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## Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

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Mr. Larry O'Grady

Pastoral Council Chair

### CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon,

7:00 PM

Mass at Loyola Arrupe

1st Fridays at 10:30 AM

with Anointing of the Sick

### 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.

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.

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers

Call the office

Eucharistic Ministers

Lordi Borges

Lectors:

Maryanne Chard

10:00AM Choir

Susan McElcheran

Rehearsal: Thursday 7:00 PM

12:00 Noon Choir

Chris McConnell

Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM

Ushers:

Ellen Hlebik

### 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 call Ms. Sheila Malloch, ext. 222, for more information.

### MARRIAGE

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

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League

4th Monday, 7:00 PM

Children's Liturgy

10:00 AM Mass

Development & Peace

[www.dev.org](http://www.dev.org)

3rd Thursday of the month 7:00 PM

Meditation Group

Mondays, 7:15 PM

Merry Makers

3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM

Parish Council

2nd Monday, 7:30 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Society

1st Thursday, 7:30 PM

Sunday School (ages 3-6)

During 10:00 AM Mass

To contact a coordinator by e-mail,  
type the name of the ministry,  
organization or activity followed by  
[@joanofarc.ca](mailto:@joanofarc.ca)



MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, September 27**

*Job 1.6-22, Psalm 17,  
Luke 9.46-50*

5:30 pm The Sick of our Parish

**Tuesday, September 28**

*Job 3.1-3, 11-17, 20-23, Psalm 88,  
Luke 9.51-56*

5:30 pm Rita Norton (Birthday)

**Wednesday, September 29**

*Revelation 12.7-12, Psalm 138,  
John 1.47-51*

5:30 pm Valerie Dziad +

**Thursday, September 30**

*Job 19.21-27, Psalm 27,  
Luke 10.1-12*

5:30 pm Migual T. Zargoza +

**Friday, October 1**

*Job 38.12-21; 40.3-5, Psalm 139,  
Luke 10.13-16*

10:30 am First Friday Mass at Loyola

5:30 pm Marjory Hosick +

**Saturday, October 2**

*Exodus 23.20-23, Psalm 91,  
Matthew 18.1-5, 10*

5:30 pm For Our RCIA Members

**Sunday, October 3**

*Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4, Psalm 95,  
2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14,  
Luke 17.5-10*

8:30 am Mary Armstrong +

10:00 am For the Friars of the Atonement

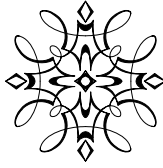
12:00 noon Children in R. E. Programme

7:00 pm The Parish Community

Monthly Comparison for August

Offertory	2009	2010
Envelopes	\$14,201	\$16,636
Loose	\$5,485	\$5,738
PAG*	\$6,434	\$8,435
Total	\$26,120	\$30,809

\* Pre-Authorized Giving



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to all!

Our Stewardship Weekend was a grand success, Thank you all who participated in this event, and who have engaged in the ministerial life of the parish. 107 individuals signed up for various ministry positions that will add to the people who are in place. Thank you all. We are continuing to receive inquiries from folks who were not able to attend so if you would like to enroll in the Stewardship activities available to you, please don't hesitate to come forward and sign up in the office at your convenience. We are still organizing the new enrollees so that we can communicate with you in the next couple of weeks. If something happens that no one telephones or e-mails you regarding this, please let us know at the office three weeks from now so we can get back to you.

A great big Thank you to Rose DiTommaso and her excellent team for the great work they did and are doing in the organization of this effort. Thank you also to Cathi Richardson for the great work she is doing to make sure the follow up is carried out in a timely and effective manner. May God Bless our parish Stewards with love and grace in abundance as we continue the ministry of the Church to realize the Kingdom of God in our midst.

The Merry Makers gathered this Tuesday for the first Mass and Luncheon of the season. It was a great success. Our Seniors shared a wonderful home cooked meal prepared by Cataldo Caprara as head chef, and the whole Caprara family, Dominic, Maria and Josie as his sous chefs. The many volunteers who decorated the hall, served the great lunch, and provided hospitality made our Merry Makers feel right at home, and glad to be back to share the good fellowship that makes St. Joan of Arc so special. Thank you all for a job so well done and a ministry so deeply appreciated by many.

Our Religious Education programs have got off to a great start Tuesday. Sheila Malloch welcomed the families to the orientation session. The programs will be closing to acceptance of new students very soon, so if you haven't enrolled your children yet, you need to get on it this week or it will be too late. Thank you to all of the families who participate in this important program. A special word of thanks to Sheila, and to the many teachers and volunteers who make these programs so enriching for the lives of our families.

