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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

# CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM

# 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.

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

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Please call Fr. Dan Callahan,

## ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

ext. 226, for more information.

Catholic Women's League See CWL Bulletin Board for Details

Children's Liturgy 10:00 AM Mass 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 21**

James 3:13-18 Psalm 19 Mark 9:14-29 No Mass

#### Tuesday, May 22

James 4"1=10 Psalm 55
Mark 9:30-37
5:3-0 pm Leokadia Duplaga+

#### Wednesday, May 23

James 4:13-17 Psalm 49
Mark 9:38-40
5:30 pm Edward Bensosn +

#### Thursday, May 24

James 5:1-6, Psalm 49 Mark 9:41-50 5:30 pm Jesus Antonia Doldan+

#### Friday, May 25

James 5:9-12 Psalm 103 Mark 10:1-12 5:30 pm For Stan's Health

#### Saturday, May 26

James 5:13-20 Psalm 141
Mark 10:13-16
5:30 pm the Parish Community

#### Sunday May 27

Deut 4:32-34,39-40 Psalm 33 Romans 8:14-17 Matthew 28:16-20

8:30 am Fr. Mon

10:00 am The Parish Community

12:00 pm Jaroslav Fekete + 7:00 pm Emilie Oku +

Monthly Comparison for: April

Monthly Comparison for 71pm		
Offertory	2017	2018
Envelopes	\$ 14,348	\$11,536
Loose	\$ 5,334	\$4,735
PAG	\$ 6,609	\$6,771
Total	\$ 26,291	\$23,042

Contributions for the Building Maintenance Fund \$3,127.





# THE PASTOR'S CORNER Peace and Goodness to all!

Pentecost Sunday comes 50 days after Easter to celebrate this feast that remembers the miraculous descent upon the disciples of Jesus, with Mary the Mother of Jesus in their midst. It is often called the birthday of the Church as it is the feast that remembers the special day when the Holy Spirit came down upon the Apostles in wind and fire to empower them for the mission to evangelize the whole world for all time.

It is also the feast that celebrates the end of the Easter Season. Monday begins the long liturgical season of Ordinary Time. The Church is empowered to carry on the work of living and proclaiming the Gospel in the ordinary progression of days that are made extra-ordinary in the presence of Christ who is forever in our midst. Let us pray for our parish in this year that will lead to our 100th anniversary a year from this time.

This week I will be engaged in the General Council meetings and visitation at Chapel of Our Savior in Brockton, MA, in the archdiocese of Boston. In both of these sessions we will be discussing the General Chapter of the Atonement Friars that will also happen next year, and together we will pray for the descent of the Holy Spirit upon our efforts.

I ask you to pray for us also in the coming year with the prayer that has been composed by the friars for this coming occasion.

"Father we choose life moving forward in our Atonement journey, through the intercession of our founders, Fr. Paul and Mother Lurana, help us be open to your Spirit with joyful trust. Lord Jesus Christ through whom we have already received the Atonement, send forth your grace upon the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement, that we may continue to be ministers of reconciliation for the Church and the world.

Holy Spirit, pour your grace abundantly upon us at this time of preparation and during our General Chapter. We ask this humbly through Christ our Lord.

Please pray for us throughout the year and for our parish as we seek new life and renewal in this momentous time.

In the Love and Joy of Christ Jesus Our Risen Lord,

Fr Dan

### Prayer for the Friars

Father, as we choose life moving forward in our atonement journey, through the intercession of our founders, Fr. Paul and Mother Lurana, help us be open to your Spirit, with a joyful trust.

Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have already received the atonement, send forth your grace upon the Franciscan Friars for the Atonement that we may continue to be ministers of reconciliation for the Church and the world.

Holy Spirit pour your grace abundantly upon us at this time of preparation and during our general chapter. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

#### Please Pray for:

The Sick: Alisa Bolotta, Gustav Grech, Clair Altmeier

The Deceased: Fr. Mon, Agnes Nguyen, Maureen Shaughnessy,

James Persse

#### <u>Call for Conscience 2018 – An Invitation from Cardinal Collins</u>

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, recently issued a call to action in advance of the June 7 provincial election to promote palliative care, conscience rights and the protection of faith-based facilities. His Eminence has asked Catholics to visit canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario to send a letter directly to all candidates in their riding for the June 7 election. A pre-written letter is provided which people can amend as they choose. If you did not receive Cardinal Collins' emailed letter and you would like to receive them in the future, please visit bit.ly/archtosignup Thank you for advocating on these important issues!

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#### A 100th ANNIVERSARY PROJECT

The Parish will be preparing a photo book to commemorate our 100th year. All Parishioners and families are encouraged to make an appointment to be part of this tribute book to St. Joan of Arc Parish. Participants will receive a free 8 X 10 portrait and a free copy of the Parish book. Photo sessions will take place on May 22,23,24, 26, June 5, 12, 13, and 16. Appointments are made by accessing the link on our Parish website: <a href="www.joanofarc.ca">www.joanofarc.ca</a>.

#### ST JOAN OF ARC FEAST DAY CELEBRATION WEEKEND

Once again is fast approaching! This year, we will host TWO fun events: **The OPEN MIC/ POT LUCK DINNER** will be held on Saturday evening, June 2 from 6:00 to 10:30 There is no cost to the event. Just bring a favourite dish to share and BYOB We will provide the other refreshments. This is an open mic event - anyone who wants to perform anything is welcome! Be sure to get your tickets after all masses this weekend and the weekend of May 26/27

#### ST. JOAN OF ARC DAY

Will take place on Sunday, June 3 after the 10 and noon masses Bring a salad if your last name begins with M- Z. Bring a dessert if your last name begins with A-L. We will have hamburgers, sausages, drinks, games and fun! See your there1

#### **MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE**

WE **DO NOT MAIL** OUT ENVELOPES. PLEASE **COME TO THE OFFICE** AND REQUEST A BOX.

# THIS WEEK MONDAY MAY 21 CLOSED NO MASS

#### TUESDAY, MAY 22

7:30 pm Building & Maintenance

#### Wednesday, May 23

Staff

7:30 pm RCIA

#### Saturday, May 26

10:00 am Gardening committee new members always welcome. Come out and help beautify our parish gardens

#### **Future Dates to Remember**

#### Wednesday, May 30

7:30 pm Parish Council AGM

#### Saturday, June 2

6:30 pm Open Mic Pot Luck dinner

#### **Sunday June 3**

St. Joan of Arc Day

#### **WEDDING BANNS**

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