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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

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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

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. 222, for
more information.

MARRIAGE

Please call Fr. Bob 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

Tuesday and Thursday
9:30 am to 11:30 am

Monday to Thursday afternoons
1:00 pm to 4:00pm

Monday & Wednesday Morning Closed

Friday closed

Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:00 pm
6:30 to 8:30 pm

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League
See CWL Bulletin Board for Details

Children's Liturgy
10:00 AM Mass

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

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

Merrymakers
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

As instructed by the Ministry of Health and the Cardinal's office Public Masses are cancelled.

If a mass has been booked in advance, that intention will be remember.

Fr. Bob and Fr. Ken are privately offering daily mass for us.

Prayer for Our Doctors

Jesus, Master Physician of all times,
Your Divinity did not require a Ph.D.
Eagerly, You resurrected the dead,
Restoring the health of the sick. Be it
physical or spiritual torment, None,
were a great obstacle to You: For
Your loving power is omnipotent. I
ask for Your abounding healing love;
Maintain my body and soul vigorous
So I may fulfill my daily functions.
The world will be conquered by You,
All, afflictions will be dissipated!

Prayer

O God who are the only source of
health and healing, the Spirit of calm
and the central peace of this universe,
grant to me such a consciousness of
Your indwelling and surrounding
presence that I may permit You to
give me health and strength and
peace, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



FRIAR'S NOOK

Peace and all goodness to you all. I hope that you are keeping well. These are strange times but be assured that Fr. Ken and I am praying for you. The way things are going it looks like we will not be having Holy Week services. As for Palm Sunday, I will bless the palms and set them out in the church during Holy Week.

Remember social distancing!

I have tried not to take this personally, but I finally become pastor and the Church closes-down! I miss seeing and talking to you and hope that cabin fever is not getting to you. Pray for those afflicted and for a speedy end to this crisis.

I have suspended writing my column on the Mass till we get back open as some people don't have access to it. I was hoping to be done by Easter but now maybe Pentecost. Fortunately, we don't have any upcoming weddings and as to the other sacraments, first communion, confirmation, we will have to adjust as we get more information.

I have turned the heat way down to save money because without the Sunday collection we don't have much to go on. This would be an ideal opportunity to sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG). That insures us a steady income to pay our bills. I realize that some of you may be out of work during this time so don't worry about financial support but please remember us in your prayers.

If you read this and know of others who don't please share it with them. I'll be writing with more information as I get it.

Peace always, Fr. Bob

Just heard from the Cardinal that all churches and offices are to remain closed until further notice so this will be my last installment. I will post inf on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/JoanOfArcToronto> and on the website.

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Brent Groh, Danny and Regina Bergin

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For Your Information

The Archdiocese has put source of information up on their website in response to the pandemic: www.archtoronto.org/covid19

One Directive given to Parishes

Funeral Services

As we adapt to the ways in which we minister to the faithful during this coronavirus pandemic, Fr. Camilleri, Chancellor of Spiritual Affairs has given the following instructions as instructed by Cardinal Collins to all parishes. Prior to the Rite of Committal at the cemetery, there may be a brief religious service, but not the Mass, in a church or funeral home, following the required prescriptions of the health authorities regarding the number of people who may be present, as well as the need for social distancing.

Let us all pray for an end to this pandemic and for each

other. 1) I received an email this week asking me to say one Hail Mary and ask others to do the same. The aim is to reach 1 million Hail Marys to bring an end to this pandemic.

2) I received a second request, asking for me to say one Our Father and ask others to do the same. The aim for this one is also to reach one million Our Fathers to bring an end to this pandemic. A few prayers won't hurt. Let's try it! Rosanne

.DAILY MASS TELEVISED

VISION TV 8:00 AM & 12 PM;
JOY TV 10:30 AND 4:30 PM;
HOPE TV 2:30 PM; YES TV
1:00 PM; SALT AND LIGHT
11:00 AM & 3:00PM

SUNDAY MASS: TELEVISED

VISION TV 8:00 AM; JOY TV
10:30 AM; HOPE TV 2:30 PM;
YES TV 10:30 AM.

ON LINE.

The Cardinal is saying mass each morning at 7:30 am, which can be followed on the website of St. Michael's Cathedral.

Message from the Archdiocese

The parishes still have to cover their expenses in this time of unrest. Offertory cheques can be dropped off at the parish or mailed in. In these times of unrest, don't forget your parish. We appreciate all the support you can give at this time.



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