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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

Eucharistic Ministers
Catrina Bova

Lectors:
Genia Vanderkruk
10:00AM Choir
Susan McElcheran
Rehearsal: Thursday 7:30 PM
12:00 Noon Choir

Greeters/Ushers: Call the office

CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

10:00 AM

12:00 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 1003, for
more information.

MARRIAGE

Please call Fr. Bob or Fr. Alex at least one
year prior to the planned wedding date.

Pastoral Visitation of the Sick:

To arrange for a visit
Call the office Ext 1007

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday
9:00am to 3:00pm
Wednesdays - Closed

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League
4th Monday of the Month

Children's Liturgy
10:00 AM Mass

Creation Care Ministry
2nd Tuesday of each month 7pm.

Development and Peace
www.dev.org
3rd Monday of the month 7:00 PM

Merrymakers
3rd Thursday of the month 12:00 PM

Knights of Columbus
1st Thursday of the Month

Parish Council
Every two months

St. Vincent de Paul Society
2nd Saturday of the Month 1:00 PM



MASS
INTENTIONS

Monday, June 23

5:30pm Father's Day Novena

Tuesday, June 24

5:30pm In Thanksgiving

Wednesday, June 25

5:30pm Int. of Fr. Anish Alex

Thursday, June 26

5:30pm Blessings for the Family

Friday, June 27

5:30pm Int. of the Sons & Their
Families

Saturday, June 28

5:30pm Roberto Gomez Moure †

Sunday, June 29

10am Int. of Fr. Sylwester

12pm Marianna & Stanislaw
Lewandowski

SANCTUARY LAMP

(June 22-29)

This week's Sanctuary Lamp
burns for Fr. Bob and Fr. Alex

WE PRAY FOR:

The Sick

Maryann Chard
Mary Kelly
Mark Szuba, Anne Szuba
Erica Lovely,
Joe Biden,
Ted Daniel

The Deceased

Maria Conceição Vicente
Vivian Castellanos,
Andrea Wally



The Friar's Nook

This is a difficult Friars Nook for me to write as it's my last. It took me more than 60 years to finally become a pastor, and I got to enjoy that privilege here at Joan of Arc. Of course, God has a funny sense of humor and tossed Covid our way right after I became pastor, challenging all of us, but me in particular, as to how to run a parish when the church is closed! But together we managed to pull through the pandemic, and I believe we have come out of the other side of it stronger and continuing to grow as a parish.

I've had the good fortune to work with committed, loving, and holy people in the parish. I've tried to continue the ministry of "All are welcome" here at Saint Joan of Arc and I have been able to welcome many people from all walks of life. I foolishly remember that when I first came here from the Washington DC area that I would be getting away from all the politics. Only to find that the politics here were the same only the names were changed! That being said, I never thought I'd be going back to that same political situation that I left. But there it is. I'm hoping that God has a reason for me to go and reveals it to me in my ministry.

It certainly is sad for me to leave the parish when I see it beginning to flourish and I would love to see its continued growth. But I trust you to do just that. I pray that you may continue to show the love, friendship, and spirit to each other and to all who come here. When you're working at a job like this., you don't think about it day-to-day as to what it would be like when you have to leave. But now the day is drawing close. It confronts me more and more. I am filled with pleasant and challenging memories of my time here. I never focus on the lows, but I do rejoice in the highs that we have experienced and that we've experienced together. I hope that you remember those same good things and treasure them in your heart as I do.

If I was an automaton, it would be easy to just move from one place to another. But my heart has been with the people of this parish, and it still is. I have chosen to love the people who have been entrusted to me for pastoral care. And so, leaving them causes some pain. Like a father with his children, I worry about your future, and I hope that it's filled with joy, growth, and blessings!

Corpus Christi Sunday

As I learned from my mother, I would rather lead with my heart and risk the pain than be closed off and feel nothing. It will still anger me if you are not treated well. But I hope that I have left you strong enough to stand up for yourself and your parish.

As I return to my hometown, my family is very excited that I'll be around them and I'm trying to make myself more excited to leave here and to be there. But for a while it will be just going through the motions. I love doing ministry and pray that God's fire of love may continue to burn bright in me in whatever I'm called to do. As I leave my heart with you may it be a source of comfort and strength to you always!

You will always be in my thoughts and prayers, and I hope that I am in yours,

Fr. Bob



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Parish Office Volunteer Needed

We're looking for a friendly, reliable volunteer to help in the parish office 4 hours per week. If you are:

- comfortable with computers and phones
- organized and able to work independently

Join our welcoming and supportive team!

Please, contact Joanna:
joanna@joanofarc.ca or 416-762-1026, ext. 1005

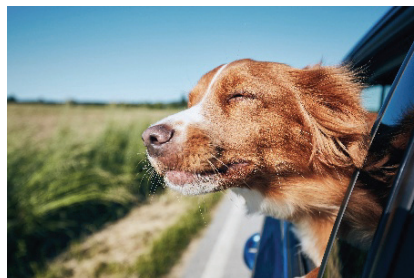
Training provided—thank you for considering this way to serve!

Corpus Christi Reflections

As we celebrate Corpus Christi, we honor the mystery of Christ's presence in the Eucharist—and in one another. It is a feast of unity, nourishment, and shared mission. This week, we also mark a heartfelt farewell to Fr. Bob and Fr. Alex, whose ministry among us has been deeply Eucharistic—marked by service, compassion, and presence.

Like the Eucharist, this farewell is both a gift and a sending forth. We give thanks for the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement lasting impact, and we carry their legacy forward as a parish rooted in faith, peace, and community.

May we remain one body in Christ as we enter this new chapter together.



Your Gifts to God (\$)

...for June 14/15	
Expenses	\$7,288
Envelopes	\$1,149
Loose	\$280
PAG (wk)	\$1,425
Online	n/a
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**Received	\$2,854
Short	\$4,434
Marygrove	\$42

** We require \$7288 a week (\$31,500 a month) to cover our basic parish expenses.

Your generosity helps us to make our community alive through various liturgies and many outreach initiatives. **Thank you** for your support.

MONTH OF JUNE AT A GLANCE

June 23 – CWL General Meeting
(6pm – 8:30pm)

June 25 – Fr. Anish Alex arrives



Wishing you sunshine, safe travels, and lots of joy this summer! May you find time to rest, recharge, and maybe even read that book you've been meaning to start since Lent.

God with you—wherever summer takes you!

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