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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

Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 11:30 am
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Monday & Wednesday mornings 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
Chris McConnell
Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM

Ushers:
Eugene Sziraky

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. 221, 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

Sunday School
10:00 AM Mass

Weekly Sacramental Preparation
Development and Peace
www.dev.org

3rd Monday of the month 7:00 PM

Meditation Group
Mondays, 7:15 PM

Merry Makers
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



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Monday, March 10

Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18 Psalm 19

Matthew 25:31-46

5:30 pm Int. of Mary Casper

Tuesday, March 11

Isaiah 55:10-11 Psalm 34

Matthew 6:7-15

5:30 pm Maria Stella

Wednesday, March 12

Jonah 3:1-10 Psalm 51

Luke 11:29-32

5:30 pm Int. of a Parishioner

Thursday, March 13

Esther 14:1, 3-5, 12-14 Psalm 138

Matthew 7:7-12

5:30 pm Mark Horvatin +

Friday, March 14

Ezekiel 18:21-28 Psalm 130

Matthew 5:20-26

5:30 pm John Bellis+

Saturday, March 15

Deuteronomy 26:16-19 Psalm 119

Matthew 5:43-48

5:30 pm Elizabeth Leo +

Sunday, March 16

Genesis 12:1-4 Psalm 33 2

Timothy 1:8-10 Matthew 17:1-9

8:30 am Patricia O'Brien +

10:00 am The Parish Community

12:00 pm In Thanksgiving

7:00 pm Deceased Friars

Monthly Comparison for: February

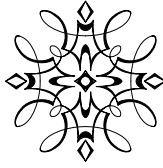
Offertory	2013	2014
Envelopes	\$ 13,867	\$ 13,333
Loose	\$ 4,942	\$ 4,626
PAG	\$ 7,573	\$ 6,564
Total	\$ 26,382	\$ 24,523

Monthly Comparison for: February

* Pre-Authorized Giving

Contributions for the Building

Maintenance Fund \$ 2,608.00



The Pastor's Corner

Peace and Goodness to All!

Thank you to the Confirmation Class and their teachers for the great Mardi Gras Pancake and Sausage Supper they produced last Tuesday. It was a great time for all, and good preparation for the Lenten Fast that began on Ash Wednesday. The building Committee met also on Tuesday evening to continue making progress in their various plans and work projects to keep our facilities, safe, secure and accessible. They also are working on discerning the right chairs for the choir area and banquet purposes for the hall. We owe a great deal of gratitude to these folks for their invaluable contributions to the life and work of the parish.

Ash Wednesday the students from Bishop Marocco Merton High School were here for a 10:00 AM Mass to receive their ashes and begin the Lenten journey. It is a great joy to see these 1000 young people gathered with us. Let us keep them in our prayers throughout the holy season. Our evening masses were well attended, and a collection was taken to support Winter Welcome Table.

As we begin our annual Lenten time of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, we remember that we walk with Jesus who was led by the Spirit into the desert to prepare him for his public ministry as he proclaimed the Kingdom of God. This would lead ultimately to his passion and death on the Cross for our Redemption, and the glorious Resurrection that we will celebrate at Easter. As we walk together in these 40 days we too are led by the Holy Spirit to grow in our awareness of God's love and providence in all things. The disciplines of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, work together to help us in our growth.

In our fasting we become conscious of our needs reminding us of our hunger for God, which we express in prayer. We pray that God will provide for us and we pray in gratitude as our prayers are answered. Almsgiving is united with prayer and fasting. As we deny ourselves we have more to give to others to help provide for their needs. In this we participate in the actions of God the provider so that the prayers of others are answered by our own charitable activity. The disciplines of lent are not an end in themselves they are a means to become more closely united with God and with other people. Jesus became one with us in his humanity, so that we might become one with God and one another through our lives made holy. Prayer, fasting and almsgiving are means to this end, to be Holy and God is Holy.

As we proceed through this Holy Time, may God bless us to realize more deeply his Love forgiveness, ever biding presence and provident care. May God's Grace help us, to help others come to know these gifts and to receive them through our actions as they are blessed through our sharing in the Journey with Jesus through His Cross and Resurrection.

*In the love and Joy of Christ Jesus,
Fr. Dan*

MARCH 9, 2014

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Mario Bartnik, Enzo Quatrini,

The Deceased: Lottie Gorski, Jessica Wilson, Cam Switzer and Rob Grogan

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

Catholics around the world have joined a global campaign called, "One Human Family, Food for All" which was launched by the Holy Father Pope Francis in December. We have answered this call. This Sunday after each Mass, D&P members will be handing out a booklet and a Lenten Family Sheet with more information. Fair Trade Sunday is next Sunday, March 16th.

REMINDER

When making cheques out to the parish, they should be made payable to St. Joan of Arc Parish; and on the memo line put Building Fund".

PRAYER: for the XVII General Chapter of the Atonement Friars

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the Atonement Friars. Give them the Spirit of fraternity, charity, and unity as they prepare for the General Chapter. Drive from them all doubt and fear, and instill in them faith, and courage that they may choose life, hope and joy. Renew in them the charism of the Atonement. Give them the grace of simple hearts, to place their trust in you. For you are one God, Father Son and Holy Spirit. In this unity Holy Trinity, is our strength. We ask this of you Holy Spirit, through the power of Christ the risen Lord, to the glory of Our Father, one God forever and ever. Amen

CWL BLOOD DONOR CLINIC

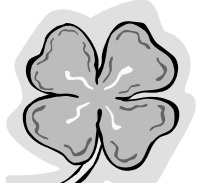
The Catholic Women's League is sponsoring a Blood Donor Clinic in the church hall on Wednesday, March 19th from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Toronto is currently experiencing shortages of blood. Toronto uses more blood than it collects. Donating blood is one of the best ways to help keep our health system strong. Your blood can literally help to save up to three lives. Please book your appointment by calling 1 888 2 DONATE(1-888-236-6283). You may also walk in without an appointment. Give thanks....give the gift of life.

ST. PAUL'S BASILICA (83 Power St, Toronto)

CENTRAL REGION St. Paul's Basilica Parish and Faith Connections invite you to an encounter with Christ in song and silence. Join us for meditative scripture-based prayer and music in the Taizé tradition. A social and light refreshments to follow. RSVPs appreciated. Call Sr. Nida Fe Chavez, CSJ at 416- 364-7588 or email stpaulsbasilica@on.aibn.com. March 9 – 3 p.m.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPE USERS

Please do not use 2013 or older envelopes, all numbers have been deleted, from the parish computer for boxes that were not collected. They are now being reissued to parishioners. New boxes may be obtained from the parish office. (Also, please do not tape your envelopes closed



THIS WEEK

Monday, March 10

7:00 pm Y2P

Tuesday, March 11

4:30 pm Religious Education

Wednesday, March 12

Staff

7:00 pm Steering Committee

7:00 pm SVDP

7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, March 13

7:00 pm CFS Marriage Course

7:00 pm CWL executive

Friday, March 14

Stations of the Cross led by D & P

Future Dates to Remember

Tuesday, March 18

Merrymakers Mass & Lunch

Wednesday, March 19

CWL Blood Donor Clinic

Sunday, March 30, 1:30 pm

L'Arche Spirit Movers- Liturgical Dance Troupe Presentation

Saturday, April 12,

10:00 am; Lenten Liturgical Retreat

Lenten Soup Night 6:30 pm mass

Moving?

Or have you moved? Don't forget to notify the parish office!



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