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Pastoral Council Chair

### CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday  
5:30 PM  
Sunday

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

Mass at Loyola Arrupe  
1st Fridays at 10:30 AM  
with Anointing of the Sick

### 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.

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers  
Call the office  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Lordi Borges

Lectors:

Maryanne Chard  
10:00AM Choir

Susan McElcheran  
Rehearsal: Thursday 7:00 PM

12:00 Noon Choir

Chris McConnell

Rehearsal: Sunday 10:30 AM

Ushers:

Ellen Hlebik

### 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.)

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Catholic Women's League

4th Monday, 7:30 PM

Children's Liturgy

10:00 AM Mass

Development & Peace

[www.devop.org](http://www.devop.org)

(3rd Tuesday of the month 7:00 PM)

Meditation Group

Mondays, 7:15 PM

Merry Makers

3rd Tuesday, 12:15 PM

Parish Council

2nd Monday, 7:30 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Society

1st Tuesday, 7:30 PM

Sunday School (ages 3-6)

During 10:00 AM Mass

Stewardship

Six week schedule

To contact a coordinator by e-mail,  
type the name of the ministry,  
organization or activity followed by  
[@joanofarc.ca](mailto:@joanofarc.ca)



MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, September 13**

*1 Corinthians 11.17-26, 33, Psalm 40, Luke 7.1-10*

5:30 pm Mass of Thanksgiving

**Tuesday, September 14**

*Numbers 21.4-9, Psalm 78, John 3.13-17*

5:30 pm Mary Armstrong +

**Wednesday, September 15**

*Hebrews 5.7-9, Psalm 31, Luke 2.33-35*

5:30 pm Intentions of the Parish Community

**Thursday, September 16**

*1 Corinthians 15.1-11, Psalm 118, Luke 7.36-50*

5:30 pm Lisa Feraday-Faociolo +

**Friday, September 17**

*1 Corinthians 15.12-20, Psalm 17, Luke 8.1-3*

5:30 pm Success of Stewardship Weekend

**Saturday, September 18**

*1 Cor. 15.35-37, 42-50, Psalm 56, Luke 8.4-15*

5:30 pm John Shannon

**Sunday, September 19**

*Amos 8.4-7, Psalm 113, 1 Tm. 2.1-7, Luke 16.1-13*

8:30 am Ruby Gallagher +

10:00 am Epefania Vallecer +

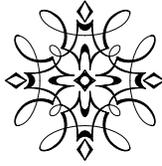
12:00 noon Rosina Foti +

7:00 pm The Parish Community

Monthly Comparison for August

Offertory	2009	2010
Envelopes	\$14,201	\$16,636
Loose	\$5,485	\$5,738
PAG*	\$6,434	\$8,435
Total	\$26,120	\$30,809

\* Pre-Authorized Giving



THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Peace Goodness to all.

Welcome back to all who have been away for the Summer. As you can see the construction on the front steps and piazza has been completed, and hopefully you heard the bells greeting you as you arrived this morning. These bells were made possible by all who donated toward the "Iron Friar Campaign" earlier in the summer and were installed to make a joyful noise to the Lord. Thank you very much to all of you. At Christmas the system will chime carols, and at other times of the year it will be possible to play hymns in the carillon.

Today we also welcome the return of our 10:00 o'clock Choir, and the full cadre of the 12:00 o'clock Choir. Isn't it great to hear these choirs which so richly enhance our community worship. Thanks again to Chris McConnell whose leadership provided for us throughout the summer months. There will be a shift in the music ministries for the evening and 8:30 masses in the coming month. Dan Godin will be moving to the 8:30 am mass and Chris to the 7 pm. This makes it easier for their commuting schedules.

Congratulations to Sr. Isabel Lewis, NDS, a Sister of Sion, as she celebrates her Golden Jubilee, today at our 10:00 o'clock liturgy. Sister Isabel will renew her vows of Chastity, Poverty and Obedience which she professed 50 years ago, in company with several of her sisters in community, and some of her family in attendance. What a marvellous witness and privilege to our faith community this is. We are grateful to God and to Sr. Isabel for the decades of prayer and service to the Church she has given. We recognize also the great Charism of interfaith service which is so graciously given to the three-fold commitment; to the Church, the Jewish People and to the World of peace justice and love, promoting understanding and justice for the Jewish Community. Their witness and service is keeping alive in the Church, the consciousness that in some mysterious way, Christianity is linked to Judaism from its origin to its final destiny. Ad multos annos and May God Bless you richly Sister Isabel.

