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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Call the office

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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

CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday
5:30 PM

Sunday
10:00 AM

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

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

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 Wednesday, 7:30 PM

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



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 3

Galatians 1:6-12 Psalm 111:1-2,7-10 Luke 10:25-37

5:30 pm Safe Travels for the General Council

Tuesday, October 4

Galatians 1:13-24 Psalm 139:1-3, 13-16 Luke 10: 38-42

5:30 pm A Successful Stewardship weekend

Wednesday, October 5

Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14 Psalm 117:1-2 Luke 11:1-4

5:30 pm Marcel Quinteros

Thursday, October 6

Galatians 3:1-5 Luke 1:69-75 Luke 11:5-13

5:30 pm Jim & Martha Humeniuk

Friday, October 7

Galatians 3:6-14 Psalm 111:1-6 Luke 11:15-26

5:30 pm For Our Seniors

Saturday, October 8

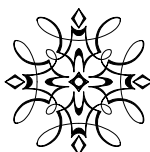
Galatians 3:22-29 Psalm 105:2-7 Luke 11:27-28

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Sunday, October 9

2 Kings 5:14-17 Psalm 98:1-4 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Luke 17:11-19

10:00 am Safe Travels for the General Council



The Friar's Nook

For the next several weeks, I would like to study the Mass with you. I started this before we were shut down by COVID and would like to continue it till we get to the end of Mass.

This week I would like to discuss the Liturgy of the Word. This is the second place where we experienced the real presence of Christ at Mass. Christ is fully present in the word proclaimed. That is why we say "The Word of the Lord" or "The Gospel of the Lord" at the end. You may remember a time when people picked up the book to say, "This is the Word of the Lord", that has been stopped because Christ is not present in the book but rather in the word proclaimed. Therefore, it is truly important for us to listen to the word and not read along with it. If there is a problem in hearing the word, we need to address it so that we all can fully experience Christ in the Word.

The Liturgy of the Word recalls what Jesus celebrated in the temple and in the synagogue. There they would read from the scripture sing songs of praise - psalms and canticles - and preach about what this word meant to them and their lives.

We begin the Liturgy of the Word with a reading from the Old Testament (at Easter time we read from the Acts of the Apostles). This shows us how God has worked throughout Salvation history and the first reading usually foreshadows the Gospel of that day.

Then, like in Jesus' time, we sing a Psalm or canticle. Psalms come from the book of psalms in the Old Testament and canticles are songs that are written down in both the Old and New Testament. These are sung because they are songs - imagine if we just read the lyrics to a song rather than singing it - there's a big difference!

Next, we listen to our second reading which is taken from the New Testament from the Epistles or letters of the disciples. They talk about how the new church continue to grow and change.

This is followed by an alleluia (except during Lent) to proclaim our great joy at the words and mission of Christ that follow in the Gospel. The Gospel is then proclaimed, setting the theme and tone for the Mass. Here we learn of Jesus' ministry and hear his own words to guide us in this life to the life of heaven.

The homily follows next. A homily is not a sermon. A sermon is a religious talk that may or may not have anything to do with scripture, but a homily is supposed to take the words of Scripture and applying them to our current situation and daily lives.

Peace, love and joy, Fr. Bob

Please pray for:

The Sick: Celeste Cignarella, Evan Bolotta and Nicola Bianchi

The Deceased: Brenda Granahan, Terri Daurio and Joan Miller

Religious Education

Arturo is in the office Tuesdays and Thursdays: 10 am to 1:00 pm. He can be reached at Ext 1003. Also, he will be available in the Church on Sundays after the 10 am mass. In order to register your child for the program, you must submit their baptismal certificate and the fee with the form. They are not accepted on-line.

ST. JOAN OF ARC PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Do you have yarn hidden away? Left over yarn from projects you have completed? The prayer shawl ministry needs the yarn to make prayer shawls. If you can help build up their supply of yarn, please drop it off at the Parish or Religious Ed office. Any donations would be very much appreciated!

Stewardship Weekend November 5th / 6th

Each week, we will have a speaker telling us about different ministry groups in our parish. A limited number of brochures have been printed and are available at the entrance of the church. Each week an additional brochure will be added to the display cases at the entrance of the church for you to take. There are so many great opportunities to serve within our parish community. No experience required. Training will be provided.

Friars' Student Writing Contest 2023

Focus Question for the Writing contest. The message of Isaiah 1:12-18 calls for unity among Christians. How is this vision being lived today? What more needs to be done? Conclude with a short prayer that expresses your hope for the common witness of the disciples of Jesus in Canada. Read Isaiah 1:12-18 and consult resources for the writing contest at <https://bit.ly/3AgBy5l> Contestants must be 13-19 years of age and attending an Ontario Secondary school or equivalent programme. See poster for more details.

Healing and Reconciliation Collection

This week there is Archdiocesan Collection for the Healing and Reconciliation Fund. The fund provides support to both local and national initiatives that will assist in the journey of Healing, Reconciliation and Hope. Funds are approved by a Board of Indigenous partners. Envelopes are available at the entrance of the church.



10am Sunday Mass.

Sunday Liturgy is livestreamed on the St. Joan of Arc Facebook page.

Parish Office

The office is now open Mondays, and Thursdays 9:30 am to 11:30 am and 1pm to 4 pm. Tuesdays 1:00 to 4 pm.

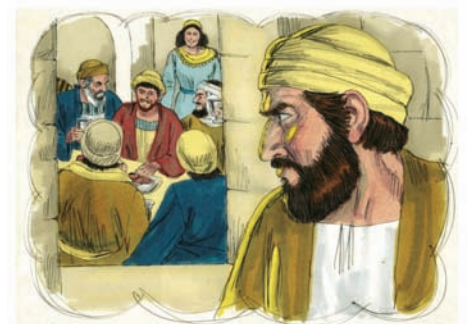
Note from the office

Please print your name on the outside of your plain envelope, when making a donation even if there is a cheque inside. It still can get to the office without any information. We can't record donations if we don't know who made the donation.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2022

Times: 4 p.m. Eastern Time

Looking for a way to celebrate Thanksgiving? This year, Rosary Coast to Coast will be held on Sunday, October 9. Pray the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, the holy rosary and consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary! Gather the children of the world to pray together through the recitation of the rosary, ideally in the presence of our Eucharistic Jesus in our churches. If not possible, pray at home with your families and prayer groups! CONTACT: Angie Carboni PHONE: 416-871-3908 EMAIL: marsha.c@stbernadettesfrc.org



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