The Finance committee met on Tuesday evening. We are working on completing the building processes, and closing the books on the completed phases of the building projects. There is still one major piece to do, with the sanctuary lighting which will wait until the funds from the Capital Campaign are available so that we will not need to enter a line of credit for the completion. The great work of the finance committee has helped us to keep our costs within the limits of our budgets so that we can continue to grow our ministry well. May God Bless the work of their hearts and hands.

The RCIA Program met for the first time on Wednesday. We have two baptism candidates and four candidates for reception into full communion with the Church. I was delightful to meet these new candidates. We are still accepting individuals into the program so if you know of any adults who desire to be baptized or received into the Catholic Church, please encourage them to contact me in the office.

The pastoral team is now working on a plan to grow our ministries through a process of retreat days. We will work to invite someone to work with us in team formation as we serve the parish. We have begun to plan the best ways to enhance the spirituality and life of our parish with a coordinated series of retreat days. The first step will be to gather the coordinators of our various ministries for a day of prayer and planning to work together. Later we will have retreat days for our ministries individually to enhance the spirituality of our ministers for the service we are called to give. Please pray for the success of our efforts.

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May Jesus the Good Shepherd be our guide. It has been a busy, but fruitful week so far, thank you for your prayers and participation in the life of our parish.

May God Bless you richly in Love and Grace.  
*Fr. Dan*

**Please Pray for:**

**Sick:** Daniel Savidant, Harry Wortenyc, Frank Urbancic  
**Deceased:** Aldo Cicero, Ruby Gallagher, John Robertson

**Feast of St. Francis**

Next Sunday, we will have the blessing of animals in the parking lot in honour of St. Francis. You are invited to bring your pets to the parking lot and Fr. Dan will bless them. Also, at the 10:00 am mass, children are invited to bring their stuffed animals to church, for a blessing.

**Religious Education**

All children should **now** be registered in the programme. Classes have begun. First Eucharist and Confirmation preparation are two year programmes. If you have not registered your child yet, contact Sheila (ext 222) in the Religious Education office, ASAP.

**Wills & Estate Planning**

Paul Nazareth, Manager of Planned Giving and Personal Gifts from the Archdiocese Development Office is joining us at all masses this weekend. Paul serves parishioners at all our Churches as a free confidential estate and gift planner and will provide information on the tax benefits from your current parish giving, how to make a Will and questions about Estate Planning. A FREE estate planning kit will be given out after mass to those who are interested. If you have questions about Wills, estates or your gifts to the Church, please call Paul any time at 416.934.3400 ext. 561 or visit [www.archtoronto.org/development](http://www.archtoronto.org/development). This is NOT a request for more funds, it is a service to answer questions about the gifts we already give the Church in life and through our estate. All calls are strictly confidential.

**Message from the Archdiocese**

Remember, our next municipal election will be held on Monday, October 25, 2010. To find out if you are a (Catholic) separate school supporter, contact your school board and ask for the Admissions or Assessment Office. Contact information for all boards, in addition to other election resources, is available online at: [www.archtoronto.org/trustees](http://www.archtoronto.org/trustees)

**Knights of Columbus**

The Knights of Columbus invites the parish community to join them for Mass and First Friday Devotions on Friday October 1, 5:30 Mass will be followed by Rosary and Benediction, in thanksgiving for the Holy Father's triumphant mission to Britain last week.



**THIS WEEK**

**Monday, September 27**

7:15 pm Meditation Group  
7:30 pm CWL

**Tuesday, September 28**

Religious Education

**Wednesday, September 29**

Staff Meeting

**Thursday, September 30**

7:00 pm Marriage Prep

**Help Wanted**

Liturgical Publications, the company that prints our parish bulletin is looking for a delivery driver and shipper 3 days per week. Fax resume to 905-624-2394.

**Good Marriages**

Just don't happen! They are like beautiful gardens that receive loving attention and nurturing. Schedule a marriage enrichment weekend at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre and treat yourselves to a second honeymoon. The Centre offers comfort, excellent cuisine and an inspiring program. The next weekend is Oct. 1-3. For info call 416-694-1742, 905-278-8879, or register at Queen of Apostles: 905-278-5229

**The Knights Of Columbus**

Will sponsor this year the annual Solemn High Mass *Usus Antiquior* in honour of Our Lady of the Rosary, to commemorate once again the Christian victory at the Battle of Lepanto in 1571, Date/Time: Saturday October 9 at 11:30 AM. Place: Holy Family Church, 1372 King St. W. Fr. Tim Lynch will be the guest preacher. A reception will follow.

**Winners from Gardening Committee Draw**

Congratulations to:  
1<sup>st</sup> Prize Rose Di Tommaso  
2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Maria Brum



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