

SAINT
JOAN OF ARC

1701 Bloor Street West
Toronto, ON M6P 1B1

email: parish@joanofarc.ca
website: www.joanofarc.ca

Phone 416.762.1026
Fax 416.604.3420

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Daniel Callahan, SA Pastor (ext. 226)
Ms. Sheila Malloch, B.A., B. Ed Pastoral Associate (ext. 222)
Mrs. Rosanne Kelly Administrative Assistant (ext. 221)
Ms. Cathi Richardson-Bird Parish Stewardship Coordinator (ext. 223)
Mr. Larry O'Grady Pastoral Council Chair





MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 2

1 John 2:22-28 Psalm 98

John 1:19-28

No Mass

Tuesday, January 3

John 2:29-, 3:1-6 Psalm 98

John 1:29-34

5:30 pm Catherine Maddaford +

Wednesday, January 4

1 John 3:7-10 Psalm 96

John 1:35-42

5:30 pm Josephine MacDonald +

Thursday, January 5

1 John 3:11-21 Psalm 100

John 1:43-51

5:30 pm Henry & Kathleen Fitzgerald

Friday, January 6

1 John 5; 5-13 Psalm 147

Mark 1:4-5, 7-11

5:30 pm Int. of the Parish Staff

Saturday, January 7

1 John 15:14-21 Psalm 149

John 2:1-12

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Sunday, January 8

Isaiah 60:1-6 Psalm 72

Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6 Matthew 2:1-12

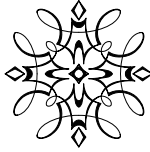
8:30 am A Special Intention

10:00am Rita Lee +

12:00 noon Ben Sobie +

7:00 pm George Roumelis +

Monthly Comparison not available at time of printing.



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Welcome and Merry Christmas to all of our parishioners, family members, friends, guests and visitors.

The feast of the Nativity of the Lord Jesus gathers us to celebrate the great wonder and humility of Almighty God, who was born of the Virgin Mary as a fragile infant so we might come to know and love Him. He became one with us in the human beauty and wonder of a child. How he loves us!

The Christmas season of our worship begins to recall the entire story of the Life, growth, service and passion of Jesus, the Lord. His life from the beginning communicates the Love of God for all people of every age, race language and way of life. Our worship begins with the Christmas pageant as it is acted out by the children of the parish. We give thanks to the parents, and teachers who have prepared this lovely spectacle. We will continue throughout the weekend to proclaim the Word of God made flesh to dwell among us in all of our Eucharistic liturgical celebrations. The Choir's liturgical ministers, and parishioners have prepared wonderful celebrations for us to worship and enjoy. We give thanks to all of those who dedicate themselves to performing these services. We pray the grace of the Holy Spirit will enlighten and give vitality to all who are here to participate. May you deeply experience the Spirit of Christmas among us.

Francis of Assisi, was the first to enact the Christmas scene in Greccio, Italy during the early 1200s. How remarkable it is that this practice is made new in so many varied cultures throughout the world. St. Joan of Arc parish has enacted this pageant for more than 35 years. We the Franciscans of the Atonement, are privileged to serve this parish in a spirit of joy and gratitude for all who come here to know, love and serve the Lord of all creation. Christmas is a special time to remember traditions, and to welcome everyone to these holy celebrations. We hope you experience God's presence and that you feel at home.

St. Joan of Arc is dedicated to Stewardship, this is a way that engages all of our parishioners in the life ministry and sustenance of the community. If you are interested in becoming involved in the parish, please know you are welcome to call me or the office so we can help you become connected. We pray that all who are here will grow closer to God this Christmas season so you may know the Way the Truth and the Life in abundance that is ours in Jesus.

May God bless you and your loved ones with all of the Joy and love of Christ our Saviour.

Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year!

