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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 7:00 PM 12:00 Noon Choir Chris McConnell Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM Ushers: George Ramirez

To contact a coordinator by e-mail, type the name of the ministry, organization or activity followed by @joanofarc.ca CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM Mass at Loyola Arrupe 1st Fridays at 10:30 AM with Anointing of the Sick

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 call Ms. Sheila Malloch, 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

Phone

Fax

Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

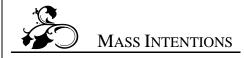
Wednesday mornings closed. Sunday: 9:30 am to

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 4th Monday, 7:00 PM Children's Liturgy 10:00 AM Mass **Development & Peace** www.devp.org 3rd Thursday of the month 7:00 PM Meditation Group Mondays, 7:15 PM Merry Makers 3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM Prayer Group Wednesdays after mass 3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM 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



Monday, August 1 Numbers 11:4-15 Psalm 81 Matthew 14:22-36 Holiday No Mass

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Tuesday, August 2 Numbers 12:1-13 Psalm 51 Matthew 1:2, 10-14 5:30 pm Rev. A. Paul Vernooy SCJ+

<u>Wednesday, August 3</u> Numbers 13:2, 25-33; 14:1-2, 26-29,34-35 Psalm 106 Matthew 15:21-28 5:30 pm Antonino Bucaria +

Thursday, August 4 Numbers 20:1-13 Psalm 95 Matthew 16:13-23 5:30 pm Antonio Lagdamen Jr +

Friday, August 5 Deuteronomy 4:32-40 Psalm 77 Matthew 16:24-28 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Saturday, August 6 Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Psalm 97 Matthew 17:1-9 5:30 pm The Parish Community

<u>Sunday, August 7</u> 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13 Psalm 85 Romans 9:1-5 Matthew 14:22-33 8:30 am Our Seniors 10:00 am Glen Bernabe + 12:00 noon Stan Galaski+ 7:00 pm Betty Hyland +

Monthly Comparison for: June

Offertory	2010	2011
Envelopes	\$17,359	\$13,237
Loose	5,030	\$4,375
PAG*	8,654	\$8,675
Total	\$31,043	\$26,287

* Pre-Authorized Giving Building & Maintenance Fund \$1,225 for June



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to All!

Wednesday afternoon, I returned after a week away at Lake Placid to run the Ironman and to visit the friars and some old friends in the area. It was a great week of vacation and the weather was perfect for the run on Sunday. Friday evening before the race I was once again privileged to do a prayerful invocation for the athletes and their families gathered for the pre-race dinner and meeting. Then on Saturday night I celebrated mass at St. Agnes Church in Lake Placid. The church was filled to capacity for this annual "Ironman Mass" and the Gospel reading lent itself to inspire us all to pursue the kingdom of God as the pearl of great price. I could not help but see a parallel between the intensity of running the Ironman which takes a whole hearted effort to complete, with what it means to Love God with our whole hearts soul mind and strength, in order to enter the Kingdom of God. The race in pursuit of a medal is but a shadow of our life time efforts to fulfill our Christian call to Love God and our neighbour. At any rate it was fun to meet some of the athletes on the course who yelled out their words of thanks for the Mass the night before.

After the race, on Monday, I visited St. Joseph's Rehabilitation Center where I had been stationed for ten years to speak with the residents there. They had one of the athlete aid stations along the bike course. It was good to see the good work continue in this ministry that was begun by the Friars of the Atonement 40 years ago. It is now an independent organization, with a couple of friars serving on the board of directors. Next year I plan to run the race in New York City to raise funds for Atonement Friar's ministries to the homeless and underserved in various locations throughout the world.

After visiting St. Joseph's, I was able to enjoy an evening at the Friar's lake house, listening to the loons and watching the clouds change color as the sun set over the mountains. It was lovely.

