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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

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

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Pastoral Council Chair

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
Chris McConnell
Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM

Ushers:
Eugene Sziraky

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.

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.dev.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, September 15

Hebrews 5:7-9 Psalm 31

Luke 2:33-35

5:30 pm Kristina & Her Son

Tuesday, September 16

1 Corinthians 12; 12-14, 27-31

Psalm 100 Luke 7:11-17

5:30 pm Int. of Kristina & her son

Wednesday, September 17

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

Psalm 33 Luke 7:31-35

5:30 pm

Thursday, September 18

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Psalm 118 Luke 7

5:30 pm

Friday, September 19

1 Corinthians 16:12-20 Psalm 17

Luke 8:1-3

5:30 pm

Saturday, September 20

1 Corinthians 15:35-37,42-50

Psalm 56 Luke 8:4-15

5:30 pm Eileen Reid+

Sunday, September 21

Isaiah 55:6-9 Psalm 145

Philip. 1:20-24, 27 Matthew 20:1-16

8:30 am Int. of the Friars

10:00 am Albert Bailey +

12:00 pm The Parish Community

7:00 pm

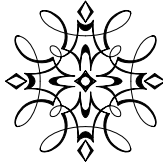
Monthly Comparison for: August

Offertory	2013	2014
Envelopes	\$12,080	\$15,760
Loose	\$ 4,138	\$ 5,014
*PAG	\$ 7,020	\$ 6,451
Total	\$23,238	\$27,225

*Pre-Authorized Giving

Note: Monthly comparison totals are based on four weeks of collections in Aug/2013 compared to five weeks in Aug/2014.

Contributions for the Building Maintenance Fund for August were \$2,462



The Pastor's Corner
Peace and Goodness to All!

Last week the picture of one of our young people appeared favorably in the Toronto Star. Marta Skreta, a long time altar server at St. Joan of Arc parish, and a leader in our youth group has been awarded a Schulich Leader Scholarship! She will be attending McMaster's university this year. Marta graduated at the top of her class at Bishop Allen Academy last semester and began her University studies this month. We are very proud of Marta who also has demonstrated leadership not only in our parish but as a Christian witness and role model volunteering in a Guatemala last summer. We thank and congratulate Marta and assure her of our continued prayerful support in her continuing endeavors.

Our ministerial groups and committees have begun their regular meetings again this week. On Tuesday the Finance Committee met to discuss its plans and work schedule for the season. Topics included its participation in the upcoming Stewardship Weekend, and ways to encourage new membership. If you are interested in participating on this committee please send a resume to me for the committee's consideration. The finance committee assists me in the financial administration of the parish and its organizations. The weekly staff meetings also began again this week to coordinate the many parish activities and events that are on the horizon. We are blessed to have such a dedicated staff and we thank you for your prayerful support in our work.

I want to thank Rose DiTommaso for covering the office while Rosanne is away on holidays, Rose is a great help always ready to pitch in. Many of you know her as a greeter and she is always recruiting new people for this important ministry for the parish. Next week Rose will also be a key person in organizing the Merry Maker's Mass and Luncheon to be held on Tuesday.

Next Thursday the Bishop Marrocco Merton High School students and faculty will be here for the opening Mass to ask God's blessing and assistance for them as they begin the school year. We are blessed to have them in our parish and always are grateful for their participation. Last year this school also contributed to our Share Life campaign which assists so many persons in need throughout the Archdiocese. May the Holy Spirit fill them with wisdom, knowledge and all of the gifts that proceed from the grace of God in Christ Jesus.

Vivian Kwok has been recruiting and training new teachers for our religious education programs and for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Children, all of which will begin this month. Please see the bulletin for the times and details for the programs we offer. We are also beginning the Adult Scripture and religious education programs on the 24th of September which will coincide with the Rite of Christian Initiation for adults, the RCIA program. If you are interested in attending this please sign up on that Wednesday evening in the parish hall. Individuals who would like to inquire about becoming Catholic, through adult baptism or participating in full Communion with the Catholic Church are invited to this program. If you are interested, please call the office or my extension and I will get back to you.

As we begin our full activities this season, we ask the blessing of Our Gracious Lord in all that we are and do. May God give us his Holy Spirit to help us to live and proclaim the Gospel through our Stewardship that we may welcome all to come to know and serve the Lord.

In the love and joy of Christ Jesus,

Fr. Dan

Please Pray for:

The Sick: David, Kathleen Whelan, Frank Fitzgerald, Richard Crabtree, Edyn Drever and Babcia.

The Deceased: Mary Casper, Bozena Wojciehowska and Zdzislaw Wojciehowska, Shawn Wright, Don Wright and Lilia Tejada.

Annual Stewardship Weekend: Sept 20 – 21, 2014

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 /RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults/Children)

Do you or someone you know have questions about the Catholic Church? Are you or they interested in becoming Catholic? If you would like to join the RCIA or RCIC in September, please contact Fr. Dan or Parish Office for RCIA and Vivian for RCIC at Religious Education Office. First gathering will be on September 24th at 7:30 p.m.

Religious Education Registration

1) Registration is open for children who would like to enroll in our Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation Programs which will start this month. Registration forms can be picked up in the wall slots outside the religious education office and dropped off at the parish office. For further information, please contact Vivian at the Religious Education Office.

Come and See Weekend - October 3 to 5, 2014

The Franciscan Friars of the Atonement are hosting a weekend retreat for Catholic men between the ages of 18 and 40, from Friday through Sunday, October 3-5, 2014, at their motherhouse, Graymoor, Garrison New York. If you are exploring a call to Franciscan religious life and service to other as a priest or brother, please contact: vocation Director. P.O. Box 301, Graymoor, Garrison, New York 10524-0301

7th Annual MIX & MINGLE

Sunday, September 21, 2014 — 4 p.m. – 8 p.m.

15 Laxton Ave, Toronto Faith Connections and the Religious communities of Toronto invite young adults (18-39, student, working professional, single, married, young parent) to Sunday Mass followed by our house party and barbecue!. RSVP required by Sept. 12, call Vanessa Nicholas-Schmidt at 416-467-2645 or visit www.faithconnections.ca — a ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto.

Dresser Required

A neighbour in need has requested a dresser. If you can provide one, please contact the church office.

Looking for New Members

The choir for the 10:00 a.m. mass is looking for new members. If you are interested, please come and talk to us after mass. We especially need men singers and someone to accompany us on the piano.

THIS WEEK

Monday, September 15

7:00 pm D & P

Wednesday, September 17

Staff Meeting

Thursday, September 18

6:00 pm Baptism Preparation Class
7:00 pm Marriage Preparation Course

Saturday/Sunday Sept 20 & 21

Stewardship weekend

Future Dates to Remember

Monday, September 22

Youth Meeting

Tuesday, September 23

7:30 pm Ministry Committee Meeting

Thursday/Sunday, September 25 & 28

Religious Ed Teachers gathering
watch bulletin for more details.

Sunday, October, 5

Animal Blessing Day



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