Please Pray for:

The sick: Gertrude Wojeck, Mary Jacobson, Carmela Morra, Felix Russo, and Graham

The Deceased: Johanna Griffith, Rita Lee

Finance Committee

The committee is looking for new members, for a three year term. If you have the qualifications of a CA, CMA or CGA and are interested in volunteering time to the parish, please submit your resume to the parish office for consideration. The committee works in a way that the terms overlap, so new members are brought on board with existing members. This team assists Fr. Dan and the parish in many ways.

Congratulations

To the families that had their children baptized in 2011.

Charlotte Galbraith, Garrett Rishchynski, Aidan Danner, Eafael Angelo, Luke Jewiss, Maeve Jewiss, Samuel Jewiss, Shamar Jemmott, Lucas Ferlejowski, Ethan Kindon, Angelina Raquz, Sophia Roberts, Gabriele Rezza, William Mac Millan, Nicole Casey, Ethan Hunter, Jackson Kirkwood, Jacob Smith, Lauren Laframboise, Leah Quigley-Gies, Caden Platt, Etenesh Anstett, Joss Cassidy, Sloane Cassidy, Cole Haick, Evan Haick, Jude Alexandrowicz, Kate Rotherham, Michela Caravaggio, Jonah Ladurantaye, Evan Gennaro, Olivia Gennaro, Olivia Yeug-Ubaldino, Pascal Colaco, Tristan Bernard, Valentina Pena-Araya, Julin Schwindt, Adrian Gagro, Daniel Reid, Jonathan Javier, Emily Perrier, Lucas Perrier, Jaycie Forrester, Aidan Borges, Ashton McGeachie, Simone Placentile, Rushford Oliver, Orla Browne, Rowan Smith, Felix Evans, Talula Jevremov and Claire Cassidy.

Congratulations

To the couples who were married at St. Joan of Arc in 2011.

Douglas Tuiria and Loria Moniz, Evan Kedzierski and Natalie Ciufo, Shawn Ruff and Johanna Stewart, Michele Fiore and Francesca Coscarelli, Sheldon Brown and Christine Tourangeau, Janusz Wawro and Alexandra Goncz, Jeffrey Claydon and Stephanie Bowen, Stephen Kotowych and Amanda Claassen, Derrick Rasbach and Janette Chuacuco, Vincent Marion and Carina Chen, Luis Martins and Stephanie Ficker.

From the Director of Religious Education

Religious Education has been so much fun this past year. We have been blessed with great teachers, fascinating bible stories, lively discussions, good snacks, and fabulous kids. A shout out to all those parents who have so faithfully supported their children in their Christian journey.

In the New Year, we will continue with our Sunday School and Liturgy of the Word Programs. If you have a child between the Ages of 3-6 or in Grades 3-6 and would like to join the fun, please join us at 10:00 AM each Sunday. All are welcome, both to teach or attend.

In January we will also begin our confirmation preparation. All students should now be enrolled. If not, register quickly.... May you all experience God's richest blessings on your families this Christmas Season. I look forward to seeing your children again in 2012!

Ms. Sheila Malloch, ext 222

Thursday, January 5

7:00pm Marriage Prep Course

FUTURE DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday, January 10

Religious Ed Classes resume

7:30 pm Mini Parish Council AGM

Tuesday, January 17

The Merry-makers Mass & Lunch

Mass for the Unborn

December 28, 2011 at St. Michael's Cathedral at 5:30 pm. Celebrant will be Rev. Ed McGovern.

Important News from the Office

Mark Your Calendar!!!

As everyone knows, Fr. Dan likes a Party! So we are planning a weekend of celebration for Fr. Dan, our pastor, who is about to celebrate his 25th Anniversary of Ordination. A small committee of us are working to make sure this happens! In January, we will have a limited number of tickets on sale, for a Dinner on January 28th. Then on Sunday, January 29th, we will have a reception organized by our Social Committee for all the parishioners after the 10 am and 12 noon masses. I will have more information for you in the New Year! Happy New Year to You All!

