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Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

10:00 AM

12:00 PM

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

PARISH STAFF

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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
Antoine Pellerin

Ushers: Call the office

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 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

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 Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday School (ages 3-6)
During 10:00 AM Mass



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 27*Leviticus 19:1-2,11-18 Psalm 19:**7-9,14 Matthew 25:31-46*

5:30 pm Velma Pabian +

Tuesday February 28*Isaiah 55:10-11 Psalm 34: 3-6,**15-18 Matthew 6:7-5*

5:30 pm Sick of the Parish

Wednesday March 1*Jonah 3:1-10 Psalm 51: 1-2, 10-**11, 17-17 Luke 11:29-32*5:30 pm Int of the General
Council**Thursday, March 2***Esther 14:1,3-5, 12-14 Psalm 138:**1-3, 7-8 Matthew 7: 7-12*

5:30 pm Clare Bonneau +

Friday, March 3*Ezekiel 18:21-28 Psalm 130:1-6**Matthew 5:20-26*

5:30 pm The Parish Community

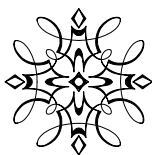
Saturday, March 4*Deuteronomy 26:16-19 Psalm 119**1-2, 4-5,7-8 Matthew 5 :43-48*

5:30 pm Maria & Leon Dacanay +

Sunday March 5*Genesis 12:1-4 Psalm 33:4-5, 18-**20, 22 2Timothy 1:8-10 Matthew**17:1-9*

10:00 am Carmelo Galea +

12:00 pm Dmytro Spiwak +

***The Friar's Nook***

One thing that was presented this past week to the staff and some volunteers at Saint Joan of Arc from the general counsel of the Friars was the mission, vision, and values of the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement. This was a document we have been working on for several years and now we're hoping that each of our ministries will adapt it and use it, in their own right so that it follows who we are and informs what we do. Our mission, vision, and values speak of carrying our message out to the world but also speak to us as a message that should ring true as to who see ourselves as.

At Saint Joan of Arc, there are lots of ways in which our mission carries us outward, Development & Peace, Saint Vincent DePaul, Winter Welcome Table, Catholic Women's League, and Creation Care Ministry are just some of the ways we reach out to others in the world. Our Religious Education programs, beginning with Baptism Classes, Communion and Reconciliation Prep, Confirmation Classes, and Bible Study as well as various adult education programs, serve to develop our understanding of who we are as Christians and members of a parish. As Friars we talk about "womb to tomb" formation, that is that education is lifelong not just for those starting out. That means that we also need to be open to change ourselves – not that only others need to change!

I know that no one likes to change but this is about growth. We are called to grow as long as we are drawing breath. As a parish we are growing, as is witnessed by the new, young families we are seeing. We need to continue to be formed so that we can evangelize in our world and our lives. To aid in that, I will be resuming on-line bible study on Wednesdays at 2 PM on the letters of St. Paul on our website. Also, all of the Bible Studies that I have done are available there. I will also be posting other things you can do for Lent on our website so keep an eye open for opportunities.

I am encouraged by the hope we have and even though we have been operating at a deficit since COVID, I think we can and will continue to grow as a parish.

Happy Lent!
Fr. Bob

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Sick:

The Deceased: Len Sylvester

Religious Education

Important dates to remember for celebrating the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion. **Confirmation** will take place on **Saturday, April 22**, at 2:00 pm. (Please arrive by 1pm.) The rehearsal will be Saturday, April 15th at 2:00 pm.

First Communion will take place on **May 6th** at 2:00 pm (Please arrive by 1:00 pm). The rehearsal will be on Saturday, April 29th at 2:00 pm.

Queen of the Apostles Renewal Centre

Friday March 3- Sunday March 5 Father Ron Rolheiser

Theme -Wrestling with God and with Love – Resistance and Surrender Within Our Spiritual Journey. For more information, contact: Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre 905-278-5229, or, office@goa.ca

Arts & Environment

Starting Ash Wednesday, parishioners are invited to share their Lenten intentions, thoughts and prayers anonymously, by writing them down on the 'intention slips' provided at the back at the church. Everyone is welcome to place their filled in, tightly folded intentions in the baptismal font on the altar throughout Lent. Enter them as often as you'd like.

Holy Saturday, these intentions will form the kindling for the blessing of the fire outside the church, the rising smoke symbolically carrying our intentions to heaven.

Turkey & Syria Relief

Two devastating earthquakes and hundreds of violent aftershocks in Turkey and Syria have caused great destruction in both countries. The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations and channel funds through Catholic partners (including Caritas Canada, Aid to the Church in Need, CNEWA, and Jesuits International) to support relief efforts underway. If making a donation by cheque, please make cheque payable to St. Joan of Arc and mark "Relief fund" on the Memo Line.



10:00 am SUNDAY LITURGY

We continue to live stream the 10:00 am Mass on our Facebook page.

This Week

Monday February 27

CWL General Meeting following the 5:30 pm mass.

Friday March 3

CWL will Lead the Way of the Cross following the 5:30 pm mass

Future Dates to Remember

Donations

Please do not put two donations in one envelope.

Winter Welcome Table

We are still accepting donations for Winter Welcome Table. Just put WWT on the outside of an envelope and your information and it will be added to your tax receipt for this year.

Support our Lenten ShareLife

Appeal In this time of Lent, please reflect on the great needs of our brothers and sisters who are helped through your kind support of ShareLife. Last year, ShareLife supporters like you enabled 1,900 young parents and their children to access programming, along with diapers, food and clothing. Your support of ShareLife provides hope and support as they create better lives for their families. Please give generously once again this



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