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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

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

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.

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League

See CWL Bulletin Board for Details

Children's Liturgy

10:00 AM Mass

Sunday School

10:00 AM Mass

Weekly Sacramental Preparation

Development & Peace

www.devpo.org

3rd Monday 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



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 26

Revelation 14:1-3,4-5 Psalm 24

Luke 21:1-4

5:30 pm Kristina Knopp +

Tuesday, November 27

Revelation 14:14-19 Psalm 96

Luke 21:50-11

5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Wednesday, November 28

Revelation 15:1-4 Psalm 98

Luke 21:12-19

5:30 pm All Souls

Thursday, November 29

Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3,9

Psalm 100 Luke 21:20-28

5:30 pm Rita Lee+

Friday, November 30

Romans 10:9-18 Psalm 19

Matthew 4:18-22

5:30 pm Int. of the Parish Staff

Saturday, December 1

Revelation 22:1-7

Psalm 95:1-2,3-5,6-7 Luke 21:34-36

5:30 pm Jozek Zembik +

Sunday, December 2

Jeremiah 33:14-16 Psalm 25:4-5,8-

14 1Thessalonians 32- 4:2

Luke 21:25-28,34-36

8:30 am The Parish Community

10:00 am Dmytro Spiwak +

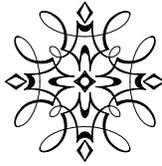
12:00 noon Claude Delagrave+

7:00 pm Int. of H. Haasen

Monthly Comparison for: October

Offertory	2011	2012
Envelopes	\$12,396	\$18,304
Loose	\$ 4,729	\$ 4,696
PAG*	\$ 7,908	\$ 7,832
Total	\$25,033	\$30,832

* Pre-Authorized Giving Contributions for the Building Maintenance Fund were \$2,565.00



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace and Goodness to all!

Today is Christ the King Sunday, when we celebrate the reign of God established through the Pascal Mystery in the death and resurrection of Jesus, King of love for all people of all time. As we contemplate the gospel story of Jesus' living testimony of truth before Pontius Pilate, we consider his love which brought justice to completion on the Cross, and established God as the King of Kings and Lord of Lords for all time. This is the hallmark for justice and peace for the Church to consider and continue in our mission of salvation.

Last Saturday the Canadian Organization Development and Peace of Toronto, hosted a City wide meeting here in our parish hall. It was a privilege to have this organ of Peace and Justice gather here to further their causes for solidarity and equity among God's people. This prophetic organization helps the Church to sustain a focus on the issues of justice that so urgently need attention and action. May the Lord bless their work!

On Tuesday, the Merrymakers, senior's group celebrated their monthly mass and luncheon with a Christmas theme to begin our season with great joy and fellowship. There were over a hundred gathered to share the wonderful meal that was prepared by Marie and Dominic Caprara. Rose Di Tommaso led the team of volunteers in the setup, decorating and door prizes. Other volunteers served the meal from soup, to desert with a wonderful roast pork as the main entrée. What a grand time, and how blessed we are to have such a marvelous group of seniors to celebrate God's love and grace.

Tuesday evening the Building Committee met to chart its progress in many projects that are under way and see to the safety and security of our buildings. May God continue to bless the work of their hands! This is a hard working group that demonstrates the stewardship of our parish in most tangible ways, thank you all.

This week in the bulletin you will find the Ministries Committee's survey report summary. We hope you will find this enlightening as it helps us to set the direction for our ministerial development for the coming years. Thank you to all of them for the long hours and great work they have put into this effort. Thank you to all of you who submitted the robust survey data that made this substantial report possible.

Next Saturday, we will hold the semi-annual ministries retreat in the hall to prepare us for the new liturgical year that begins with the first week of advent. We are deeply grateful to all of our liturgical ministers who make our Sunday Worship true celebrations of the Eucharistic center of life and ministry for the parish. On this day of Christ the King we finish the liturgical year remembering the Kingdom of God is among us most fully in our Sunday Gatherings. We look forward to the new beginnings that Advent and Christmas will bring, and give thanks to all of you who make this happen well.

May Christ the King continue to bless our parish in the reign of God and keep us in the Peace and Joy of Jesus! *Fr. Dan*

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Doreen Morra, Carmela Morra, Marie Kozak, Phyllis Iantorno, Mary Kay, Karen, Andrea MacDonell, Mary Krupica, Alexander Girska, Tom Shields, Kilian Lieb, Leah and Karen Smith and Chester Smedzik
The Deceased: Lydia Godin

CWL News

- 1) **Right to Life Christmas cards** are still available from the parish office. \$8.00 for a package of 10 cards.
- 2) Thanks to all the parishioners and volunteers who supported our Bake/Book Sale. We are delighted to report that because of your generosity, again our fundraising was a success! Thanks to our good neighbours Tim Horton's and the Lunch Box for their generous donations!
- 3) Our C. W. L. is sponsoring a **Blood Donor Clinic** in the church hall on Wed. Dec. 5 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Toronto uses more blood than it collects. 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.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

We are asking parishioners for assistance in collecting new, unwrapped toys to be used in the Christmas packages we prepare for families that call us for assistance at Christmas. Collections will take place at all masses on December 1st and 2nd and December 8th and 9th. Children will be invited by Fr. Dan to deliver their gifts to the sleigh on the altar just before those attending the Liturgy of the Word leave the church. Adults may deliver their gifts to the sleigh before or after mass. Gift certificates for teenagers would be most appreciated. St. Nicholas will be available for photos, after the 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon masses, in the Conference Room on December 2nd.

New Beginnings: Retreat Weekend: Jesus says: "Come to me all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your soul." Objectives: 1. To know the love of God and recognize God's presence in your life.

2. To receive the Lord's grace, healing and restoration. 3. To grieve, to mourn, to let go, to find yourself and to experience God, with the support of a loving community. Fri. Dec. 7, 2012 7:00 p.m. to Sun. Dec. 9, 2012 4:00 p.m. At Queen of the Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga, Ontario. Enquiries: Mary Benincasa at 416-921-1163 ext. 2235 or email at jshaughn@cfstoronto.com

New Beginnings: For those who have lost a loved one through Death, Separation or Divorce. Come and join us for an informative evening: We will view a DVD called "Through a Lens Darkly: Grief, Loss and C.S. Lewis:" Tues. Dec. 4, 2012 from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Location: The Catholic Pastoral Centre, 1155 Yonge St. 4th Floor, (NE corner of Yonge and Shaftesbury Ave. No registration required. Enquiries: Deacon James at 416-921-1163 ext. 2227 or email at jshaughn@cfstoronto.com

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe!

THIS WEEK

Monday, November 26

Following the 5:30 pm mass the CWL will hold their Service for deceased members. Followed by their meeting at 7:00 pm
Thank you to the participants who stepped up to help at the Winter Welcome table.

Tuesday, November 27

4:30 pm Religious Ed.
7:00 pm Ministry Committee

Wednesday, November 28

Staff
7:30 pm Bible Study, / RCIA

Saturday, December 1

10:00 am Liturgical Ministers
Retreat

Winter Welcome Table

Ornaments will be available starting this weekend for gifts for the clients of Winter Welcome Table. Instructions are on the reverse side of the ornament. Please return gifts back to parish no later than Dec 16. Thank you for generous support of the Outreach Programme of the Parish.

Future Dates to Remember

Wednesday December 5

4:00 pm CWL Blood Donor Clinic

Friday, December 7

7:30 pm Lessons and Carols

Thursday, December 13

7:30 pm Parish Council and Ministry leaders gathering . RSVP to the parish office or email

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