Sheila Malloch, Cathi Richardson and I met this past Wednesday in our first staff meeting of the season. We are preparing for the Stewardship Weekend that will be held two weeks from today. This will be a great event for the parish. Please browse our hall after every mass you attend on the weekend of September 18, 19 to see what we are all about as a Stewardship Parish and discover what is offered for you. May God Bless us richly through the Stewardship we are called and graced to provide.

Rosanne Kelly will celebrate 25 years of Service to St. Joan of Arc Parish as our Secretary and Administrative Assistant on September 13, 2010. Rosanne serves us all behind the scenes in the office, and has also served as a past president of the CWL, and as a member of many of our organizations including the St. Vincent de Paul Society. You may know her as "Mary" in our Good Friday evening celebration, and is the one person on the parish staff who knows "where the bones are buried".

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The dedication and service that Rosanne contributes to the parish and to me is invaluable. We are deeply grateful to her for her devotion and dedication to the parish, and I personally want to thank her for her love of God and the parish that makes her a true servant of the Lord and of all of us. God Bless you Rosanne, and thank you for your for your dedicated service. Of course, Rosanne comes with her husband John attached whose service has also been an asset to the parish. He continues to serve our St. Vincent de Paul Society as well as making sure our snow is removed in winter. His other services behind the scenes help keep us honest, and as for his sense of humour, watch out, you may find mysterious articles among your latest possessions, or something slightly amiss. We welcome you home on the 13<sup>th</sup> of the month from your holidays with family in England and Ireland. May God Bless you richly Rosanne, and thank you both personally and on behalf of the parish.

We pray for God's blessings on our parish in this new season of Grace as we end the summer and begin the seasons ahead.

May God Bless you with Choicest Blessings of Love and Joy.

*Fr. Dan*

### **Catholic Women's League TODAY! Sunday, September 12**

Welcome Back! Pancakes & Sausages in the parish hall following the morning masses. Please join us we will started to serve after the 8:30 am mass and continue to serve until after the noon mass. Adults \$5.00 Children \$3.00. Hope to see you there!

### **Blood Donor Clinic**

The Catholic Women's League is sponsoring a Blood Donor Clinic in the church hall on Wednesday, September 15th from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. Toronto uses more blood than it collects. Donating blood is one of the best ways to help keep our health system strong. 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.

### **Stewardship Sunday**

Our annual Stewardship Weekend is next weekend. You are invited to come to the parish hall and visit the many tables, with information on the ministries of our parish, and how you can serve our church family. Take a look at the ministry tables, find one that appeals to you, and ask questions of our volunteers to find out how you can help, remember; there is no such thing as a "small job". Every contribution of time and talent is valuable. **Musical?** How about singing in the choir! **Friendly?** Why not greet people as they enter the church. **New to the Parish?** Consider being an usher. **Or have you ever considered being a Lector or Eucharistic Minister, Server?** It's not difficult, doesn't take extra time, it's on your schedule, it required no experience, it's a great way to get to know the parish staff and other parishioners. Why not volunteer? You are already here!

### **THIS WEEK**

#### **Monday, September 13**

7:15 pm Meditation Group  
7:30 pm Parish Council

#### **Wednesday, September 15**

Staff Meeting  
4:30 pm Blood Donor Clinic  
7:30 pm RCIA

#### **Thursday, September 16**

Baptism Preparation  
7:00 pm CWL Executive  
7:00 pm Marriage Prep

#### **Saturday/Sunday Sept. 18/19**

Stewardship Weekend

### **Religious Education**

Classes will be on Tuesday nights this year. If you are signing up your children for sports activities, you might want to keep that in mind.

### **Wills & Estate Planning**

Paul Nazareth, Manager of Planned Giving and Personal Gifts from the Archdiocese Development Office will be with us after all masses on the weekend of September 25 & 26. Paul serves parishioners at all our Churches as a free confidential estate and gift planner and will provide information on the tax benefits from your current parish giving, how to make a Will and questions about Estate Planning. A FREE estate planning kit will be given out after mass to those who are interested. If you have questions about Wills, estates or your gifts to the Church, please call Paul any time at 416.934.3400 ext. 561 or visit [www.archtoronto.org/development](http://www.archtoronto.org/development). All calls are strictly confidential.

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