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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, May 3

1 Corinthians 15:1-8 Psalm 19:1-8 John 14:6-14

5:30 pm Int. of the General Council

Tuesday, May 4

Acts 14:19-28 Psalm 145:10-13, 21 John 14:27-31

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Wednesday, May 5

Acts 15:1-6 Psalm 122:1-5 John 15:1-8

5:30 pm The Deceased of our Parish

Thursday, May 6

2 Timothy 4:1-5 psalm 96 1-3, 7-8, 10 John 10:11-16

5:30 pm For the sick with Covid19

Friday, May 7

Acts 15:22-31 Psalm 57:7-11 John 15:12-17

5:30 pm Frederick Cornelius +

Saturday, May 8

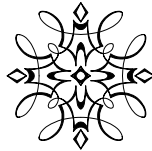
Acts 16:1=10 Psalm 100:1-3,5 John 15:18-21

5:30 pm Mary Davis +

Sunday, May 9

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 Psalm 98 1-4 John 15:9-17

10:00 am Victor Florian +



The Friar's Nook

It's May! Spring is in full bloom. If I couldn't tell by looking out the window and seeing the flowers and trees in bloom, I certainly would know by the congestion in my nose. But I'll take it for all the beauty that I get to enjoy. I hope that you are getting outside to enjoy the beauty of creation as well. It's important to step outside even if it's just outside your door to keep from getting cabin fever during this shutdown. To have nothing over your head but the sky and to give thanks to God for the new life that is sprouting around us and hopefully within us is enlivening.

A friend sent me a couple of paint-by-numbers for my birthday, that arrived a month late, and so I decided to begin one of them during this lockdown. As I struggle to paint between the tiny lines and to keep track of what colours go where, I can't help but feel that God is punishing me for an evil of my youth. Frequently at Christmas time, my sisters would get paint-by-numbers. And anyone who does paint-by-number knows that the paints for a particular piece are numbered for that particular piece. When I discovered this, and I was feeling not too happy with my sisters, I would switch their paint containers, so they would be painting their picture with the other's colours! Of course, it would come out very strange looking and they would be very disappointed with the result, but my brother and I got a great laugh out of it. I know it sounds really mean and as I dabble in paint-by-number I realize how mean it was. I'm sorry girls!

Judging from my skill you won't be seeing my artwork in the Louvre for anytime but perhaps on our refrigerator door. I tried to do my painting outside so that I can get some fresh air and sunshine, and God provides plenty of wildlife. I get to see and hear birds, lots of squirrels, and just this week a rabbit. although I've lived here for over two years I have yet to see a raccoon. I would almost believe that Father Dan and Father Ken were putting me on about seeing them except for the fact that I have seen the remnants of raccoons, so I know that they have been here. Given that it took me an entire year in Canada before I saw a Canada goose up here, I guess I'll just have to wait and be patient. They say "patience is a virtue" but I want patience now! I'd like to thank all those who reach out to me during this time. It's nice to know that I'm thought about and cared about. I had a Zoom dinner this past week with a couple of parishioners, and while we ate and drank different things from different locations the conversation went on well into the evening. Plus, I get messages of care and humour from many parishioners.

I am amazed to see the numbers of people who are watching and sharing my weekly Bible Study and our Sunday Mass. It seems like the numbers continue to go up from week to week. In fact, I got a wedding request from a couple living in Calgary who wish to get married here and saw one of our Masses on-line! I told the bride not to be afraid of my beard as hopefully by the time they get married it will be much shorter. She replied that it makes me look "distinguished", but she could have been saying that just so that I'd agree to do the wedding.

I hope that you are all staying well and enjoying what God gives us for now. *Let us continue to pray for health and life as new life springs up all around us.*

Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Gary Hartnett, Daniel Olmedo, Frank Grech, Eugene Sziraky, Diana, Brendan Clough. and John L Kelly

The Deceased: Eric Ficker and Eugene Sziraky

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 the setup or scan the following code in.



BUNDLE WEEK-END DELAYED!

Due to the lockdown during the Pandemic, Bundle Weekends have been cancelled until the summer. We had planned one for this week-end and due to the lockdown, we had to be moved to **July 10/11**. We hope you will save your gently use items until then! Thank you.

Holy Name of Mary College School,

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Message from the Office

When calling the office and you get a voicemail: Please leave your name and phone number so we can return your call. Someone called last week and wanted to reserve a place at mass, without a name or contact number we could not notify them that the church is locked down.

Bishop Allen Academy

Town Hall meeting Re: New School May 11 at 7 pm at teresa.lubinski@tcdsb.org You may send questions to the same address, that you would like addressed at this meeting.

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

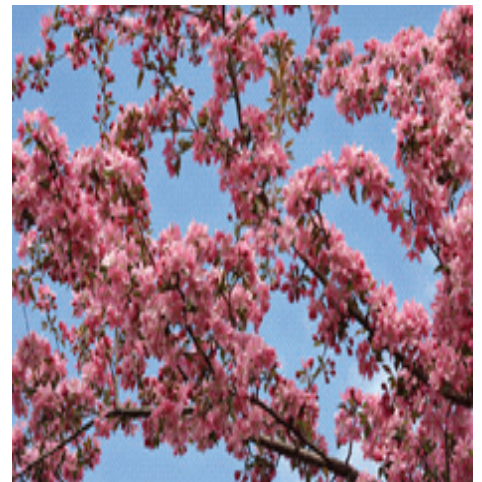
2021 Offertory Envelopes are waiting to be collected from the parish. If you call the office on Tuesday or Thursday when Rosanne is in, she will gladly put your box out in the mailbox for you to collect.

ShareLife agencies need your support during the pandemic.

Vita Centre is a ShareLife funded agency that provides support, education and counselling for pregnant and parenting women in Peel.

“We give heartfelt thanks to all the heroes who donate to ShareLife. Your support makes it possible for vulnerable parents to have the supports and resources that allow their children and themselves to thrive.”

– Tanya Pereira, Vita Centre Thank you. for supporting ShareLife!



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