

# St. Joan of Arc

Proclaiming and Living the Gospel through Stewardship. All are Welcome.

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# Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

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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

# CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 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. 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 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 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Please call Fr. Dan Callahan, ext. 226, for more information.

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& 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

<u>Monday, September 23</u> *Era 1:1-6 Psalm 126 Luke 8:16-18* 5:30 pm All Souls

 Tuesday, September 24

 Ezra 4:4-5; 6-8, 12, 14-20

 Psalm 122
 Luke 8:19-21

 5:30 pm
 Religious Education

 Catechists
 Catechists

Wednesday, September 25 Ezra 9:5-9 Tobit 13 Luke 9:1-6 5:30 pm The Parish Community

<u>Thursday September 26</u>

Revelations 7:9-17 Psalm 124 2 Corinthians 4:7-1 5 John 12:24-26 5:30 pm Wanda and Gaston DaCunha

#### Friday, September 27

Haggai 2:1-9 Psalm 43 Luke 9:18-22 5:30 pm Parish Stewardship

Saturday, September 28

Zechariah 2:1-5,10-11 Jeremiah 31 Luke 9:43-45 5:30 pm Religious Education Catechists

#### Sunday September 29

Amos 6:1, 4-7 Psalm 1461 Timothy 6:11-16 Luke 16:19-318:30 amThe Parish Community10:00 amSilvo Rustja12:00 pmLouise Charon7:00 pmIntentions of the Friars

Comparison for: August

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Offertory	2018	2019
Envelopes	\$ 10,983	\$ 11,234
Loose	\$ 3,821	\$ 4,284
PAG	\$ 6,960	\$ 7,285
Total	\$ 21,764	\$ 22,803

Contributions to Building & Maintenance Fund for: August \$3,958.



# The Friar's Nook Peace and Goodness to all!

Progress is being made in our renovations, the tower is completed, the walls and window sills are in place and now the planters are being completed. Thank you to all who are contributing to the Iron Friar campaign to assist in these efforts Thank you to the Building committee, the Finance committee and all who have been so generous with their time and talents to see these projects through. Cyndy O'Grady will be very happy to be able to restore the plantings that so beautify our Church. Little by little it is coming about.

The registrations for religious education continue today after the morning masses, and we are now gearing up to begin the Adult education programs. RCIA,(the rite of Christian initiation for adults) will begin with a meet and greet on Wednesday, October 9 at 7:30 PM in the parish meeting room. If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic either through adult baptism or through entering full communion in the Catholic Church, this is the program for you. If you are interested in learning more about our faith and walking with those in the conversion process of RCIA, you are also welcome to come and participate in these scripture based sessions.

The Ministries Committee is continuing the process to refresh approaches to our Stewardship Mission: Living and Proclaiming the Gospel and welcoming all. The meeting on Tuesday October 8 at 7:30 will gather those who are interested to implement the developing plans to do this well. In this our 100th year, we will gather to refresh the parish commitment to Stewardship and vision new ways to develop our current and future goals and objectives as a Stewardship parish. Please be attentive to the invitations that will be forthcoming to involve all in the life and vitality of the parish.

The Ecumenical Season of Creation Celebration on Saturday September 28th at 7:30 in the Church will provide a wonderful evening of prayer, a Taize style chant led by our 10:00 clock choir and will feature First Nation enhancements that will certainly be beautiful and uplifting to all who attend. As Friars of the Atonement we are dedicated to realizing the At-one-ment of all people with God and one another. This is an opportunity to gather in the unity of our diversity to give Glory to God. We hope you will be there.

The first Merrymaker's mass and luncheon will be on Tuesday October 8, it will be good to gather our seniors for this monthly celebration. Our seniors are treasured members of the community whose prayerful life and witness give us inspiration and hope. Please see the bulletin to call in and make your reservations for this luncheon.

As we continue to step into the full life and activities of our parish it is a joy to serve you in all that we are and do for the Lord. Thank you all for your dedication and faithful participation in the Stewardship of our Parish. May God shower you with choicest blessings.

In the Love and Joy of Christ Jesus, The friars.

Fr. Dan and Fr. Bob

Please Pray for:

The Sick: Bishop Bob Kasun The Deceased: Lucy ten Kortenaar

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION:**

Religious Education Registrations for this year's program will take place this Sunday the Parish Hall after the 8:30, 10:00 and Noon Masses Please bring a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate.

All are invited to St. Joan of Arc's Ecumenical Season of Creation Celebration on Saturday September 28, 7:30 - 9:30pm. Come pray, learn and gather as a Christian community for an evening of Taize prayer, Indigenous teaching (by Native Peoples' Mission) and fellowship to reflect on the web of life and the part we play in it together. Invite your family and friends!

**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 coffee and other products after next week's morning Masses.

**Inviting all Seniors** to come out and enjoy our first Merrymakers Mass and Lunch on Tuesday October 8. Please call the office to register. Take note that this year, the Merrymakers Mass and Luncheon will take place on the SECOND Tuesday of each month. We look forward to celebrating with you at this important ministry for the Seniors in our Community.

**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!

**The Office of Admissions of St. Michael's College School** is now considering applications for September 2020. St Michael's College School is Ontario's only independent catholic school for young men grade 7 to grade 12. Open houses for prospective students and their families will be held on Thursday October 17 and Tuesday October 22 from 7:30 to 9:30 pm. We invite you to register at ApplySMCS.com. Location: St Michael's College School, 1515 Bathurst Street (at St Clair)

A St. Joan of Arc family is looking for a support worker to support their adult daughter, who is intellectually disabled, in semi-independent living in the family home. The support required is occasional and intermittent. We have a private suite in the home to rent to the support worker. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

#### This Week Monday September 23 7:00 pm CWL

Tuesday, September 24 7:30 pm Building Committee

Wednesday, September 25 7:00 pm Creation Care

Saturday September 28 7:30 Taize Prayer Service

# **Future Dates to Remember**

Monday September 30 6:30 pm FIRST Youth Group

<u>Thursday, October 3</u> 7:00 pm CFS Marriage Prep Course

<u>Tuesday, October 8</u> Merrymakers Mass and Luncheon

Wednesday, October 9 7;30 RCIA



