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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

PARISH STAFF

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Office Hours
Tuesday 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

CELEBRATION OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM

or by appointment.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Please call Fr. Dan Callahan, ext. 226, for more information.

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

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.

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

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

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

Sunday School (ages 3-6)

During 10:00 AM Mass



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Monday, October 24

*Ephesians 4:32; 5:8 Psalm 1
Luke 13: 10-17*

5:30 pm In Thanksgiving

Tuesday, October 25

*Ephesians 5:31-33 Psalm 128
Luke 13:18-21*

5:30 pm Int. of the Friars

Wednesday, October 26

*Ephesians 6:1-9 Psalm 145
Luke 13:22-30*

5:30 pm For the Parish Staff

Thursday, October 27

*Ephesians 6:10-20 Psalm 144
Luke 13: 31-35*

5:30 pm For Deceased Friars

Friday, October 28

*Ephesians 2:19-22 Psalm 19
Luke 6:12-19*

5:30 pm John Jarosz +

Saturday, October 29

*Philippians 1:18-267 Psalm 42
Luke 14:1, 7-11*

5:30 pm Paul Sladojeciv+

Sunday, October 30

8:30 am Joseph Hosick +

10:00 am Maria Caorillo+

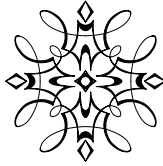
12:00 pm Neill Holloway +

7:00 pm The Parish Community

Monthly comparison for September

Offertory	2015	2016
Envelopes	\$ 13,339	\$ 13,953
Loose	\$ 5,166	\$ 44,123
PAG	\$ 6,444	\$ 6,483
Total	\$ 24,949	\$ 24,559

Building and Maintenance funds for
September \$3,132



The Pastor's Corner
Peace and Goodness to All!

This week, I have been at the Annual Archdiocese of Toronto Priest's Seminar held at Nottawasaga Inn in Alliston ON. The Theme this year is "Pastoral Care and Human Sexuality". There are so many great traditions and scriptural foundations to support Catholic Moral Teachings that support life as the foundational value given to us by Our Heavenly Father through Jesus Christ, His Son, born of the Virgin Mary. The difficulties presented in our culture that reduce sexuality to a commodity or two.

A recreational aspect of life that is disconnected to right relationship with God ourselves and one another is certainly evident in so many ways that are destructive of the Human Personality. St. John Paul II has written so many good things regarding the Theology of the Body that support marriage, sexuality and family life and promote purity of mind body and spirit in a way that is realistic and holy. He draws on Sacred Scripture, and the best theological traditions in the Catholic tradition to help us to see how God treasures men and women from the beginning of time and has made us to be integral stewards of our lives and yes all of creation. Thank you all for your prayers this week, it has been a great time to re-connect with so many of our good priests here in Toronto who gathered with the Cardinal and some of the auxiliary bishops to participate in this seminar.

The Merrymakers gathered for luncheon and fellowship on Tuesday. Unfortunately, because of these seminars there was no mass preceding the lunch, but it was a great gathering none the less and I want to thank Les Muniak and the many volunteers who served the lunch and made this event possible. Thank you also, to Rosanne for leading the grace and Rose Di Tommaso for her dedicated service to this very important ministry to the senior community.

The RCIA program will resume this coming week. If you or anyone you know is interested in inquiry about our Catholic Faith or is interested in becoming Catholic, we continue to receive new members throughout next month. Please call me or the parish office and we will get back to you. This Saturday morning, we held the Autumn Parish Clean up fix up and get ready for winter. I want to thank the members of the building committee and the gardening committee that sponsor this semi-annual event to help keep our grounds beautiful. The Building Committee has done so much this summer and fall in renovating some of the office spaces, installing air conditioning in the meeting and office area and now in getting the boilers and heating system ready for the winter. Thank you especially to Ivan Kastelic for his great work and dedication in these projects. In the coming week we will be meeting to install a new Chair for this committee. We thank Rene Bruneau for his four years of service in this capacity and now in the ordinary rotation schedule we will be choosing a new coordinator for this very important ministry.

It has been a practice of our major committees to have regular rotation schedules so that we can incorporate new members and also to let those who have served for several years to have a time off. The Ministries Committee and the Finance Committee are in the same process and so there will be some routine changes there coming in the near future.

I cannot say thank you enough to all who make this parish the living and vibrant place it is to reflect our mission: Living and Proclaiming the Gospel through Stewardship, All are welcome!

Thank you to all of you who step forward to serve our parish ministries in the generous and self giving ways that serve others,

In the Love and Joy of Christ Jesus,
Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Clara Stephanie, Maria Girsas, Mary Delac, Anne O'Neill, Inez Meleca

The Deceased: Joan Littlejohn, John Brkich

CWL Christmas Bazaar – Mark your calendars! The CWL Bazaar will take place on Sunday, November 13, 2016, in our Parish Hall. We welcome donations of new/ newer items, gently used household items (no clothes), trinkets, treasures, jewellery, toys, baked goods (preferably nut-free), jams, jellies, preserves, books (no textbooks, please), home-made knits, and crafts. Donations can be dropped off starting Nov. 6th in the parish hall. Further details will follow. Hope to see you there!

Message from D & P

D & P will be holding their Fair Trade Sale this morning after the masses. Development and Peace Caritas Canada is asking parishioners to go to their website and sign a petition asking our government to act for peace in Syria.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

The RCIA will not meet for the next two weeks, and will resume October 26, 2016.

Do you have a background in Theology? Would you be interested in helping with our RCIA? If so, please submit your resume to the parish office for Fr. Dan.

Religious Education

We are still accepting registrations for the Religious Education programme all classes. Please see Ana in the Religious Ed Office.

Also, if you are interested in volunteering for the Religious Ed programme, we still need teachers and volunteers, so we can rotate the roster.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Joan of Arc Conference

We have had a request for a couch from a client. If you are replacing a couch and the old one is still in good condition and willing to donate it, please leave a message on our line at the parish ext. 232

Are you interested and available to help your parish to Minister to the sick and the home-bound in your community?

This programme, offered over three Saturdays for 5 hours each, will prepare you to provide pastoral visits and/or bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are confined in their homes, nursing homes and hospitals due to illness or infirmity. You can help bring Catholic Social Teaching to life by responding to the needs of the sick and the home-bound in a way that is both affirming and encouraging. New and seasoned volunteers are welcome to attend. Please bring your own lunch. Saturdays, October 29, November 5 & 12, 2016 10:00a.m. –3:30 p.m. St. Peter's Church 830 Bathurst St.

This Week

Monday, October 24

6:30 pm CWL

Wednesday, October 26

Staff

4:30 pm Religious Ed

7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, October 27

7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep

Future Dates to Remember

Tuesday, November 1

7:30 pm Ministry Committee

Tuesday, November 8

7:30 pm Finance Committee

Sunday, November 13

9:30 am CWL Bazaar

November 19 -20

SVDP Bundle Weekend

St. Nicholas Day (after the 10am & 12 pm Masses)

The Knights of Columbus Council of

St. John XXIII are looking for good Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, to join their Council. As a Catholic Fraternity and Charity, membership in the Knights of Columbus offers the opportunity for volunteerism and networking, as well as insurance benefits for members and their families. For more information in joining us please contact Grand Knight Angelo Favretto at 647-391-4217 or angelo.favretto@sympatico.ca. An open house to candidates will be provided in autumn 2016 for those interested.



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