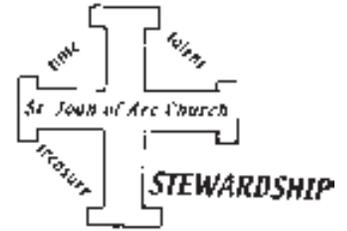




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Parish Stewardship Coordinator (ext. 223)

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, 7:30 PM

Children's Liturgy

10:00 AM Mass

Development & Peace

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

(3rd Tuesday 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 Tuesday, 7:30 PM

Sunday School (ages 3-6)

During 10:00 AM Mass

Stewardship

Six week schedule

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 August 30**

*1 Corinthians 2.1-5, Psalm 119,  
Luke 4.16-30*

5:30 pm Ressie Dacanay +

**Tuesday, August 31**

*1 Corinthians 2.10-16, Psalm 145,  
Luke 4.31-37*

5:30 pm Ronald Chinn

**Wednesday, September 1**

*1 Corinthians 3.1-9, Psalm 33,  
Luke 4.38-44*

5:30 pm Mary Armstrong +

**Thursday, September 2**

*1 Corinthians 3.18-23, Psalm 24,  
Luke 5.1-11*

5:30 pm For all Our Parish Volunteers

**Friday, September 3**

*1 Corinthians 4.1-5, Psalm 37,  
Luke 5.33-39*

10:30 am Mass at Loyola  
5:30 pm For the Parish Staff

**Saturday, September 4**

*1 Corinthians 4.6-15, Psalm 145,  
Luke 6.1-5*

5:30 pm Deceased Friars

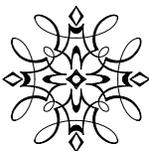
**Sunday, September 5**

*Wisdom 9.13-18, Psalm 90,  
Philemon 9.10, 12-17, Luke 14.25-33*

8:30 am Jan Pabian +  
10:00 am The Parish Community  
12:00 noon Stan Babiarz +  
7:00 pm Rosina Pascale +

Monthly Comparison: July

Offertory	2009	2010
Envelopes	\$ 11,059	\$18,065
Loose	\$4,161	\$4,649
PAG*	\$6,109	\$8,524
Total	\$21,329	\$31,238



The Pastor's Corner

Peace and Goodness to all.

Someone asked me recently if we were enjoying the slower time this summer at the parish, and of course I said yes, but then realized that here we don't really know much of a slowdown because this is our time to prepare for the rest of the year. Thank God we have this time to do it.

In the past two weeks we have celebrated three funerals, eight baptisms, and a wedding. We were delighted to have Bishop McGratton here on Sunday to celebrate his nephew's baptism with us at the 10:00am Mass. We have celebrated several weddings this summer, as usual, and there are weddings and baptisms scheduled throughout the summer. Here we continue here at the same speed in summer as during the rest of the year. Slow seasons don't really happen in a parish.

Cathi Richardson and I have continued the staff meetings all summer so we will be up to speed on the Stewardship necessities. She has met with most of the leaders and continues to do this so we will be ready for the fall. We also worked together to have the permanent sound system put into the hall. The construction on the front of the church has been completed, and the gardening committee has replaced the planting. (They did it while I was on my 6 days away in Lake Placid for the Ironman) Except for the continued leakage by one of the front doors, that we're working on fixing the outside one of the doors, the summer work is about done. Hopefully we can now begin to work on completing the sanctuary lighting which is the last remaining phase of the Capital Campaign Projects.

We raised close to 8 thousand dollars in the Iron Friar campaign to pay for a bell system. A great word of **Thanks** goes out to all who have contributed to this effort. We have begun working to get this system in. We've hired a company to do this, they have been here a couple of times to get things right.

The telephones have been fixed, we even have a doorbell working upstairs again, and can use the intercom to communicate with the front door. The telephone extensions are almost in order now. The buzzer doesn't work yet but that is an ongoing project. The insurance claims have been settled to pay for much of the telephone system that was destroyed by a power surge, and the floors that were damaged by a flood caused by old plumbing are finally repaired in the friar's spare room. That is now ready for someone should the Friars, be able to send someone.

