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# Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

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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 7:00 PM 12:00 Noon Choir Chris McConnell Rehearsal: Tuesdays 7:00 PM Ushers: George Ramirez

To contact a coordinator by e-mail, type the name of the ministry, organization or activity followed by @joanofarc.ca

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

# MARRIAGE

(Please call Fr. Dan 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

Phone

Fax

#### 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

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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Please call Fr. Dan Callahan, ext. 226, for more information.

#### ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League 4th Monday, 7:00 PM Children's Liturgy 10:00 AM Mass **Development & Peace** www.devp.org 3rd Thursday of the month 7:00 PM **Meditation Group** Mondays, 7:15 PM Merry Makers 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

<u>Monday, January 16</u> *1 Samuel 15:16-23 Psalm 50 Mark 2; 18-22* 5:30 pm Justina Repko +

<u>Tuesday, January 17</u> *1 Samuel 16:1-13 Psalm 89 Mark 2:23-28* 5:30 pm Bonnie Young

Wednesday, January 18 1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 Psalm 144 Mark 3;1-6 5:30 pm Stefania Milerowa +

 Thursday, January 19

 1 Samuel 18:6-9, 19:1-7
 Psalm 56

 Mark 3:7-12
 5:30 pm

 5:30 pm
 Rita Norton +

Friday, January 20 1 Samuel 24:2-21 Psalm 57 Mark 3:13-19 5:30 pm Francizek Lechowska+ & Katarcynz OBlak +

<u>Saturday, January 21</u> 2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 Psalm 80 Mark 3:20-21 5:30 pm Bonita Simons +

<u>Sunday, January 22</u> Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Psalm25 1 Corinthians 7:29-31 Mark 1:14-20 8:30 am Mary Smith + 10:00 am The Parish Community 12:00 noon Julia Tan 7:00 pm Noel Flynn +

Monthly Comparison for: December 2010 2011 Offertory Envelopes \$18,431 \$16,260 Loose \$4,797 \$7,427 PAG\* \$8,660 \$7,780 Total \$31,888 \$31.469

\* Pre-Authorized Giving Building & Maintenance \$7,175



# THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to all!

As the New Year begins, I want to once again extend my blessings and best wishes for a very happy new year to all and say thank you to all of you for your generous participation in our Christmas Liturgical Celebrations. Thank you also to all who sent goodies, cards and gifts my way. I am working on thank you notes this week and hope to get them in the mail. If I missed you please forgive me, some of the cards didn't have last names or any names at all so I hope you know who you are and that I am grateful. Thank you so much. I want to thank the Golden Girls who worked overtime in counting the Christmas collections and doubled a couple of times as servers for the funeral breakfasts that came up during the Christmas rush. Good heavens we were in for quite the ride there for a while. You were terrific. Last week, I managed to get away for three solid days of cross country skiing in the southern tier of NY, Allegany State Park. The snow was terrific and it was a great time to get away for some fun recreation.

This week we got right into the swing of things. Tuesday we gathered for the semi-annual mini-AGM to catch up on the activities of our organizations. It was a good and productive recollection of our various activities and projects and has set us up to continue the good work of the parish. The musicians recalled the successful ecumenical celebration of our Advent Lessons and Carols with hope for even more participation by the various Churches in the area for next year. I would like to thank the Choirs for the wonderful blessings they brought to us throughout the Christmas season.

The reports of the CWL, the St. Vincent DePaul Society and the Winter Welcome Table all reflected the generous contributions we have made in our out-reaches to the poor, and Christmas projects. The Merrymakers Christmas lunch and the Oktoberfest of the Social committee reminded us of some of the parties we celebrated and anticipated those being planned and currently in the works. Current projects like the Parish pictorial directory and the building committee projects are all on target for successful development. Our new ministries committee addressed our vision to clarify our Mission statement and continue the planning to realize the vision of our parish in the context of the Church in the Archdiocese. This is an ongoing process that we will participate in over the coming years. May God Bless the work of our hands! We had some words of hope for spring with the daffodil bulbs that the building committee has set in to come springing to life once the winter is past. Thank you to all of you who make St. Joan of Arc the wonderful parish it is. May God Bless the work of our hearts and hands!

