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CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

10:00 AM

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

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, February 7

*1 Kings 8:1-7,9-13 Psalm 132:1-2,
4-6,8-10, 13-14 Mark 6:53-56*

5:30 pm Int. of the Florian Family

Tuesday, February 8

*1 Kings 8:22-23,27-30 Psalm 84:
2-4, 9-10 Mark 7: 1-13*

5:30 pm Frederick Cornelius +

Wednesday, February 9

*1 Kings 10:1-10 Psalm 37:5-6,
30-3; 39-40 Mark 7: 14-23*

5:30 pm Int. of the General Council

Thursday February 10

*1 Kings 11:4-13 Psalm 106:3-4,6-
7, 35-37, 40 Mark 7: 24-30*

5:30 pm Sick of the Parish

Friday, February 11

*1 Kings 11:29-32, 12:19 Psalm 81:
9-14 Mark 7:31-37*

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Saturday, February 12

*1 Kings 12:26-32; 13:33-34
Psalm 106:6-7, 19-22 Mark 8: 1-
10*

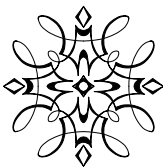
5:30 pm Julia Tan +

Sunday, February 13

*Jeremiah 17:5-8 Psalm 1:1-4, 6,
1Corin. 15:12, 16-20 Luke 6:17,
20-26*

10:00 am Rita & John D'Souza +

**5th Sunday
of
Ordinary
Time**



The Friar's Nook

Well, we've made it through one month of the year 2022, 11 more to go. We wait day by day or at least week by week to hear where we will be going with the COVID restrictions, but we haven't been idle. This past week I had a great meeting with a group of parishioners setting our sights on the post lockdown parish. Rather than waiting restrictions to be lifted and then starting to look at "how do we get going again", we decided to be proactive and plan what we would like to do and start getting things in place for it now. So, when the time comes, we will be ready to get up and running.

Once we have the plan in structure in place, then we will look at ways of implementing some of it now with the restrictions we have on us. I'm looking forward to what the future will bring for us as a parish and as a community.

Several of our committees and groups have been active during this time. With the wonder of Zoom meetings, we've been able to see and talk to one another and continue to move things forward. Since we have one more month to go before we start Lent, we're putting things in place now so that will be ready to celebrate as a parish and as individuals.

My hope right now is that we will be open and less restricted during Holy Week. It would be wonderful they celebrate the holiest days of the year together as a congregation. So, we will continue to watch and wait and have a "Plan B" ready just in case.

One of the things we are looking at as a parish, as a diocese, and as the Friars, is Pope Francis's called to a synod of synodality. Pope Francis is asking the church to open their ears to the voices of the laity who make up the church. As friars, we're having a meeting the first full week of March to do just that. We will be listening to those who work in all of our ministries to hear from them what we hope to accomplish in the future and how we can do that. The archdiocese has a survey online to get responses from the laity. This is not just for the average churchgoer, but I think it's especially important for those who no longer go to church to contribute to this information. If the church is going to be relevant in the future, we need to hear what we are missing in the present. I see this as an offshoot of the second Vatican council and I'm excited about it as when Vatican 2 occurred, I was a young child but now the changes of Vatican 2 are being realized in the lives of people in the church. During Lent, I will be encouraging people to go online and to fill out the questionnaire, but I'll be especially encouraging people to talk to their non-churched friends and family to do the same that we may be the church for all people - a church where all are welcome.

In the meanwhile, I would ask you to think about what you would like to do in the parish. When we reopen fully, we will need lots of people to revitalize our ministries.

And hopefully there will be new ministries to begin. Take the time now to ask "What is God calling me to" at this moment in time in our church and in our world so that together we can face this task and the challenges that lie ahead with God's guidance and God strength.

I pray that you join me, or should I say join us, on this journey toward the Kingdom,

Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick:

The Deceased: Marcelo Quinteros

Friars Student Writing Contest 2022

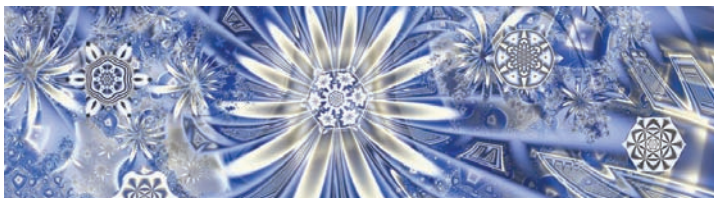
The Franciscan Friars of the Atonement-Graymoor, the Office for Promoting Christian Unity of the Archdiocese of Toronto, and The Catholic Register are proud to present the 2022 Friars' Student Writing Contest. *"We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him."* – *Matthew 2:2*

Essay Question: Read Matthew 2:1-12, consult the resources for the Writing Contest 2022, and the programs of the Office for Christian Unity, and submit a 450-500-word essay that answers this question: How can unity among Christians help overcome the forces of darkness in the world and bring the nations to the light of Christ? What is being done by the Christians journeying and acting together in the name of Jesus? What more needs to be done? Discuss with examples from your personal experience and the life of the Church.

. 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.

Celebration of Marriage Mass

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place **on Sunday, February 13, 2022**, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St, Toronto at 2:30 p.m. Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB will preside over this special Mass and all married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows. Due to social distancing measures, in-person attendance is limited at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica and only couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, and 60+ wedding anniversaries and one (1) guest per celebrant couple will be able to register to attend (for a total of a group of 3). Other couples, family, and friends are welcome to participate in the celebration via the Livestream. The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. Registration will close on February 4, 2022, or when we reach maximum capacity at the Cathedral.



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.

Toronto Catholic District School Board

Have a number of 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.





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