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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, October 30

5:30 pm Roy & Rene Colina
Romans 8:11-17 Ps 68:1-3, 5-6, 19-20 Luke 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 31

5:30 pm Benito Family
Rom 8:18-25 Ps 126:1-6 Luke 13:18-21

Wednesday, November 1

5:30 pm Mary Davis +
Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 1Jn 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12a

Thursday November 2

5:30 pm All Souls Novena
7:30 pm The Parish Community

Friday, November 3

5:30 pm All Souls
Rom 9:1-5 Ps 147: 12-13, 14-15, 19-20 Luke 14:1-6

Saturday, November 4

5:30 pm All Souls
Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29 Ps 94: 12-13, 14-15, 17-18, Luke 14:1, 7-11

Sunday, Novembet 5

10:00 am All Souls Novena
12:00 pm The Parish Community
Malachi 1:14-2.2, 8-10, Ps 131: 1-2, 3 1 Thess 2:7-9, 13 Matt 23:1-12



The Friar's Nook

Welcome, Brother Alexander!

At last, I'm not alone. Last week I picked up Brother Alexander, our new deacon, from the airport and his dog Aluen (pronounced *ă loo' en*). She's a sweet mini-Labrador, about 10 years old. Her name comes from an extinct Patagonian language meaning "light of the moon". She's a little on the shy side, but then again so was Sonya, and I told her that her job is to teach Bodie some manners. He seems to be happy to have a friend living with him.

Speaking of Bodhi, you've probably noticed that I've had to take him out of Masses because of his bad behavior. He always looks very penitent afterwards, but he needs to learn to behave. So, I may be signing him up for obedience classes. Lately, it hasn't been just at Mass but at meetings where he thinks I'm there to entertain him and he's constantly putting his paw on me or grabbing my shirt and trying to pull me out of the chair simply to go outside and look around. I tell him I'm not here to keep him occupied but I have work to do but he doesn't seem to care. So, we're working on this.

We are continuing to gear up here at the parish so don't think we've forgotten about you. Many of you who signed up to be involved in ministries will have to go through clearance by the diocese and there is a load of paperwork to be done, but we're working on it. We'll soon be starting up our young adult ministry and hoping that we can find some leaders and some youth to rekindle our youth ministry after COVID. Also, we have a new team working on the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) and hopefully that will be starting up again this week. If you know of anyone interested in becoming Catholic, or even curious about Catholicism even if they don't wish to become Catholic, have them get in touch with us. If you have already been in touch with us about this and haven't heard back from us either this week or next, please contact us again so that we can get you into the program. I am grateful that we have had people step up to continue this ministry at the parish and in diocese since many parishes don't do this and they send their people to us!

This week we will have, for the first time, a special Mass for All Souls. The Parishioner Support Ministry will be collecting and reading out the names of parishioner's families and friends who have died in the past year and there will be a memory wall in the parish hall. After the Mass there will be a reception hosted by the Merrymakers Ministry. I am pleased to see our ministries working together to service the parish community.

I hope to see us continue to grow together as one Church family.

Thanks for all you do,
Fr. Bob

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Sick: Antonia Bova, Celeste Cignarella, Guillermo Medina, Michelle Rodrigues, Rose Menecola

The Deceased: Frank Grech

All Souls Mass: Thursday, November 2nd at 7:30pm

The Parishioner Support Ministry at Joan of Arc invites you to attend an All-Souls Day evening service, to honour family members and close friends who have passed away. A small reception will be held afterwards in the parish hall, hosted by the Merrymakers. Please sign up through the parish office, with MJ Ramos by email, mj@joanofarc.ca, or with Rosanne Kelly by phone, 416-762-1026, and provide the name or names of those you are commemorating as we will be recognizing them individually during the service. Please arrive 15-30 minutes before this special Mass commences, to ensure your family names are identified properly. **Latest date to sign up: Monday, Oct 30.**

All Souls Novena

You may find envelopes in the back of the church for the All Souls Novena. You can place your donations in the mass collections throughout the weekend.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Joan of Arc Conference

We will be holding our Fall Bundle weekend November 18/ 19. Please see the posters to see what is and isn't accepted. Thank you for your continued support!

First Reconciliation

Please pray for our students who will be receive the sacrament of reconciliation on Saturday November 4. They have been preparing for the last few weeks. Let us continue to pray for their hearts and their preparations for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

Welcome Brother Alexander!

Let us give a warm St Joan of Arc welcome to our newly ordained Deacon, Brother Alexander! Feel free to greet and chat with him this weekend, after mass! You may find his email and extension number (1002) on the next bulletin!

SAINTLY WISDOM

Charity begins today. Today somebody is suffering, today somebody is in the street, today somebody is hungry. Our work is for today. Yesterday has gone, tomorrow has not yet come – today, we have only today to make Jesus known, loved, served, fed, clothed, and sheltered.

– St Teresa of Calcutta

10:00 am SUNDAY LITURGY

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

Future Dates to Remember

Thursday, November 2

7:30 pm All Souls Mass

Saturday, November 4

4:00 pm First Reconciliation

Wednesday, November 8

1:30 pm CWL Executive

Saturday, November 11

4:00 pm SVDP

Thursday, November 16

12:30 pm Merrymakers Lunch

November 18/ 19

St. Vincent de Paul Bundle
Weekend

Love your
neighbor
as yourself.
MATTHEW 22:39



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