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SAINT JOAN OF ARC

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STEWARDSHIP

Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

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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: Tuesdays 7:00 PM

> Ushers: Eugene Sziraky

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. 221, 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 Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm Wednesday mornings closed.

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.

Sunday:

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 & Peace** www.devp.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



<u>Monday, May 27</u> Sirach 17:24-27, 29 Psalm 32 Mark 10:17-27 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

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<u>Tuesday, May 28</u> <u>Sirach 35:1-15</u> Psalm 50 Mark 10:28-31 5:30 pm Concordia Valera+

<u>Wednesday, May 29</u> Sirach 36:1-2, 5-6, 13-22 Psalm 79 Mark 10:32-45 5:30 pm The Parish Community

<u>Thursday, May 30</u> Sirach 4215-25 Psalm 33 Mark 10:46-52 5:30 pm John Harvey +

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 Zephaniah 3:14-18
 Is:12

 Luke1:39-56
 5:30 pm Ignacio Varges+

Saturday, June 1 Sirach 51:12-20 Psalm 19 Mark 117-33 5:30 pm Frank Urbancic+

<u>Sunday, June 2</u> Genesis 14:18-20 Psalm 110 1Corinthians 11:23-26 Luke 9:11-17 8:30 am Cathy Hicks + 10:00 am Frank Urbancic 12:00 pm Dieter Oest + 7:00 pm Parish Community

Monthly Comparison for: April

Offertory	2012	2013
Envelopes	\$15,028	\$15,922
Loose	\$5,314	\$4,960
PAG*	\$7,880	\$8,285
Total	\$28,222	\$29,167

* Pre-Authorized Giving Contributions for the Building Maintenance Fund were \$2,202



THE PASTOR'S CORNER Peace and Goodness to all!

Today the Church celebrates Blessed Trinity Sunday. The dynamic love relationship of Father Son and Holy Spirit, three persons in one God unites all of us in the Body of Jesus Christ, the head of the Church so we might know, love and serve God, Our Father in the power of the Holy Spirit. The intimate mystery of this dynamic relationship is the heart of our Faith which leads us to Love God and one another in Hope for the fulfilment of God's promise of eternal life and salvation through the Pascal Mystery we celebrate in Eucharist. Every Sunday we gather to remember this and to grow in the Faith, Hope and Love that bind us together as the Church. Our mission, to proclaim and live the Gospel through stewardship and to welcome all to become a part of this mystery participates in the Pascal Mystery of Christ which gathers us into the very life of the Blessed Trinity.

This week the ministries committee gathered to complete the interview process for a minister of religious education candidate who has been chosen to work with them and the Stewardship coordinators in leading our religious education programs. In the next weeks we hope to introduce the candidate to the parish, may God bless us in this discernment process!

The Building Committee met also on Tuesday to discuss the various projects that are now underway. We hope to have the Ladies Washroom renovated this summer, and to complete the Choir area expansion to accommodate the growing numbers in the choir. Thank you to all who participate in this committee and for your generous donations to the building fund that make these maintenance projects possible.

Wednesday was the final meeting of the RCIA scripture study group for this year. We will start up again in September. If you or someone you know is interested in adult baptism or becoming Catholic, please contact the parish office to sign up for the next sessions. The process of combining the Scripture study and RCIA worked very well this year so we will continue with the same program next year. All are welcome to attend and participate.

As the cottage season starts up some of you will be leaving for the summer, please know you are in our prayers and we look forward to your return.

Thank you to all of you who make St. Joan of Arc Parish a wonderful reflection of God's dynamic love. May the Blessed Trinity be forever the source of our life and worship!

> In the love and joy of Christ Jesus! Fr. Daw

Please pray for:

The Sick: Karen, Terri Daurio, Steven Harris, The Deceased: Michael Hamill , Nora Finnegan, Samantha Pratt

Young Adults May 27th

The Duke of York Pub, 39 Prince Arthur Ave, Toronto. Young adults (19-39) are invited join us for an evening of thought-provoking theological discussion in a comfortable and relaxed setting, with special guest: Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto. He will speak about the challenges he sees for the Canadian Church in the context of the New Evangelization and the Year of Faith. Young adults are encouraged to RSVP to reserve a spot; call Vanessa Nicholas-Schmidt at 416-467-2645 or visit www.faithconnections.ca — a ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto..

ST. JOAN OF ARC DAY

Mark your calendars for June 2nd, as we celebrate the feast of our patron Saint. The event will take place at the parish, following the 10:00AM and 12:00PM Mass. We will have games and activities for children of all ages, as well as, a BBQ (hamburgers and hot dogs). This is the parish's gift to you. If your last name begins with A--M, please bring a salad, and letters N—Z please bring a dessert, all nut free please Pans are available after every Mass this weekend. We look forward to seeing you there!

Third Sharelife Collection

"The reality is there are more people relying on Sharelife today than ever before! I firmly believe that we can continue to offer them a helping hand if we all participate. Please contribute as best you can to Sharelife this year. Your donation, regardless of the amount, will bring us closer to our goal. Thank you for the contribution you make in gift and deed to our church and to the community at large. My prayer is that the Lord will help us to share our "talents" with a generous spirit. Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.

CWL Blood Donor Clinic

The Catholic Women's League is sponsoring a Blood Donor Clinic in the church hall on Wednesday, Jun 12th from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. 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.

<u>Taize Prayer</u>

The Presentation Brothers are hosting a Taize Prayer Session at the Friary at 15 Laxton Ave. (Queen & Lansdowne) Wednesday, May 29, 2013 at 6:30 pm. Can you not watch and pray with me for one hour? Light refreshments will be served. As the friary has limited space, we ask that you contact Br. Denis at 416-537-0327 if you are attending



THIS WEEK

Tuesday, May 28

12:15 pm Merrymakers Mass and Lunch7:15 pm Ministry Committee

Wednesday, May 29

Staff 7:00 pm St. Joan of Arc Day Committee 7:30 pm Bible Study RCIA

Thursday, May 30 7:00 pm Marriage Prep

<u>Sunday, June 2</u> St. Joan of Arc Day Celebrations

Future Dates to Remember

<u>Tuesday, June 4</u> 7:00 pm Finance Committee

<u>Wednesday June5</u> 7:15 pm Youth Meeting

<u>Tuesday, June 11</u> 7:30 pm Parish Council AGM

<u>Wednesday, June 12</u> 4:00 pm CWL Blood Donor Clinic

Note:

The parish email is down. If you have a notice or want to check something with the office, please drop off a note or call during office hours.

SVDP Report For April, 2013

20 Home Calls Helped 42 People Food Vouchers given out \$1,320

Reminder

All bulletin notices must be submitted to the parish office by 4:00 pm Monday afternoon, to be included in the following Sunday's bulletin Liturgical Publications 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 (905) 624-4422



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