As we continue now in the season of Ordinary time we thank God for his many blessings and ask his help in all we are and do each day to further the work of His Kingdom in our midst.

God bless you all with Love and Joy,

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#### Please Pray for:

The Sick: Vivian Hegadoran, Sean Wright, Pat Cronin, Rose Di Tommaso The Deceased: Rita Norton

#### Parish Photo Directory

Life Touch the company, that is working on our photo directory for the parish is coming back this month, for a second session. If you missed out earlier this year, be sure to mark your calendars and book your appointment for January 27<sup>th</sup> or 28th. Please go to <u>www.joanofarc.ca</u> and click on "prayers and links". Then click on "parish yearbook" and book your appointment. Today there will be someone in the hall after mass for manual signup. Call Jeff Lima if you have any questions at 905-867-7689 or email at lima.jeffrey@gmail.com

#### **Faith Connections**

Faith Connections' Theology on Tap-young adults (19-39) are invited to a social evening of thought-provoking discussion on "Religion and Public Policy" with guest The Very Rev. Lois M. Wilson CC, retired Senator and First female moderator of the United Church of Canada. Munchies provided, cash bar, come and bring a friend! Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at the Duke of York Pub. (39 Prince Arthur Ave.) For more information call 416 467-2645 or visit <u>www.faithconnections.ca</u> A ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto.

#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

2012 Ecumenical Prayer Service will take place Sunday January 22, at 3:00 pm. Come and join us in prayer with His Grace Archbishop Thomas Collins, joined by His Grace Anglican Archbishop Colin Johnson, Lutheran Bishop Michael Pyrse, Slovak Catholic Bishop John Pazak, Assyrian Catholic Bishop Emmanuel Mar Emmanuel and other city wide religious leaders at St. Michael's Cathedral, 200 Church St. With refreshments to follow in the parish hall. For more information, contact the Office of Ecumenical & Interfaith Affairs at 416-934-3400 ext. 344.

#### **Philippines- Flood Relief**

Nearly 1000 people are reported dead and hundreds more still missing after flash floods in the Philippines. Anyone wishing to financially support this Relief Fund can make a donation by making a cheque payable to the parish and on the memo line mark Philippines-Flood Relief. The parish will then forward one cheque to the Development office of Archdiocese.

#### 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

Hurray, Come and get your tickets, right away. We are going to celebrate with Fr. Dan! We have a dinner scheduled for Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at the Canadiana Restaurant in the Six Points Plaza (near the Kipling Subway station). We have a limited number of tickets for the dinner at **\$40.00 per person**, and there will be a cash bar. When you purchase your tickets, we will be asking you, for your preference: Chicken or Salmon dinner. Tickets are available in the parish hall after all the masses this weekend and from Rosanne, Monday to Friday in the parish office. Sorry, no reserved tickets by phone. Tickets must be paid for at time of purchase.

#### 2012 Offertory Envelopes

Please do not use envelopes for 2011 or older! If you haven't had a box of envelopes before, come to the office and a box will be issued to you.

#### THIS WEEK

Monday, January 16 7:00 pm D & P 7:15 pm Meditation Group 7:30 pm Pastoral Care

#### Tuesday, January 17

12:15 pm Merrymakers Mass and Lunch Religious Education

Wednesday, January 18 Staff 7:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, January 197:00 pm Marriage Prep

#### FUTURE DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday, January 28 Fr. Dan's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner

#### Sunday January 29

11:00 am & 1:00 pm 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination Receptions for Fr. Dan

#### Development & Peace

For 2012 Development and Peace will be focusing on the theme of Ecological Justice, illuminating the interconnection and interdependence of all the Earth community. Both now and in the future we strive to create healthy human communities which can feed themselves while also maintaining healthy ecosystems. Look for more information about this topic in future church bulletins.



**25 Years of Ordination** 



