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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

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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

CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday
5:30 PM

Sunday
10:00 AM

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

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

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, February 14

James 1:1-11 Psalm 119:67-68.71-72,75-76 Mark 8:11-13

5:30 pm Int of Karen & Marcus

Tuesday, February 15

James 1: 12-18 Psalm 94:12-15, 18-19 Mark 8:14-21

5:30 pm Pamela Carben+

Wednesday, February 16

James 1:19-27 Psalm 15:2-5 Mark 8:22-26

5:30 pm Andrea Stasyna +

Thursday, February 17

James 2:1-9 Psalm 34: 1-6 Mark 8:27-33

5:30 pm Velma Pabian +

Friday, February 18

James 2: 14-24, 26 Psalm 112: 1-6 Mark 8:34-38- 9:1

5:30 pm Walter Fedchak+

Saturday, February 19

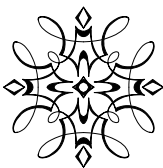
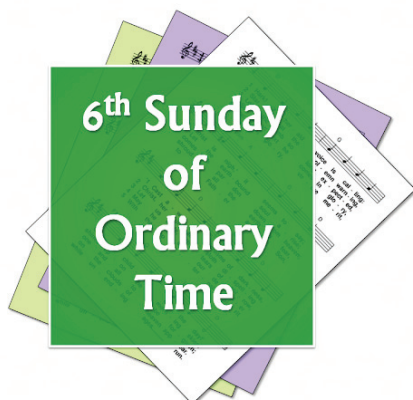
James 3:1-10 Psalm 12:1-4, 6-7 Mark 9:2-13

5:30 pm Wanda Sall

Sunday, February 20

1 Samuel 26:2,7-9,12-13, 22-25 Psalm 103 1-4,8,10,12-13 1Corn. 15:45-49 Luke 6:27-38

10:00 am Rosamund Ficker +



St. Joan of Arc's Catholic Women's League had their 58th Anniversary on January 8th, 2022!

I would like to share some of the history of our Catholic Women's League Council. Over the years we have sponsored many activities: we sponsored a club named "Do As You Wish", it changed to the "Over 50 Club", this group would play cards and do crafts on a Tuesday afternoon. We had a fashion show here at the parish, with our own members as the models and being able to order an outfit at the time; we sold tickets and attended a fashion show at Eaton's as a fundraiser. We sponsored New Year's Eve Dances with the Knights of Columbus.

We have purchased vestments, finger towels for the sacristy, a coffee urn, amplifiers for the original organ, and the old cupboards in the meeting room. We have supported fundraising for the parish, by contributing to the cost of a new roof.

In 1978, our council hosted a Citizenship court here in our own parish hall. I can't pass up the chance to tell you that the Royal Canadian Mountie standing on guard for this function, fainted from the heat in our hall.

Over the years, we have sponsored Emergency and Babysitting courses. We held receptions for the children receiving their First Communion and Confirmation.

In 1999, the parish had a rash of break-ins, and we contributed to the cost of the first Alarm System, we shared in the cost of purchasing a new organ for the parish. We have purchased the tables, chairs and the divider in the hall. We purchased the commercial fridge and offered funds to repair the stove.

To celebrate the 75th Anniversary of St. Joan of Arc Parish, we hosted a fashion show here in our hall with the theme "The 1920's to the 1990's". When, we borrowed costumes from a Theatre Group that covered the span of 75 years.

One of our pastoral associate's asked the league to sew baptismal stoles for the infants being baptized in the parish. This practice is continued until another member of the parish started to knit them.

Our official CWL Banner is placed by the altar, and our Honour Guards are present at a member's funeral. Before covid, we held bazaars, and financially support our parish and neighbourhood charities.

In 2007, the League presented the parish with \$10,000.00 towards the cost of our new kitchen.

We participate in Regional & Archdiocesan Days of Reflection, and we are well represented at the Archdiocesan Convention each year. We have had two Regional Presidents come from our council, as well as different convenorships at that level. We even had one member go to the Archdiocesan level.

During Covid, we have not been meeting in person, but we still participate in the ministries of the parish. We hope to start up again as soon as all the Covid restrictions are lifted. Once, we open we invite all women to consider joining us.

Rosanne Kelly

A Past President

Please Pray for:

The Sick:

The Deceased: Marcelo Quinteros

Friars Student Writing Contest 2022

The Franciscan Friars of the Atonement-Graymoor, the Office for Promoting Christian Unity of the Archdiocese of Toronto, and The Catholic Register are proud to present the 2022 Friars' Student Writing Contest. "We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him." – Matthew 2:2. **Deadline for entries is Monday, February 14, 2022.** Entries are to be submitted online by going to the Archdiocese website/ Friars Student writing. Please, copy-paste your essay into the provided field.

Toronto Catholic District School Board

Have some difference positions they are trying to fill. See the poster at the entrance of the church for details.

Winter Welcome Table

All during Covid 19, Winter Welcome Table has been serving packaged meals to their clients. St. Joan of Arc has been part of this ministry since the beginning. We are falling behind in our financial support. All donations made to WWT, will be added to your tax receipt at year end.

Remember when making donations to different collections such as WWT, to make you cheques payable to St. Joan of Arc Church and on the memo line, mark Winter Welcome Table.

Attention CWL Members

If you have not yet paid your membership, you may drop it in the collection or mail it to the parish office. Mark it CWL. Due to covid we are behind in paying membership fees.

Everyone needs Someone.

People need people and friends need friends, and we all need love, for a full life depends, not just on riches or great acclaim. Not on success or Worldly fame. But on just knowing that someone cares and holds us close in their thoughts and prayers. For only knowledge that we're understood makes everyday living feel wonderful7 good. And we rob ourselves of life's greatest need, the outreached hand reaching to find a Kindred spirit whose heart and mind are lonely and longing to share our joys and sorrows and to make us aware that life's completeness an richness depend on the things we share with our loved ones and friends.

And He sat down and call the twelve and he said to them, If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant to all. Mark 9:35

The 10 am Sunday Mass

Is live streamed on our Facebook page.

Bible Study

You can attend St. Joan of Arc's Bible study from the comfort of your own home. Fr. Bob invites you to join him, Wednesdays at 2:00 pm on the St. Joan of Arc Facebook page, when he is in the city.

God has Positive Answers

You say: *It's impossible.*

God says: *All things are possible.*
Luke 18:27

You say: *I'm too tired.*

God says: *I will give you rest.*
Matthew 11:28-30

You say: *Nobody really loves me.*
God says: *I Love you.* John 3:16

You say: *I can't go on.*

God says: *My grace is sufficient.*
2 Corinthian 12:9 Psalm 91:15

You say: *I can't figure things out.*
God says: *I will direct your steps.*
Proverbs 3:6

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