This afternoon, I went into the meeting room and saw the completion of the beautiful storage cabinets that have been installed. The arrangement for various organizations to set up their cabinets and receive the keys etc will develop in the coming weeks. A word of great thanks goes out to the Building Maintenance Committee who worked for months to discover the needs of our various groups, and then worked to design and implement the construction of sufficient storage spaces to meet the needs that were expressed. It has been a long time coming because the process required a great deal of attention and planning before the construction could take place. Thank you to everyone involved in this process and project. Please drop in and see this project completed through the generosity of all who contributed time and treasure to make it possible. This effort has gone beyond the Capital Campaign Projects and was made possible through your contributions to the building funds that allow for necessary improvements to be made for our parish organizations.

It is good to be back, and I am deeply grateful to all of you who prayed for me during the race, I felt your presence with me all the way. I am also grateful to all of you who contributed so generously to provide a new sign for the front of the Church. We will continue talking with sign designers to install a sign that is appropriate to our needs and fitting for the beautiful architecture of the building. Thank you all once again for your support, and for all that you are and do to make St. Joan of Arc the wonderful parish that it is.

May God bless you abundantly in Love and Joy!

Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: The Deceased: Rev. Conor Kennedy

Wedding Banns

<u>First</u> Publication Jeffrey Claydon & Stephanie Bowen

Catholic Missions/Scarboro Foreign Missions

There will be a collection next weekend for the CM/SFM check your offertory box for the special envelope. Also, there are envelopes available at the entrances of the church.

Sharelife Relief for East Africa

The ShareLife Office is accepting donations for disaster relief efforts in East Africa. Working with our partners at the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development & Peace/Caritas Canada, the Catholic Church's official relief representative in Canada, funds will be channelled to Caritas organizations on the ground. Throughout the region, Caritas has mobilized, supplying food aid, clean water and medical and veterinary aid. Current reports suggest more than 200,000 people are receiving assistance through the Caritas network at present. Cheques can be made payable to St. Joan of Arc Parish/ShareLife and on the memo line mark East Africa Relief. The parish will then send one cheque on behalf of the parish community.

Donations.

Please enter your information on the outside of your envelopes. This past week we received several envelopes without names, or just first names or initials come to the office, without an amount on them, they can't be recorded. Please fill in the lines on the envelopes, to be sure to get credit for your donations. Without that information, the donations are recorded under CASH, and no receipt can be issued.

Offertory Envelopes

Are you using visitor's envelopes on a regular basis? Why not collect a box of Offertory Envelopes for your personal use? All you have to do is come to the parish office and request a box. (The office is even open after the Sunday liturgies.) A box will be issued on the spot for your use. This will make recording your offerings much easier. Thank you.

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed

Aug 17, 2011 at 7:00 pm Masses will be celebrated throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie for the souls of the deceased buried in our Catholic Cemeteries. Celebrants will be: At Assumption Cemetery- Rev. Msg. Shiels, Christ the King Cemetery- Rev. Dominic Barber; Holy Cross Cemetery -Rev. Msgr. Brad Massman; Mount Hope - Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic; Queen of Heaven - Most. Rev. John Boissonneau; Resurrection- Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen; St. Mary's Barrie - Rev. Francis Mc Devitt.



THIS WEEK

How to beat the Heat

Drink lots of water and natural juices even if you don't feel thirsty. Avoid alcoholic beverages and Coffee and cola. Avoid going out in the blazing sun or heat when possible. If you must go outside, stay in the shade as much as possible and plan to out early in the morning or evening when it is cooler and smog levels may not be as high. Wear a hat.

Take advantage of air conditioned or cool places, such as shopping malls, libraries, community centres or a friend's place.

If you don't have air conditioning, keep shades or drapes drawn and blinds closed on the sunny side of your home, but keep windows slightly opened. Keep electric lights off or turned down low.



Fr. Dan's Times: Swim 1:22:24, Bike 8:08:07, Run 5:39:31. Overall 15:31:17 Rank 2130 Div. Pos. 18 *Way to Go Fr. Dan!*