While many are away, and the choirs and some of the staff is on holiday for the summer. We who remain, are blessed with time and energy to prepare the ground a bit for the return of the school season, so we can be ready for the re-engagement of the autumn schedule. The skeleton crew here keeps things humming so regular parish life and worship is not interrupted.

The Religious Ed, department has been closed for the summer, and will reopen with the school year. We are hoping and planning this summer for other youth related programs as well this year to grow from the Stewardship weekend initiatives.

We are delighted with the great ground work that Cathi Richardson has begun to help with these efforts. She has been instrumental also with the Religious Ed and other sensitive programs that require screening procedures this fall.

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The Stewardship reports that we have published in the bulletins will be collated for those who were not here to receive the summer bulletins that featured these and the talk that Cathi gave the parish. Cathi has also been making an effort to be sure that the screening procedures are in place for the coming year. This will help with our needs exceedingly well.

There are but two weeks before Labour Day weekend, so the summer is soon coming to a close. I hope and pray that you all may enjoy these last week of the Summer season and that we will be able to return to the regular schedule rested and refreshed for a new season of Grace and fellowship in God's Love and favour.

Rosanne, the parish Administrative Assistant will depart tomorrow for two weeks in England and Ireland to see family there. She will be ready for the two weeks away, God Bless her, she deserves some time away. There will be some coverage of the office for the next two and half weeks, please be patient with us in her absence.

May God bless you all in his Love and Joy.

*Fr. Dan*

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**Pray For:**

The Sick: Greg Law

The Deceased: Fr. Paul Vernooy, SCJ,

**Toronto Catholic District School Board**

The TCDSB extends a warm welcome to all families who have recently moved into the Toronto area. The Board is proud to provide a wide range of programs and services to students in 201 publicly-funded Catholic Schools from Jr. Kindergarten to Gr. 12. School begins Tuesday, September 7. For registration information please call 416 222-8282 ext 5314. New landed immigrants (14 Yrs and older) must call the TCDSB Orientation Centre at 416 393-5500 to make an appointment for evaluation prior to applying for secondary school.

**Blood Donor Clinic**

The Catholic Women's League is sponsoring a Blood Donor Clinic in the church hall on Wednesday, September 15th from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. Toronto uses more blood than it collects. Donating blood is one of the best ways to help keep our health system strong. Your blood can literally help to save up to three lives. Please book your appointment by calling **1 888 2 DONATE** (1-888-236-6283). You may also walk in without an appointment. Give thanks....give the gift of life.

**Stewardship Sunday**

Our annual Stewardship Weekend September 18 & 19th. You are invited to come to the parish hall and visit the many tables, with information on the ministries of our parish, an how you can serve our church family. Take a look at the ministry tables, find one that appeals to you, and ask questions of our volunteers to find out how you can help, remember; there is no such thing as a "small job". Every contribution of time and talent is valuable. **Musical?** How about singing in the choir! **Friendly?** Why not greet people as they enter the church. **New to the Parish?** Consider being an usher. **Or have you ever considered being a Lector or Eucharistic Minister, Server?** It's not difficult, doesn't take extra time, it's on your schedule, it required no experience, it's a great way to get to know the parish staff and other parishioners. Why not volunteer? You are already here!

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**Thursday, September 2**

7:00 pm Marriage Prep

**Friday, September 3**

10:30 am Mass at Loyola

FUTURE DATES TO REMEMBER

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**Help Wanted**

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

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**Religious Education**

Classes will be on Tuesday nights this year. If you are signing up your children for sports activities, you might want to keep that in mind.

**Catholic Women's League**

Welcome Back! Pancakes & Sausages in the parish hall following the morning masses. Please join us on September 12<sup>th</sup>, we will start to serve after the 8:30 am mass and continue to serve until after the noon mass. Adults \$5.00 Children \$3.00. Hope to see you there!

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**Parish Office**

Rosanne will be out of the office from August 25 to September 13<sup>th</sup>. Rose and Barbara will cover during her absence.

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