facilitate your welcome and worship. This parish is dedicated to living and proclaiming the gospel through faithful stewardship in our lives, talents and resources so all may be welcomed to know and serve the Lord. Thank you to Cathi Richardson our Stewardship director and Rosanne Kelly our Pastoral Assistant who facilitate the organization of our parish.

I, as your pastor and Fr. Bob, as your associate pastor are privileged to serve this wonderful parish and all who make this community a place of warm welcome and vibrant worship. We hope you feel at home here and we appreciate your being with us in this joyful and holy season. May you find peace, and joy in Christ our Saviour and come to know intimately His abundant merciful Love always.

*In the Joy and Love of Christ Jesus our Lord
Fr. Dan and Fr. Bob*

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Vittorina Brum

For the Deceased: Gabriel Brum

CHILDREN'S PAGEANT

The Second Rehearsal will be held December 15, following the 12 noon mass. Second Rehearsal December 22nd following Fr. Dan's reception following the 12 noon mass.

2020 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2020 boxes of offertory envelopes are setup in the hall numerically. If you don't know your number, you can go to the office and ask the staff member to check for you during office hours. If you haven't had a box before and would like one, please go to the office and request a box, it will be issued to you right then. We do not mail out boxes. Please Print your information on the first few, so we can check your information. Do not use 2020 envelopes until the new year.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

On December 21 after the 5:30 pm and Sunday, December 22 after the 10 am, 12 noon and 7 pm masses, there will be receptions for Fr. Dan to wish him well on his new post at Graymoor.

Congratulations to the children who were baptized at St. Joan of Arc this year!

Wyatt Law; Lucas Burmaster, Anna Kuhn, Lennox Kearney, Cian Finnison, James Idzik, Lyon Moseley, Connor Dineen, Elio Gatta Evelyn Andrews, Theodore Barringer, Sebastian Jazwinski, Janusz Jazwinski, Alive LeBrun, Kevin Kelo, Ruben Pannopa, Cecilia Freyman, angus Dylag, Levi Pazos-Balarinjo, Bennett Yap= Lunney, Noah Giovinazzo, Bohdan Chorny-Gadea, Arthur McMahon, Lucas Popovici, Olivia Thorne, Katherine Bradshaw, Veronica Barrington, Molly Bechtel, Olivia Martins, Adele Evans, Revenna Close, Layla Mancini, Isla Thibodeau, Miles Kelly, Paloma Gerson, Remy Saxon, Sutton Saxon, Declan Shields, Aeryn Arca, Edith Blais, Claire Blais, Julianna Lurnitus, Joaquin Alvarez, Emma Hanna, Madeline Hanna, ,Noah Noonan, Elijah Noonan and Penelope Valadares

*The Parish Staff wish you a Happy
and Blessed Christmas!*

*Fr. Dan, Fr. Bob,
Rosanne,
Cathi & Anne*

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

Receptions for Fr. Dan after 10 am,
12 noon and 7 pm masses

No Activities this week

Future Dates to Remember

December 30

No Activities this week

Sunday, January 5

Religious Education

Monday, January 6

6:00 Youth Group

Wednesday, January 8

Confirmation Family night

7:30 pm RCIA

7:30 pm SVDP

Thursday, January 9

7:00 pm CWL Executive

Offices will be closed from noon
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