Rosanne

Concert for Youth at St. Vincent de Paul Church 263 Roncesvalles

SPY (St. Philip Youth) present an evening of live music with Survived 88 and John Rugosi and Luc Rinaldi. Friday, January 13 in the parish hall of St. Vincent's at 7 pm. Tickets are \$10.00. Evening concludes with Compline and Benediction at 11pm followed by a simple meal. Tickets are available from the youth of the parish or email spytoronto@gmail.com.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

home Editions
Design / Build
Specializing in Additions & Renovations
www.homeeditions.com
416-410-7844

RUSEK LAW OFFICE
Richard E. Rusek, B.A., J.D.
Krystyne H. Rusek, (Hon) B.Sc., J.D.
1623 Bloor St. W. (416) 533-8563

FREE ENGLISH CLASSES
• Various Levels of English • Day & Evening Program
• Free Child Care (19mos-6yrs) • Free TTC tickets
TCDSB-PARK PLACE LINC CENTRE
2299 Dundas St. W., 2nd Floor (416) 397-6593

Nicholson's **nofrills**
lower food prices™
2187 Bloor St. W.

RE/MAX
West Realty Inc., Brokerage
Independently Owned & Operated
MARGIE "K" TEAM
Margie 'K' Kiersnowski
Penny Thoms
Sales Representatives
www.margiek.com (416) 769-1616

Remember...
Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.

DENTIST
Dr. Jeffrey Pancer
Dr. Susanna Lam
Dr. Harold Rosenberg
FAMILY & COSMETIC
DENTISTRY FULL RANGE OF
AFFORDABLE CARE
TEETH WHITENING
SNORING & SLEEP APNEA THERAPY
1621 Bloor St. W.
(2 blks W. of Dundas Subway)
416-533-5440

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
Archdiocese of Toronto
Holy Cross, Thornhill (905) 889-7467
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge (905) 851-5822
Mausoleum, Cremation, Monument Lots and Shrine Sections
www.catholic-cemeteries.com

Turner & Porter
FUNERAL DIRECTORS
YORKE CHAPEL
2357 Bloor Street West
416-767-3153
RONCESVALLES CHAPEL
436 Roncesvalles Avenue
416-533-7954
www.turnerporter.ca

BOTO-BOOZER since 1935
Plumbing, Sewer & Drain Cleaning,
Waterproofing
24 hours per day (416) 503-4444

Please Patronize Our Advertisers!
For advertising space call
905-624-4422

Pizzaville
STONE BAKED
Mon-Wed 11AM-1AM; Thu 11AM-1:30AM
Fri-Sat 11AM-2:30AM; Sun 12PM-12AM
1730 Bloor St. W. 416-736-3636

Angela Balan
Catherine Richardson
SALES REPRESENTATIVES
416 236 1871
*Your Home Team
People buy from people.*
ROYAL LEPAGE
Royal LePage Real Estate Services Ltd., Brokerage

Martin Oswald
Wealth Advisor
Parishioner
416.862.3929
I develop personalized financial solutions to grow your wealth over time.
ScotiaMcLeod
™ Trademark used under authorization and control of The Bank of Nova Scotia. ScotiaMcLeod is a division of Scotia Capital Inc., Member CIPF.

Sutton
Realty Systems Inc., Brokerage
Maura Walsh
Sales Representative
416-762-4200
"On the Move"
I Can Help!

ROYAL LEPAGE
Royal LePage Real Estate Services Ltd., Brokerage

Kenneth J. Michalak BA, CFP, CGA
Certified General Accountant
Certified Financial Planner
kenmicha@look.ca
1576 Bloor St. W. 416-588-2808

ASCOT
BASEMENT WATERPROOFING
CONCRETE & MASONRY REPAIRS
ROOFING
384 Queen St. E.
(416) 363-4744 Metro Lic #B-3349

LB HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING CO.
• High Efficiency Gas Furnaces
• Tankless Hot Water Heaters
• In Floor Radiant
• Maintenance & 24 Hour Service
• Central & Ductless Air Conditioning
2753 Dundas St. W. (W. of Keele St.)
416-762-1291

GOOD YEAR ROOFING
Shingles • Flat Roof • Eavestroughs
Aluminum & Vinyl Siding • Soffits
B: 416-604-3445 C: 416-859-0506
10+ Yrs Experience, Work Guaranteed!

