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Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon,

7:00 PM

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

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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. Dan at least one year prior to the planned wedding date.

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

Development and Peace
www.dev.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 22

2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10 Psalm 89

Mark 3:22-30

5:30 pm Mitchell Kopec+

Tuesday, January 23

2 Samuel 6:12-15, 17-19

Psalm 24 Mark 3L31-35

5:30 pm Jaroslov Berka +

Wednesday, January 24

2 Samuel 7:1-17 Psalm 89

Mark 4:1-29

5:30 pm Benedict Church+

Thursday, January 25

Acts 22:3-16 Psalm 117

Mark 16:15-18

5:30pm Maurice Allen +

Friday, January 26

2 Timothy 1:1-8 Psalm 96

Luke 10:1-9

5:30 pm In Thanksgiving

Saturday, January 27

2 Samuel 12:1-7, 10-17 Psalm 15

Mark 4:35-41

5:30 pm Janek & Wladyslawa Pabian+

Sunday, January 28

Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Psalm 95 1

Corinthians 7:32-35 Mark 1:21-28

8:30 am Johnny Bower +

10:00 am Leonora O'Keefe +

12:00pm The Parish Community

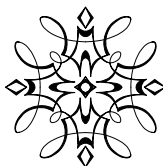
7:00 pm Unity of All Christians

Monthly Comparison for: December

Offertory	2016	2017
Offertory	\$12,859	\$20,524
Loose	\$3,751	\$4,876
PAG	\$6,469	\$6,593
Total	\$23,079	\$31,984

5 weeks in 2016 compared to 3 weeks in 2017.

Contributions for the Building Maintenance Fund \$ 3,440



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to all!

Today we celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This important time was established in 1909 by Servant of God, Fr. Paul Wattson, SA the founder of the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement, and it is celebrated throughout the world by Christians of every denomination to realize the prayer of Jesus who prayed, "That all may be one, so the world may believe". Here at St Joan of Arc we will be presenting the Annual Student Essay award that is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Toronto and the Atonement Friars at the 10:00 AM Mass. Fr. Timothy MacDonald SA, the Director of the Archdiocesan Office of Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs will present the award.

This week we also remember the Sisters of Sion who will celebrate 175 years since their foundation that was established to further the relationship between Christians and Jews. It is a holy time of celebration and prayer for all who pray and work for the reconciliation of all of God's people as Children of God.

This past week, I attended the veneration of the relic of St. Francis Xavier that was presented at St. Michael's Cathedral. It was inspirational to see so many young men and women from the vast diversity of the Toronto Catholic population gathered in praise and worship of God as they honored this wonderful saint who was one of the four original Jesuit priests. This gave me great hope an inspiration, as I witnessed the faith of so many young men and women gathered in praise and worship of God. This also reminded me that we need to pray for vocations to Religious Life and Priesthood for the Church which needs the special leadership that religious profession and sacramental ordination provide for the community. Let us pray for vocations to the leadership of the Church and be attentive and supportive of those who are discerning a vocation in their lives.

Here at St. Joan of Arc we work to sustain a culture of Stewardship of our gifts and this requires a culture of discernment of the ways God is calling each of us to serve the Lord with our time, talents and resources. Discernment requires first a listening disposition to pay attention to the ways that the word of God is speaking to each of us and all of us as a community. Secondly, it requires our response by spending our lives, engaging in positive relationships with others and becoming effective in the use of our time, talents and resources to express our faith in God in the loving responses that are made available to us in the Church.

Let us pray that the Lord will continue to inspire us to Serve the Lord as we serve one another and the parish as God's stewards of life and grace. It is always a privilege to serve as you pastor as I see the generosity and love you demonstrate throughout the year as a parish community. Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

*In the Love and Joy of Jesus,
Fr. Dan*

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Marcello Quinteros, Veronica Olmedo

The Deceased: Msgr. Gregory Haddock, Fr Robert Crooker, CSB

OFFERTORY ENVELOPE USERS.

- 1) 2017 Books are now closed as of January 12th.
- 2) We are getting some empty envelopes, we presume there were coins inside, but if they are empty, we can not record a donation, be sure to moisten the tab to close it. *Better still use paper money!*

FAIR TRADE SUNDAY - JANUARY 21st

Fair Trade products will be available in the hall today after all the morning Masses. Become a member of D&P, a movement for global justice.

Parish Council Mini AGM

Mark your calendars. Tuesday, January 23 at 7:30 pm we will hold our Winter Mini AGM. Each parish group will be asked for a brief report on the activities of their organization or ministry.

CWL News

Once again, the Archdiocesan CWL is offering a \$3,000 scholarship for St. Michael's College. This scholarship is open to any young woman of Catholic Faith, completing her secondary school education, and has indicated on her application that St. Michael's College is her first choice of college. The applicant must be entering the Faculty of Arts & Science in one of the following areas of study: Commerce, Computer Science, Humanities and Social Sciences, or Sciences. Applications must be submitted by ay 31st, 2018. For more information leave a message for Mary Brown at the parish office. For an application see Rosanne in the office.

THE YOUTH GROUP INVITES ALL YOUTH OF THE PARISH TO JOIN THEM FOR A BOARD GAME NIGHT

If you are 13 to 18 and would like to join in with your Parish Youth Group for a night of fun.... Join us on Monday January 29 in the Parish Hall at 6:00 to 7:30pm. We will be playing board games and enjoying refreshments. All are welcome!

JANUARY 16, 1863-BIRTHDATE OF FR. PAUL WATTSON, SA
Prayer for Canonization of Fr. Paul of Graymoor

God of unity and peace, in Christ your Son, You reveal your compassion for sinners and love for the poor which inspired Fr. Paul of Graymoor to pioneer the mission of Church Unity and spend himself in the care of our outcast brothers and sisters. Grant, we pray, that the example of this apostle of unity and charity will inspire us to advance the reconciliation of all things in Christ, without counting the cost. With confidence we ask that Fr. Paul be raised o the honors of the altar, and through His intercession grant the favour we now ask (mention your petition), if it be in conformity with Your will. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen- Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be to the Father- Mary Queen of Heaven and Our Lady of the Atonement, Pray for Us.

THIS WEEK

Monday January 22

5:00 pm Youth Group

7:00 pm CWL

Tuesday, January 23

7:30 pm Mini AM

Wednesday, January 24

Staff

4:30 pm Religious Education

7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, January 25

7:00 pm Marriage Prep

Future Dates to Remember

Tuesday, January 30

7:30 pm Building & Maintenance

Wednesday, January 31

Staff

4:30 pm Religious Education

7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, February 1

7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18 to 25th

Join us in an ecumenical prayer service led by Archbishop Cardinal Thomas Collins, Anglican Archbishop Colin Johnson, Coptic Orthodox Bishop Anba Mina and other city wide religious leaders on Sunday January 28th, 2018 at 3:00 pm at the Metropolitan United Church 56 Queen St. E. Queen and Bond St. Homilist His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins. Parking is available. Refreshments to follow. See Posters for more details.

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