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CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

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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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. 221, for more information.

MARRIAGE

Please call Fr. Dan at least one year prior to the planned wedding date.

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

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

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, September 14

Numbers 21:4-9 Psalm 78

John 3:13-17

5:30 pm For Refugees

Tuesday, September 15

Hebrews 5:7-9 Psalm 31

Luke 2:33-35

5:30 Int. of Boch Family

Wednesday, September 16

1 Timothy 3:14-16 Psalm 111

Luke 7:31-35

5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Thursday, September 17

1 Timothy 4:12-16 Psalm 111

Luke 7:36-50

5:30 pm For our Parish Organizations

Friday, September 18

1 Timothy 6:2-12 Psalm 49

Luke 8:1-3

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Saturday, September 19

1 Timothy 6:13-15 Psalm 100

Luke 8:4-15

5:30 pm Carmela & Frank Camilleri

Sunday, September 20

Wisdom 2:12, 17-20 Psalm 54

James 3:16- 4:3 Mark 9:30-37

8:30 am The Parish Community

10:00 am Eileen & Joseph Reid+

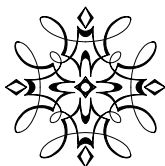
12:00 pm Karen Barrett +

7:00 pm Deceased Friars

Monthly comparison for August

Offertory	2014	2015
Envelopes	\$ 15,760	\$ 15,313
Loose	\$ 5,014	\$ 5,583
PAG	\$ 6,451	\$ 6,400
Total	\$ 27,225	\$ 27,296

Building and Maintenance funds for July were \$3,096.00



The Pastor's Corner

Labour Day weekend, has struck again! Back to school, back to work, back to the busy schedules discipline and routine responsibilities that structure the community. May God give us the strength, love and positive attitudes that we need to resume our duties with gratitude. In a real way this time is welcome, because it re-assembles the community. It brings us together again in the important purposes of our lives and relationships. I pray most of you had some time to relax during the summer months to be refreshed and renewed in the relationships of family and friends. I pray we will we gather again refreshed in our Community Worship with the choirs returning and our stewardship activities resuming, to the robust life of our parish. This time brings vitality and grace to so many who come here to Worship the Lord and discover ways to serve others. In short, Welcome back!

This month we are becoming fully engaged in the Family of Faith effort of the Archdiocese. Most of you have by now received mailings or perhaps telephone calls asking for contributions to this Capital Campaign. Many of you have attended evenings to explain the effort here at parish meetings, others have been directed to our parish website to see the Archbishop's presentation and the resources that are available there to explain this program. You have also perhaps seen the pledge card form that is available there to help you consider ways to pledge contributions over the next few years when the pledges will be collected. So far we have reached 54% of our goal from contributions given by 35 donors. We thank these folks deeply for their generosity and the head start they have brought to the effort. Throughout the month of September, we will have events that sponsor the Family of Faith as it coincides with our Annual Stewardship Weekend. Please be generous in your contributions to this important endeavor to grow the parish and the Archdiocese for the future of the Church in Toronto. Together we will reach or surpass our goal.

Every Sunday, we pray the Stewardship prayer that acknowledges the many gifts that God has given us to share, in time talent and resources. The Stewardship Weekend September 19-20 will once again provide opportunity for all to see the many ways you might participate in the life of the parish and offer your gifts, time and talent for the good of the parish and the people we welcome and serve here at St. Joan of Arc Parish. It is you who create the dynamic vitality of this community by your love and dedication to the Lord. May God multiply the work of our hands and hearts as we serve the Kingdom of God in our midst!

Our stated mission is "Living and Proclaiming the Gospel through Stewardship: All are welcome. It is the Lord who has graced us with the Holy Spirit to accomplish all we do. Thank you for accepting the sacrificial challenge that is before you in the Spirit of Christ Jesus. In the Atonement, His love poured out in death and resurrection, we are inspired us to the joyful service we are together called to realize. Thank you for your life and full participation in the parish.

In the joy and love of Jesus,

Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Mary Litzenberger, M aria Barcelos

Deceased: Patrick Wells, Barry Wever , Rita Dillon

ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND

Call for volunteers! All are welcome to join us in the hall after all masses to learn more about the many important ministries that help make our Parish so special! Refreshments will be provided. The gift of time is very precious and its rewards abundant, thanks often unspoken, its effects felt within our hearts, our families and parish community. Please consider a gift of time.

RCIA/BIBLE STUDY (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

Do you or do you know someone who has questions about the Catholic Church? Are you interested in becoming Catholic? If you are asking these questions, we invite you to join our RCIA/Bible Study group starting September 30th. Contact Fr. Dan or the parish office for more details.

Resources for New Health & Physical Education Curriculum –

www.iceont.ca As schools throughout the province prepare to implement the revised Health & Physical Education (HPE) curriculum, the Institute for Catholic Education, working on behalf of the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario, has prepared a number of resources for parents and those interested in learning more about the new curriculum and how it will be presented through the Catholic lens in our publicly funded Catholic schools. Visit www.iceont.ca to find out more about Family Life Education along with specialized parent guides discussing the HPE curriculum and its presentation for students at all grade levels.

Project Hope

In response to the global refugee crisis, Cardinal Thomas Collins has launched "Project Hope," a special emergency appeal. This 100-day campaign aims to raise \$3 million in order to settle 100 refugee families in the Archdiocese of Toronto as soon as possible. The effort will also require 100 volunteer committees to assist with settlement services. To make a donation to support the appeal, visit: www.archtoronto.org or call (416) 934-3411. You can also donate through our parish with a cheque made payable to St. Joan of Arc Parish – on memo line write PROJECT HOPE – REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP. We continue to pray for all those suffering, mindful of our call to welcome the stranger in our midst. Those interested in assisting with volunteer committees should contact the Office for Refugees at (647) 780-0827

Catholic Family Services of Toronto Walk-in Services

Our professional counselling staff is trained to offer Walk-In services to clients who have an urgent need to speak with a counsellor. The single-session consultation is aimed at helping clients identify and hone-in on plans that will provide them with help for their presenting concern. Clients who are interested in accessing services can: (1) choose to call one of our branches at 416-921-1163 (Central) or 416-222-0048 (North) and book a single-session appointment, OR (2) drop-in at our North Office on Thursdays between 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For additional information on the range of services we offer, please visit our website at: <http://www.cfstoronto.com>

This Week

Monday, September 14

7:00 pm D & P

7:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, September 15

12:15 pm Merrymakers Mass & Lunch

Wednesday, September 16

Staff

Parish office will be closed all day.

Thursday, September 17

6:00 pm Baptism Prep

7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep

Saturday, September 18

Stewardship set up

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

D & P will be holding their Fair Trade sale of coffee, tea and Olive oil on Stewardship Sunday, September 20 after all the Sunday masses

HYMNALS

If you have borrowed a hymnal from the church, we ask that you RETURN IT! We have over 30 books missing from the pews and we would appreciate the loaners being returned.

The Family of Faith Campaign is

gaining momentum at St Joan of Arc Parish. Through the efforts of a wonderful group of volunteers, we have reached 55 % of our parish goal! Parish Goal \$505,000
Parish Share \$126,250
Current Total \$277,230
Family of Faith Campaign is having an informational table at the parish hall for this week Please visit us at the Parish hall after 5:30 pm, 8:30am, 10:00 am and 12:00 pm masses for more details.

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