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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

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Catrina Bova

Lectors:
Genia Vanderkruk
10:00AM Choir
Susan McElcheran
Rehearsal: Thursday 7:30 PM
12:00 Noon Choir
Michael Thibodeau

Greeters/Ushers: Call the office

CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday
5:30 PM

Sunday
10:00 AM
12:00 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 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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday
9:30 AM to 11:30 AM
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM
Closed Wednesday mornings

Wednesday afternoons
1:30 PM to 4:00 PM

Friday Closed

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 Thursday of the month 12:00 PM

Knights of Columbus
1st Thursday of the Month

Parish Council
Every two months

St. Vincent de Paul Society
2nd Saturday of the Month 4:00 PM



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 6

5:30 pm All Souls Novena

Rom 11:29-36 Ps 69: 29-36 Lk 14: 12-14

Tuesday, November 7

5:30 pm All Souls Novena

Rom 12:5-16 Ps 131:1-3 Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday, November 8

5:30 pm All Souls Novena

Rom 13: 8-10 Ps 112:1-9 Lk 14:25-33

Thursday, November 9

5:30 pm All Souls Novena

*Ez 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 Ps 46: 1-8
Jn 2:13-22*

Friday, November 10

5:30 pm All Souls Novena

Rm 15:14-21 Ps 98:1-4 Lk 16:1-8

Saturday, November 11

5:30 pm Int. of Galea Family

*Rm 16:3-9 22-27 Ps 145:2-3 4-5 10-11 Lk
16:9-15*

Sunday, November 12

10:00 am Parish Community

12:00 pm Sabrina Grace Araya-Gaete

*Wisdom 6:12-16 Ps 63:1-7
1 Thess 4:13-18 Mt 25:1-13*



The Friar's Nook

Well, the weather certainly has let us know that it's now November. When I take Bodhi out for a walk or to the park, he needs to wear his sweater to keep warm. He is getting along fine now with his stepsister Aluen, but he still asks her to play and I'm not sure she understands what he's saying. I am hoping that she will treat teach him some manners!

Brother Alex is settling in. We got him his Canadian license drivers license this week and now he has a car to drive. He's going to be assisting with the RCIA program and has already shown to our Money Counters his baking powers. I would say he's a little on the shy side so when you see him you may have to instigate conversation, but I can assure you he has a very interesting background and it will be well worth your while.

Our Parishioner Support ministry had their first major event with the All Souls mass. They've done training for home visitors, and now we have lots! Now we need people to visit. If you know of anyone who is homebound either permanently or temporarily due to illness or recovery, please let us know so that they can receive communion and know of our care for them. It's great to have more ministers than we need.

We are starting up our Young Adult ministry again and I hope we can reach out to the many young adults both married and single that have joined the community in recent years. It will be what you make of it so come and bring your ideas. One of the biggest problems caused by the Covid shut down is that our Youth Ministry died off. The youth are no longer youth, but they are certainly welcome to join our Young Adult ministry, and we must start again trying to minister to our high school kids. If you are interested and working with these kids, we would love to get you on board. I'm happy to say that we have several new parishioners involved in our Building Committee, our Finance Council, and as Servers at Mass.

Speaking of Servers, you probably have noticed that, at least at the 10:00 Mass, we have an abundance of Servers. That's because some parishioners have invited children to join us, and they have happily accepted. While we don't necessarily need four children to serve at every Mass, I'm pleased at their excitement to do so and so I welcome them whenever they come. Last weekend we had seven kids show up to serve at the 10:00 mass but we had to cut it off at four. Their enthusiasm is great for inviting other children to get involved in the parish. I am hoping their example provides an impetus to older parishioners getting involved in our ministries!

It seems as the year goes on, we are getting busier and busier, and our ministries are reaching out to do other things as well! I think that's great and hope that we continue to reach out to the needs of those around us and to build the community that is Saint Joan of Arc parish.

Be at peace,
Fr. Bob

PLEASE PRAY FOR: All the Sick & the Deceased of our Parish

Development & Peace - Caritas Canada

D&P stands with Land and Water Defenders here in Canada and in the Global South. This Fall, our focus is on **Honduras** and there is a brochure in the bulletin this week which teaches us about some of the issues there. Over the following 3 weeks, we are invited to the hall to **sign a letter** to the Honduran Ambassador to Canada in solidarity with the water and environmental defenders there. Check out the D&P bulletin board for more info..

Remembrance Wall

To recognize and honour those who have recently passed away or have been closely associated with the parish, the Parishioner Support Ministry is installing a Wall of Remembrance in the Parish Hall. A photo of each individual, along with a few words about their life, will be displayed in a frame provided by the parish. Frames will remain on the wall for one year. If you would like to add someone to the wall, please contact the Parish Office: MJ, via email at mj@joanofarc.ca, or at extension 1005.

Merrymakers Luncheon: November 16 at 12:30pm

Please purchase your tickets to the luncheon by November 12th. Tickets are sold after Mass at the back of the church (cash only). Menu: Meatloaf, potatoes, vegetables, and dessert.

Parish Community Fundraiser: Christmas Dinner

Before COVID our parish had social evenings and various fundraisers which united our parishioners and made us a strong parish community. We would like to begin this tradition again, with a Christmas dinner parish community fundraiser on December 3rd at 6:00 pm. The Merrymakers, with the help of other ministries, are organizing this evening event which will include a traditional Canadian Christmas dinner of Turkey, stuffing, potatoes, vegetables, and a variety of desserts. We will also have raffle prizes, carol singing, and each dinner guest will receive a small gift. Please join us to kick off the Christmas season with your fellow parishioners. Tickets will be on sale after each Mass in the church entrance and must be purchased by November 26th (cash only). We only have room for 125 people so please get your tickets as early as possible. *Prices: \$15 per ticket, \$35 per family (2 adults + 2 children), \$5 per additional child. Free for children under 5 years old.* Please see posters for more details. *proceeds to purchase new robes for children altar servers.

Young Adults Ministry

Inviting ALL young adults for a night of fun, faith and fellowship on Tuesday, November 7th at 6:30pm. You are invited to attend the 5:30pm mass. Please check out our parish website for more details.

Parish clean up

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with the parish clean up last October 28th!

10:00 am SUNDAY LITURGY

We continue to live stream the 10:00 am Mass on www.joanofarc.ca.

This Week

Tuesday, November 7

Young Adults Night 6:30pm

Wednesday, November 8

1:30 pm CWL Executive

Saturday, November 11

4:00 pm SVDP

Future Dates to Remember

Thursday, November 16

12:00 pm Mass

12:30 pm Merrymakers Lunch

November 18/19

SVDP Bundle Up & Special Collection

Parish Calendar

Check out our parish calendar for upcoming events www.joanofarc.ca

Daylight Savings Time

Daylight savings time end on Sunday November 5th at 2:00am. Don't forget to turn your docks and watches back one hour!



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