Cardinal
FUNERAL HOMES
BATHURST CHAPEL 366 Bathurst St. 416-603-1444
ANNETTE CHAPEL 92 Annette St. 416-762-8141
BEREAVEMENT CENTRE 86 Annette St. 416-762-3478

PRONTOAIR
HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
Leader in Home Comfort Innovation since 1874
Heating and Air Conditioning
• HIGH EFFICIENCY & MID EFFICIENCY FURNACES • AIR CONDITIONERS
• DUCTLESS AIR CONDITIONERS
• HEAT PUMPS • HUMIDIFIERS
MAINTENANCE SERVICE CONTRACTS
VISIT OUR SHOWROOM
21 GOODRICH RD #12 ETOBICOKE
www.prontoair.com
416 • 255 • 4779

LOYOLA ARRUPPE CENTRE FOR SENIORS
Activities, Programs & Special Events
1709 Bloor St. W. 416-766-7977
www.loyolaarruppecentre.com

Pollocks HOME HARDWARE
PLUMBING & HOME CENTRE
FOR ALL YOUR HARDWARE NEEDS!
341-347 Roncesvalles Ave. 416-535-1169

Cardinal FUNERAL HOMES
BATHURST CHAPEL 366 Bathurst St. 416-603-1444
ANNETTE CHAPEL 92 Annette St. 416-762-8141
BEREAVEMENT CENTRE 86 Annette St. 416-762-3478

Family Owned & Operated for 3 Generations
L. James Cardinal
President/Owner
www.cardinalfuneralhomes.com

HIGH PARK AUTO SERVICE
SERVING THE NEIGHBOURHOOD FOR 30 YRS
SPECIALIZING IN:
• Electrical Tune-Ups • Brakes
• Front end suspension • Air Conditioning
• General repairs • Lights • Radiators
• Tires & Balance • Belts • Hoses
60 HOWARD PARK (AT RONCESVALLES)
416-536-9333

LYNETT FUNERAL HOME
Proudly Serving Catholic Families since 1914
3299 Dundas Street West
(1 Block East of Runnymede) • 416-767-1176

carmen krasevac
the andrea morrison team
still the professional working & living in your neighbourhood
416-762-8255 office 416-272-5191 cell
ROYAL LEPAGE
royal lepage real estate services ltd, brokerage

DENTAL OFFICE
Dr. George Elias, DDS
Jim Durston, Denturist
Evenings available
1730 Bloor St. W. #4 (at Keele Subway/7-11 Store)
416-766-2222

St. Macrina Counselling Services
Single, Family, Couple
416-629-8264
Mary Marrocco, MDiv, RMFT
stmacrinaserivces@gmail.com

Scotiabank
Pleased To Be Of Service To St. Joan of Arc Parish
1709 Bloor St. W. 416-760-2305

Bill Mohan
SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Parishioner
416 762-4200
Finding and selling homes for families
Your High Park expert and #1 Bloor West
Sutton Office Agent from 2001-2008
Offering free property evaluations!
www.billmohan.com
Sutton
SUTTON GROUP REALTY SYSTEMS INC. BROKERAGE

Shopping Locally Saves Gas
Lyle Hamilton, BComm.
Sales Representative
Making It Possible.
ROYAL LEPAGE
DIRECT: (416) 606-8376
OFFICE: (416) 762-8255
WWW.LYLEHAMILTON.COM

Buy one **BIG MAC** and a **LARGE FRIES** and receive a **2nd BIG MAC FREE!**
Valid only at:
2218 Bloor St. W. (at Runnymede)
630 Keele (at St. Clair)
Limit one coupon per customer per visit.
Not valid with any other offer or Extra Value Meal.
Please present coupon before ordering.
OFFER EXPIRES JULY 31, 2012