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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, June 14

2 Corinthians 6:1-10 Psalm 98:1-4

Matthew 5:38-42

5:30 pm Andy Katek +

Tuesday, June 15

2 Corinthians 8:1-9 Psalm 146:1-

2,5-9 Matthew 5:43-48

5:30 pm Int. of the General Council

Wednesday, June 16

2 Corinthians 9:6-11 Psalm 112:1-

4,9 Matthew 6:1-6,16-18

5:30 pm Int. of the Parish Staff

Thursday, June 17

2 Corinthians 11:1-11 Psalm

111:1-4,7-8 Matthew 6:19-23

5:30 pm Pat Pierce+

Friday, June 18

2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30

Psalm 34:1-6 Matthew 6:19-23

5:30 pm Mildred Cregan +

Saturday, June 19

2 Corinthians 12:1-10 Psalm 34:7-

12 Matthew 6:24-34

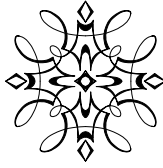
5:30 pm Int. of Cyril Davis

Sunday, June 20

Job 38:1-4,8-11 Psalm 107:23-31

2 Corinth. 5:14-17 Mark 4:35-41

10:00 am Father's Day Novena



The Friar's Nook

There has been a lot of upset this week, and rightly so, over the discovery of the death of children at a First Nations school. Since we don't know when or how they died, there is some confusion as to where to look for an answer. But we know there is plenty of wrong to go around. It certainly was wrong to take children from their families and to try driving their own culture out of them. It was wrong that any abuse should have been tolerated, not simply by the higher ups but by anyone working there. And it's wrong that people have denied its existence for so long and have tried to cover it up!

I cannot imagine the pain of children forcibly removed from their families because of their culture and who they were. I cannot imagine the complicity of the Church in running these schools, even if they were excellent in every other way, based on how they began. I cannot imagine people committed to the faith acting in ways that were so un-Christian. But I also know the ways of the world, and over the last two-thousand years the ways of the Church. The world will do whatever it will to make itself a better place as it's perceived by those in power. The Church should be about making a better world of justice and peace under the guidance and example of Christ.

This calls for faithfulness to Christ not simply by church leaders but by everyone who calls themselves Christian. So, from a principal at these schools down to a janitor everyone should have been looking out for the welfare of these children. And as we know that wasn't happening. How it could have gotten so wrong I do not know. But I do know that over the last two millennia the Church has made grave mistakes and as history unfolds, we hopefully learn from those mistakes of the past. We learn to not repeat them again and to be aware of the situations that led to them in the first place. We should not learn how to cover them up so that we look better. Remember Jesus constantly chastised the Pharisees and the scribes for trying to "look good" rather than "be good." We as Christians must always remember that it is about how we act and what we do that makes us holy, not how we look or appear to others. We must recognize our guilt communally and personally, then admit our faults and pay for our mistakes by doing penance and if we are to be forgiven.

We have a God who wants to forgive us but mostly wants us to do what is right! As I mentioned last week about the mindset of "defending the faith" people have felt they needed to defend the church against any and all wrongs. The best way to defend the church is to make sure that the church follows Christ and does what is right in the world. I remember my mother telling me that as a child some of the kids in her school said that their pastor was an alcoholic. My mother was shocked and thought they were sinners for saying this. But one day as she was walking down the street and saw him coming the other way staggering and incoherent, she started to think that they may be right. However, she thought she was wrong for thinking this! While we are not called to judge one another, that belongs to God, we are certainly called to live up to the expectations of God, caring for the poorest and the weakest in our society. Whenever we see this abused, by either the government, our society, or the Church, we must cry out.

Those who fail to learn from history are doomed to repeat it. These words are especially important in the lives of those in the Church. Anyone who has studied Church history is aware of some of the great mistakes that were made

In the past, under the guise of protecting the faith. If we don't learn from them, then we are just as guilty as the scribes and Pharisees of whom Jesus said "Your ancestors killed the prophets, but you build their tombs! Let us look at the past with contrition but especially at the present with compassion that we may not be complicit today for the things that will be revealed in the future.

Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Daniel Olmedo, Diana, Mary De Lac, Courtney Willis and Brendan Clough

The Deceased: Eugene Sziraky, Josefa Petkovsek and Fr. Bill Droback

Father's Day Novena

The Novena starts June 20, 2021. Due to the pandemic, we will not have cards this year. You can list your names on the outside of the envelope and enclose \$5.00 per name in the envelope and drop it off at the parish or mail it in.

New Parish App!

St. Joan of Arc is launching our own app for iPhone and Android smart phones. This will allow us to better communicate with you throughout the week and keep you updated with relevant parish news or updates. The app is very well designed and very intuitive. It is a great resource for parishioners by providing daily Mass readings, Catholic news and prayers, convenient prayer and Confession reminders, our bulletins and more. We hope for our new app to be a tool for fostering stronger parish life at St. Joan of Arc and better stewardship. You can either look for "MyParish" in your app store and select St. Joan of Arc Parish in the setup or scan the following code.



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Society of St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Weekend

We will be holding a Bundle Weekend on **July 17-18, 2021**. Finally, with the lockdown over we can go ahead, we have had to change the date twice. The truck will be in our parking lot to collect your gently used items, clothing and household items.

We don't accept: Appliances, baby or regular furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, construction material or video tapes. If you need more information you can go to: www.ssvptoronto.ca. Thank you for your continued support of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE

Sundays at 10:00 am-

The Sunday Liturgy is live streamed on the St. Joan of Arc Facebook page.

Wednesdays at 2:00 pm

Fr. Bob has a Bible Study hour on the St. Joan of Arc Facebook page.

Offertory Envelopes

2021 Offertory Envelopes are waiting to be collected from the parish. If you call the office on Tuesday or Thursday when Rosanne is in, she will gladly put your box out in the mailbox for you to collect.

Messages from the Office

When giving donations, please remember to make your cheques payable to St. Joan of Arc, not the charity. Mark the charity on the Memo line. We send one cheque to cover the total collected. Donations can be mailed in or dropped off at the parish in the mail box.

What is coming up?

Today We will have the collection for MaryGrove Camp.

June 20th We will start our Father's Day Novena.

June 20th We will have the 2nd ShareLife Collection.

July 17/18 SVDP Bundle Weekend



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