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THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM

CELEBRATIONS OF

Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM

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

Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:00 pm

Rite of Christian

Initiation of Adults

Please call Fr. Dan Callahan,

ext. 226, for more information.

6:30 to 8:30 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. 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

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

Associate Pastor (ext. 229) frbob@joanofarc.ca

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Daniel Callahan, SA Pastor (ext. 226)

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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 7:30 PM

> 12:00 Noon Choir Antoine Pellerin

Ushers: Call the office



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 7

Jonah 1:1-2:1, 10 Jonah 2 Luke 10:25-37

5:30 pm Deceased Friars

Tuesday, October 8

Jonah 3:1-10 Psalm 130 Luke 10:38-42

5:30 pm Int. of the General Council

Wednesday, October 9

Jonah 4:1-11 Psalm 86 Luke 11:46

5:30 pm Sick of the Parish

Thursday, October 10

Luke 11:5-3

5:30 pm Gabriel Brum+

Friday, October 11

Luke 11:15-26

5:30 pm Velma & Jan Pabian +

Saturday, October 12

Luke 11:27-28

5:30 pm The Parish Community

Sunday, October 13

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

8:30 am Int. of the Friars

10:00 am Stan & Joihn

12:00 pm For the General Council

7:00 pm Frank & Carmela Camilleri+

Comparison for: September

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Offertory	2018	2019
Envelopes	\$ 14,556	\$ 18,657
Loose	\$ 5,618	\$ 5,850
PAG	\$ 7,199	\$ 6,880
Total	\$ 27,373	\$ 31,387

Contributions to Building & Maintenance for :September:\$5,263





The Friar's Nook

Peace and Goodness to all!

Now that it's October, the last gasp of summer seems to be over. The weather has turned more autumnal and people are back to there fall routines. Things at St. Joan of Arc are starting up again as well. Soon, I hope, the construction will be finished, and the front of the church will be restored to its welcoming entrance. Cyndy O'Grady is ready to replace the plants in the new planters out front and restore the beauty of nature around the outside of the church. We're grateful to her and to those who help her for making our church attractive to those who pass by. And who knows, maybe some will even stop in for a prayer or two!

Up in the Friary, we can tell things are getting busy by the noise that's beneath our feet, with groups that are meeting. But it's a joyful noise, the sound of the church in action, and the sound of St. Joan of Arc parishioners taking charge of their stewardship in the parish. It is truly encouraging to see the activity of the many groups here at the church. If you are not yet a member of one of our many groups, please consider joining one. Being a member of a parish group connects you closer to the parish itself and connects you to people of a like mind.

We are presently working on new flyers for all the ministries here at the church You'll find a draft on the bulletin boards and soon there will be individual ministry information sheets for you to pick up and respond to. If there is something that you would like to see that doesn't presently happened here in the parish, seriously consider starting a group for that you might find others who are interested as well.

It looks like the front doors to the church maybe finally getting redone! Ivan Kastelic has been doggedly working on this project for months now and has found a company to do the work. We are grateful for his determination on this project and for all the work he does in the parish. So, who knows, someday soon the front doors may be restored to their original beauty and be easy to open and close!

A reminder that the RCIA starts and that parishioners seeking a greater understanding of their faith can drop in on Wednesday nights. Even if you can't make all the sessions you will learn a lot each week. And if you're unsure about stepping into this group alone bring a friend!

We look forward to the parish community becoming busier and busier and that our parishioners can be fully active in our parish. We'll be looking for you.

Peace, love and joy, Fr. Dan & Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Bishop Bob Kasun, Danuta, Drysdale Lanz

The Deceased: Joan Kirkpatrick, Paul Caputo, Emily Pless, Dorothy Sobie,,

Mark McMullen

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education classes will begin Sunday, October 20 and Wednesday October 23. If you missed the registration weekends, please call the Religious Ed office to enquire. 416 762-1026 ext. 222

The RCIA, Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

will begin this year on Wednesday October 9th at 7:30 in the Parish meeting room. If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic either through adult baptism or entering full communion in the Catholic Church, this will be a meet and greet occasion to outline the process and program. If you are interested in learning more about our faith and would like to accompany those who are in the discernment process of entering our faith community, you are also welcome to attend.

Development and Peace

Will be selling Fair Trade products after the morning masses.

The Children's Liturgy of the Word

Will begin shortly during the 10 am mass each week. This is a opportunity for children in Grades 3,4, 5 and 6 to discern the readings together with the guidance of Catechists, Bill and Sabrina. The children leave the worship space during the Homily to a discussion room of their own and then return to continue the Mass with their families. All are welcome!

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Fr. Dan and Fr. Bob will be in the parking lot at 1:30 PM (today, Sunday) for the annual Blessing of Animals. Bring your pets, large and small. All are welcome.

Baptism Preparation Class

The October class has been moved to Thursday October 24th at 6:30 pm. This change of date is for October only. It will return to the Third Thursday of the month in November.

CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR Mark your calendars!

The CWL Bazaar will take place on Sunday, November 10th, in our parish hall. Starting November 3rd, we will be accepting donations of new/newer items, gently use household items (no clothes, trinkets, jewelry, toys, baked goods (preferably nut free), jams, jellies, preserves, books (no text books) home-made knits and crafts. More information to follow. Hope to see you there!



This Week

Monday October 7

6:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, October 8

12:15 pm Merrymakers Mass & Lunch 7:30 pm Finance Committee

Wednesday, October 9

6:30 pm Religious Ed Family night

7:30 pm RCIA Begins

7:30 pm SVDP

Thursday, October 10

7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep

Future Dates to Remember

Thursday, October 17

6:00 pm Baptism Prep Class

Rosary Apostolate in the Schools

The Rosary Apostolate in the schools is seeking volunteers, (male or female), who have devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact Ann Clough at 416 7693711, or Lorraine Ostafew at 416 766 8929



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