

St. Joan of Arc

Proclaiming and Living the Gospel through Stewardship. All are Welcome.

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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 CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM

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. 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 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

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.

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, January 13 1 Samuel 1:1-8 Psalm 116 Mark 1:14-20 5:30 pm The Sick of the Parish

<u>Tuesday, January 14</u> *1 Samuel 1:9-20 1 Samuel 2 Mark 1: L21-28* 5:30 pm Int. of Fr. Ken

Wednesday January 15

1 Samuel 3:1-10,19-[20 Psalm 40 Mark 1:29-39 5:30 pm Holy Souls in Purgatory

<u>Thursday, January 16</u> *1 Samuel 4:1-11 Psalm 44 Mark 1:40-45* 5:30 pm Deceased Parishioners

Friday, January 17 *I Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22 Psalm 89 Mark 2:1-12* 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Saturday, January 18

1 Samuel 9:1-4,17-19: 10:1 Psalm 21 Mark 2:13-17 5:30 pm Gabriel Brum +

Sunday, January 19

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6 Psalm 40 I Corin. 1:1-3 John 1:29-34 <u>8</u>:30 am Marjory Hosick 10:00 am Int. of Fr. Bob 12:00 pm Ed Benson 7:00 pm The Parish Community

Comparison for: December

Offertory		2018		2019
Envelopes	\$	17,641	\$	17,971
Loose	\$	5,523	\$	6,066
PAG	\$	7,257	\$	7,101
Total	\$	30,421	\$	31,138
Contributions for Building &				
Maintenance \$4,396.				



The Friar's Nook

Peace and Goodness to all!

Happy New Year! It's an exciting time for the parish of St. Joan of Arc - or at least for me. On Sunday January 19th, Bishop Bob Kasun will be here for the 10:00 o'clock mass to install me as pastor. A friend of mine said, "Installing you - it sounds like they're going to nail you to the wall!" When Bishop Kasun (or Bishop Bob as he prefers) called me to set the date and time he asked how I was doing. I told him no one has "nailed me to the wall" yet! He thought that was a good sign.

I'm so glad that I had over a year to get to know the people in the parish and that you have had a chance to get to know me. In fact, when I attended a diocesan meeting for new pastors, they were all jealous that I've been here for a year before becoming pastor where they get assigned and sent to a new parish and have to start cold. I'm really looking forward to being able to serve you the best I can. I know that I won't be able to please everyone, but I will do all that I can to make St. Joan of Arc parish continue to grow and continue to be a light for Toronto. To that end, I will need the help of each and every one of you.

This year with the help of the Stewardship Committee, we plan to kick off a new stewardship initiative. We will be asking each member of the congregation to commit to at least one small part of the parish. There are a wide variety of ministries here some involving more time than others but with everyone working together the work is light. Some people have been in the same roles and ministry for the longest time and we seek to alleviate that by bringing in fresh faces and voices. Every Sunday we see the same people minister over and over again. In a parish this size there should be plenty of people to rotate the ministries and certainly not having one person do multiple ministries! I always think that if you're coming to church anyway how difficult is it to take on a roll from greeter to usher (of which we are sorely lacking), from server, lector to Eucharistic minister. We need help and all of these areas. Both the choirs have solicited for new members and have gotten some but remember they are here to help YOU sing not to sing for you. There are also many other non-liturgical ministries for you to get involved with. I myself have been busy plastering, painting comma and cleaning!

I thank all of you for the food and the meals you have provided they are a sing of your love. I hope that you will be proud to be a member of St Joan of Arc parish

Peace, love and joy, Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Patricia McCullough, Teresa Petingo ,and Al Almon **The Deceased**: William Vant Erve

Development & Peace

Dr. Maria Páez Victor – D&P Guest – Mon. Jan. 20st You are invited to attend our monthly meeting on Monday, Jan. 20th 2020 at 7:30 in the Meeting Room. Maria is a sociologist, D&P member, member of the 12 o'clock choir and has been at St. Joan of Arc Parish for over 30 years. She has just returned from participating in the First Encounter of the Indigenous Peoples of the Americas in Venezuela and will lead a conversation on: The indigenous peoples of our Americas and why they deserve our support.

A MESSAGES FRM THE OFFICE

1)Would the following families please come to the office and collect their free photo, that was taken for the 100th Anniversary book: Paul Arkal, Brendan Browne, Naomi Calla, Tessie Cruz, Wendy Medeiros, Matthew Miller, Marti Obreza, Gavin Persaud, Mario Sturino, Sheila Whyte and Chris Woods. If you didn't get your photo book already, please ask for it at the same time.

2) The Parish office **will be closed** Tuesday morning, January 14. Rosanne will be participating in an Archdiocesan Webinar. The office will open around 2:00 pm that day.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

For those who had envelopes for 2019, the remainder of the boxes are still in the hall for you to collect. If you box is missing, please go to the office and ask for a new number.

The Initial offering envelope are to help offset the parish cost for the cost of the printing the boxes of envelopes. It is not intended for the Direct Deposit parishioners.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2020

The Theme is "**They showed us unusual kindness**" (CF.Acts 28:2) This year's Ecumenical Prayer Service led by Christian Church Leaders in the GTA. His Eminence Cardinal Collins Archbishop of Toronto will be reflecting on the Word of God, Sunday January 26, 2020 at 7:00 pm at the Yorkminster Park 'Baptist Church at 1585 Yonge St., Toronto M4T 1Z9. For mor information go to: ecumenical@archtoronto.org, or call 416 934 3400 Ext 344

> Welcome Fr. Ken Cíeník to St. Joan of Arc !

THIS WEEK

Monday, January 13

6:30 pm Youth Group 7:00 pm D & P

Tuesday, January 14

12:15 pm Merrymakers Mass & Lunch 7:30 pm Creation Care

Wednesday, January 15

Staff Meeting 4:15 pm Religious Education 7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, January 16

6:30 pm Baptism Clas 7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep Class 7:00 pm CWL Executive meeting

<u>Friday, January 17</u> L'Arche Retreat for Confirmandi

Future Dates to Remember

January 19 to 26th Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Monday, January 20 6:30 pm Youth 7:00 pm D & P

Wednesday, January 21

Confirmation Class 7:30 pm RCIA 7:30 pm Taize Ecumenical Service

Thursday, January 227:00 pmCFS Marriage Prep Course



Baptism of Our Lord

