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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers Call the office

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10:00AM Choir Susan McElcheran Rehearsal: Thursday 7:30 PM

12:00 Noon Choir Chris McConnell Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM

> 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

Monday & Wednesday mornings 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, 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.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



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 27

Ephesians 4:32- 5:8 Psalm 1 Luke 13: 10-175:30 pm John Bellis +

Tuesday, October 28

Ephesians 2; 19-22 Psalm 19 Luke 6:12-19 5:30 PM Josephine Kahkonea +

Wednesday, October 29

Ephesians 6; 1-9 Psalm 145 Luke 13:22-30 5:30 pm Katarzyna & Franciszyk Lechowska-OBlak

Thursday, October 30

Ephesians 6:10-20 Psalm 144 Luke 13:31-35 5:30 pm pm Barbar Hrestak

Friday, October 31

Philippians 1:1-11 Psalm 111 Luke 141-6

5:30 pm Nevio Molimnari +

Saturday, November 1

Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 Psalm 24
1 John 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12
5:30 pm Filomena Mota +

Sunday, November 2

Lamentations 3:17-26 Psalm 103 Corin. 15:51-5 7 Matthew 11:25-30

8:30 am Jacques Behnan 10:00 am Mary Kelly + 12:00 pm All Souls Novena 7:00 pm The Parish Community

Monthly Comparison for: September Offertory 2013 2014 Envelopes 17.421 \\$ 13.571 Loose \$ 6,480 \\$ 4,418 \$ 7,152 \$ PAG 6,405 \$ 31.053 \\$ 24,394 Total

Note: Monthly comparison totals are based on five weeks of collection in 2013 and four weeks in 2014. Building & Maintenance funds for September were \$2,364.00.



The Pastor's Corner Peace and Goodness to All!

Earlier this week, I attended the annual Priest seminar at the Nottawasaga. Inn. The title of this was: "With Your Eyes Fixed on Jesus" Powerful Priesting in Times of Trouble." This was not only a time for renewal for the pastors and associates of our parishes, but it gave the Cardinal the opportunity to address important matters of the Archdiocese. This year, Rev. J. Ronald Knott a retired priest from the Archdiocese of Knoxville Tenn. returned to present the keynote address and facilitate the discussions. Of course one of the topics addressed by the Cardinal was "Together in Faith" and the Capital Fundraising effort that is being made throughout the Archdiocese. Our parish will participate in this next spring and we will be led through the process by the Archdiocese at that time. This annual gathering always gives the priests of the Archdiocese the opportunity to share our common experiences. Thank you for your prayers for us during this time.

The Merrymakers gathered on Tuesday to share a great luncheon prepared by Dominic and Marie Caprara. As always they provided everything from Soup to desert for close to 90 of our beloved seniors. Thank you to Dominic and Maria for your great service. Thank you also to the many volunteers who make this lovely time so special. Thank you also to Rosanne who fielded the telephone confirmations. We missed Rose DiTommaso who is currently recovering in the hospital and we ask you to please pray for her at this time. She was greatly missed in the luncheon and of course she is missed in many ways with all of her involvements with the parish. When I saw her in hospital she assured me that things were under control as she was telephoning instructions to all the people involved. God Bless you Rose, and May the Lord bring you healing and strength.

Cyndy O'Grady has been working with a generous parishioner who has donated the majority of the funds to improve the landscape of our parish property across the road from Loyola Aruppe in a way that will beautify the slope at the end of the parking lot, across the street from Loyola Arrupe center. The work on this will begin at the end of the month and will last for about three days. Please forgive any inconvenience this may cause for parking. Thank you to all who have been involved with this project especially the members of the building committee.

Next weekend, we will welcome Fr. Brian Terry SA, the minister general of the Atonement Friars, as he addresses our annual ministries retreat and town hall meeting. Please welcome Fr. Brian and the other visiting Friars who will be here to meet the parish and experience the life and ministry of the parish.

Thank you to all who support the Stewardship and ministry of St. Joan of Arc you make this parish the vibrant place of welcome to all that it is. God Bless you abundantly,

In the Love and Joy of Christ, Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Margaret Miller, Adrianna, Isabel Pino, Theresa and Dorothy

The Deceased: Thomas Leonard, Thomas Novak

RCIA /Bible Study (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

Do you or someone you know have questions about the Catholic Church? Are you they interested in becoming Catholic? If you would like to join the RCIA or RCIC in September, contact Fr. Dan over the summer.

Religious Education

Registration for classes is now closed.

All Souls Novena

All Souls Novenas are now available from the parish office. Please follow the instructions and put all names on **the outside** of the envelopes.

<u>CWL Christmas Bazaar (Nov. 9/14)</u> – Start gathering your household items!!! Next weekend (Nov. 1st and 2nd), the CWL will start collecting them for the Bazaar! Please bring your items to the Parish Hall after all the masses. Donations of new/newer items, gently used household items (no clothes), trinkets, treasures, jewellery, toys, books (no textbooks, please), home-made knits and crafts will be welcomed. (Donations will be accepted after November 2, 2014.) Thank you in advance for helping to make this Bazaar a successful one!

Message from the office

If you use Offertory envelopes and did not pick up a box for 2014, <u>please do not use 2013 or older envelopes</u>. All those numbers were deleted from your names, and re issued to other parishioners. We have caught a few, but can't guarantee we caught all of them. The office uses the numbers to record donations. You may be giving credit to someone else.

Friars' Student Writing Award 2015

"Jesus said to her: Give me a drink." Students should carefully read Scripture passage John 4:1-42, and then submit a 500 word essay that answers the question: If Jesus was able to reach out beyond his own Jewish community, and to a woman with a questionable reputation, what does that tell Catholics about the value of Christian Unity? See poster at the entrance of the church for more details.

Moving? Moved?

Don't forget to notify the office if you have moved or are moving in or out of the parish.

Envelope # 114 Filippi-Venturiani

*If this is your name and you are using this envelope: please come to the parish office and fill out a registration form. This is all the information the parish has for you.

*Also: Please do not use 2013 or older envelopes, all 2013 numbers have been deleted from the computer and we have no idea who is making these donations.

THIS WEEK

Monday, October 27

Municipal Elections

Tuesday, October 28

Religious Education 7:00 pm CWL

Wednesday, October 29

Staff Meeting 7:30 pm RCIA

Saturday, November 1

10:00 am Leadership Town Hall meeting

Future Dates to Remember

November 6-7-8

Bazaar set up

Sunday, November 9

9:30 am CWL Bazaar

Saturday, Nov 15

Fall Building & Garden Clean-Up Shepherd's Trust Collection

Friday, November 2`

Youth night

Birthright,

A pro-life crisis pregnancy service, needs your help. Volunteers, men and women, are needed to assist those facing an unplanned pregnancy, to provide support and comfort as well as practical solutions. Training is provided. Please help us to "love them both... mother and child." For more information call 416-469-1111 or email toronto@birthright.org.

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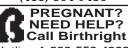
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