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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.

### **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, November 18

1 Maccabees 1:10-15,41-43 54-57,62-64 Psalm 119 Luke 18:35-43 5:30 pm Deceased Friars

#### Tuesday, November 19

2 Maccabees 6:18-31 Psalm 3 Luke 19:1-10 5:30 pm Msgr. Bill Gallagher +

### Wednesday, November 20

2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31 Psalm 17
Luke 19:11-28
5:30 pm The Sick of the Parish

### Thursday, November 21

1 Maccabees 2:15-29 Psalm 50 Luke 19:41-44 5:30 pm Norman Bedard+

### Friday, November 22

1 Maccabees 4:36-37,52-591 Chronicles 29 Luke 19: 45-485:30 pm Int. of the Parish Staff

#### Saturday, November 23

1 Maccabees 6:1-13 Psalm 9 Luke 20:27-40 5:30 pm Pierre Goyette+

#### Sunday, November 24

2 Samuel 5:1-3 Psalm 122 Colossians 1:12-20 Luke 23:35-43 8:30 am Hadrian & Marjorie Perreira + 10:00 am Alisha Guiritan + 12:00 pm The Parish Community 7:00 pm Deceased Friars

#### Monthly Comparison for: October

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Offertory	2018	2019
Envelopes	\$ 15,152	\$ 12,042
Loose	\$ 4,498	\$ 4,156
PAG	\$ 7,102	\$ 6,657
Total	\$ 26,752	\$ 22,855

Contributions to Building & Maintenance for October: \$3,667.00.





## The Friar's Nook

Peace and Goodness to all!

As we come to the final weeks of Ordinary Time the Sunday readings focus on end times and apocalyptic themes. The early winter weather this week played into this theme pointing to what is to come. Our faith brings us through the winter with the new life of Christmas, knowing that there is always new life to come in Spring. The Advent season disposes to pray in hopeful anticipation of the new life that is born to us in Jesus. This theme anticipates the fuller appreciation of life after death that we celebrate trough Lent to Easter. Our RCIA participants will learn about the liturgical year's cycles of life in this coming week as we examine the Liturgical calendar. You are welcome to attend this session which meets every Wednesday at 7:30 in the meeting room.

Fr. Bob and I were attending General Council meetings last week, and then Fr. Bob took a few days off for vacation. I had intended to be here all week, but was called to do Bro. Pascal Steen's funeral at Graymoor. Pascal was 96 years old and a dear friend of mine from my years in Saranac Lake NY. While at Graymoor, I was called to do the funeral of my dear Friend Msgr.. Bill Gallagher, a priest from the diocese of Buffalo who has been a life long friend, a great mentor and pastoral presence in my life. Between funerals I flew overnight to Washington to be with my sister who received a Congressional award for her work with foster care and adopted children in the state of Florida. What a whirl wind.

The General Council meetings discussed some important matters for the coming year, which Fr. Bob and I will talk about at this week's masses. While we were away, the Ministries Committee gathered to discuss the plans to rejuvenate our parish dedication to Stewardship. I want to thank Les Muniak, and Cathi Richardson for the initiatives that are going forward. We are deeply gifted as a parish and it is inspiring to see so many of you coming forward to support our efforts in time talent and treasure.

It is a joy and privilege to serve as your pastors, In the love and Joy of Christ Jesus.

Fr. Dan, Fr. Bob, The Friars

### Please Pray for:

The Sick: Drysdale Lanz

The Deceased: Michael Gallagher Merlilta Santua

### **Wedding Banns**

Second Publication

Linda Tomas & Paulo Barbosa

### PASTORAL VISITORS MINISTRY

Is your loved one homebound, sick, or in hospital? Do you know a St. Joan of Arc parishioner who is unable to come to mass and receive communion? St. Joan of Arc has a ministry of lay pastoral visitors who serve out parish by visiting the homebound and sick. We bring the Church to them, offering communion and serving as a reminder that the love and mercy of Christ and our parish extend well beyond our four walls. Please contact the parish office or Fr. Bob to arrange for a visit from a Lay Pastoral Visitors

### SHEPHERD'S TRUST COLLECTION IS TODAY.

As parishioners, we have reaped the benefits of our priests' selfless service. In the Archdiocese of Toronto, our priests lovingly act as "bridges of mercy," bringing the beautiful gift of Christ's love to our families and communities. The Shepherds' Trust appeal offers us the opportunity to recognize that service in a tangible way.

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

Annual Christmas Bazaar – Sincere thanks to everyone who made our Bazaar on November 10th a wonderful event – parish staff, parishioners, volunteers, donors, and sponsors! We couldn't have done it without you!!! We had a great response from everyone involved, and the event was a success! Thanks to you, the proceeds from our Bazaar will benefit our church and several other local charities. The ladies of the CWL are very grateful for your support! Thank you so much!

### **DEVELOPMENT & PEACE**

- 1) Next week-end Fair Trade coffee and other products will be sold after all the Masses.
- 2) Did you know that climate change and the ecological threat to the environment posed by Amazon deforestation is similar to threats faced by Canada's North as Arctic ice disappears? Please sign D &P's solidarity letter regarding the Amazon on November 23-24 in the parish hall.

### **SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL**

Bundle Weekend -The truck is in our parking lot to accept your gently used items all weekend. Please no construction material, no books, furniture or video cassettes. Thank you for your continued support



## This Week

### Monday, November 17

6:00 pm Youth Group 7:00 pm D & P

### Tuesday, November 19

7:30 pm Finance & Building Committees

### Wednesday, November 20

4:15 pm Religious Education 7:30 pm RCIA

### Thursday, November 21

6:30 pm Baptism Prep Class

### Saturday, November 23

St. Nicholas Day Set Up

### Sunday, November 24

Religious Education St. Nicholas Day Fair Trade Sale

#### **Future Dates to Remember**

### Monday, November 25

6:00 pm Youth Group 7:00 pm CWL General Meeting

### Wednesday, November 26

4:15 pm Religious Education 7:30 pm RCIA

#### Saturday, December 7

10;00 am Parish Retreat



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