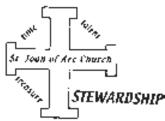
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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers Call the office Eucharistic Ministers Andrew O'Handley Lectors: Maryanne Chard 10:00AM Choir Susan McElcheran Rehearsal: Thursday 7:00 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

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, 7:00 PM Children's Liturgy 10:00 AM Mass **Development & Peace** www.devp.org 3rd Thursday 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 Thursday, 7:30 PM Sunday School (ages 3-6) During 10:00 AM Mass

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 14 Genesis 4:1-15,25 Psalm 50 Mark 8:11-13 5:30 pm Int. of Kazimiera Sienkiewicz

 Tuesday, February 15

 Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10
 Psalm 29

 Mark 8:14-21
 5:30 pm Clarence Creedon +

<u>Wednesday, February 16</u> Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22 Psalm 116 Mark 8:22-26 5:30 pm Lisa Feradya-Facciolo +

Thursday, February 17 Genesis 9:1-13 Psalm 102 Mark 8:27-33 5:30 pm Int. of Edna Schlathnau

Friday, February 18 Genesis 11:1-9 Psalm 33 Mark 8:34-38-9:1 5:30 pm Ken Murphy +

Saturday, February 19

Hebrews 11:1-7 Psalm 145 Mark 9:2-13 5:30 pm Rosamund Ficker +

Sunday, February 20

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18 Psalm 103 1Corin. 3:16-23 Matthew 5:38-48 8:30 am The Parish Community 10:00 am Margaret Ringer + 12:00 noon Frank Berka + 7:00 pm Gordana Stojkovic+

Monthly Comparison for January

| Offertory | 2010 | 2011 |
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| Envelopes | \$18,831 | \$16,942 |
| Loose | \$5,011 | \$6,268 |
| PAG* | \$8,205 | \$8,470 |
| Total | \$32,047 | \$31,680 |
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*Pre-Authorized Giving





THE PASTOR'S CORNER Peace and Goodness to all!

This past Wednesday we celebrated 10:00 mass for Marrocco Merton High School students and faculty. They are a great bunch of young people who come to worship here. It is a great privilege to serve this community ministry that is located in our parish boundary. They are an attentive group who clearly appreciate this opportunity to hear the Word of God and join at the Eucharistic table. This time rather than the usual choir, they featured music from their jazz and classical band to enhance the worship. Elaine Orsini, the school chaplain does a wonderful job preparing the readers, altar servers and students for these worship events. We are grateful for their relationship with our parish.

The communication committee is working diligently to gather the coordinators of our various ministries to discover and meet the needs and desires of each group to enhance our interrelationships and improve our abilities to reach parishioners and others who will benefit from our parish activities. This group is doing a wonderful job and we will report on their progress as things develop. I have been having some computer problems since before Christmas, and they have been very helpful in bringing me back on line. God Bless the work of their hands.

At our staff meeting this week we talked about the upcoming Lenten exercises, and the retreats that will be held to enhance our parish mission throughout all of our ministerial and practical activities. As the dates and themes are developed we will place the invitations in the bulletin and make announcements from the pulpit so the gatherings will be fruitful. Please continue to pray for God's blessing of the Holy Spirit on our parish and all of its activities.

The RCIA group has been continuing to meet on Wednesday evenings and we are preparing to celebrate the various rites throughout the Lenten Calendar. The dates and times of the various rites and scrutinies will be posted in the bulletin throughout the Lenten period. Please keep the RCIA and RCIC candidates in your prayers. The Archdiocese is offering a program for individuals who would like to support the RCIA program. If you are interested, please call me for information. We are so deeply blessed by the wonderful individuals who have recognized the presence of the Lord in our community. Thank you for being a warm and inviting community that makes everyone feel at home.

Be sure to mark the Mardi Gras celebration dinner and dance evening on your calendar, that will be on Saturday March 5. This parish has a great reputation for its parties, and this will be no exception. If you haven't been to one, you're missing a great time. The price is right. The food is terrific, and the fellowship is out of this world. It is fun for families, singles, seniors, juniors, children and everyone who likes a wholesome good time. Next week will be the holiday weekend, so the Church will be closed on Monday, we hope you, your families and loved ones are able to enjoy some good family time together.

Have a great week and know the Lord is with you in all times and seasons and through all things.

In the Love and Joy of Jesus, Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

Sick: Buddy O'Hara, Joe Hosick Deceased: Neonila Kunyk, Rev. Arthur Carragher, CSSP, Bonnie Young, Marta Brazda

<u>Wedding Banns</u> First Publication Emmanuel Nwanunobi and Roseline Uzegbu

MARDI GRAS

Save the date! The Social Committee presents their annual Mardi Gras Dinner-Dance to take place on Saturday, March 5, 2011, after the 5:30 pm mass. Ticket sales begin this weekend after all the masses

THANK YOU FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

We wish to thank Rose DiTommaso, Ellen Hlebik, Naty Lagdamen and Nellie Burrows who, a week ago, helped insert the Financial Report into the Parish bulletin. You are all wonderful examples of Stewardship at work in our Parish.

Religious Education

Family night is February 15h, for all parents and children enrolled for First Communion in the spring. It will begin at 6:30 pm sharp in the parish hall. All classes will resume February $27^{\text{th.}}$ Due to the Family Day Weekend there are no classes February 20^{th} or 22^{nd} .

Marriage Enrichment Feb. 25-27

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre. "Alone Again" is a marriage enrichment for couples married 25 years or more. This unique weekend is designed to help married couples look at the rest of their lives once the children have left, or planning for their retirement, or continuing their personal growth once retired. For more info call 905 278-8879 or 416 694-1742.

Parish Giving.

Do you use envelopes for your weekly offertory or Pre Authorized giving? Please consider starting this year. You can obtain a box or sign up for PAG at the parish office. You help your parish stay financially healthy, leading others by example and you also benefit from income savings. For more information on using envelopes visit www.archtoronto.org/development.

Marriage Sunday

Archbishop Thomas Collins has designated this weekend February 12/13, 2011 as "Marriage Sunday". Worldwide Marriage Encounter is the most successful and dynamic marriage enrichment experience in the world today. Since its beginning in 1968, couples and priests have volunteered their time and energies to bring the Marriage Encounter Weekend to couples everywhere. Marriage Encounter aims to renew the Church through the renewal of the Sacraments of Matrimony and Holy Orders. It is an approved ministry of the Archdiocese of Toronto. For more information contact: 416-510-0264, fax 416-534-6131 or email: billetzkorn@rogers.com



THIS WEEK

Monday, February 14 7:15 pm Mediation

Tuesday, February 154:30 pm Religious Education6:30 pm Communication Committee

Wednesday, February 16 Staff Meeting 7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, February 17

7:00 pm Marriage Prep

Future Dates to Remember

<u>Monday, February 21</u> Family Day. No Mass. Offices closed.

Friday March 4 Mardi Gras Set up

Saturday, March 5 Mardi Gras Dance

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The Parish office

The office will be closed Thursday **afternoon**, Feb.17, 2011.

St. Cecilia's St. Patrick's Day Mass

33rd Annual Concelebrated Mass in Honour of St. Patrick will take place on March 6, 2011 at 3:30 pm. Principal Celebrant will be the Most Reverend William T. Mc Grattan, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto. See flyer on office door for more details



