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## Served by the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement

### CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday - Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday

10:00 AM

### 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

### PARISH STAFF

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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

### 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

### 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.dev.org](http://www.dev.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, May 23***Acts 16:11-15 Psalm 149:1-6, 9**John 15:26; 16:4*

Holiday Monday No Mass

**Tuesday, May 24***Acts 16:22-34 Psalm 138:1-3, 7-8**John 16: 5-11*

5:30 pm Helen Steele +

**Wednesday, May 25***Acts 17:15,22;18:1 Psalm 148:1-**2,11-14 John 16: 12-15*

5:30 pm Eugene Sziraky +

**Thursday, May 26***Acts 18:1-8 Psalm 98:1-4**John 16:16-20*

5:30 pm Karen Agnew +

**Friday, May 27***Acts 18:9-18 Psalm 47:1-6**John 16: 20-23*

5:30 pm Deceased Friars

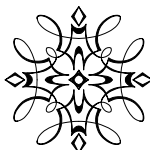
**Saturday, May 28***Acts 18:23-28 Psalm 47:1-2,7-9**John 16: 23-28*

5:30 pm Juliette Maling +

**Sunday, May 29***Acts: 1:1-11 Psalm 47:1-2,5-8**Ephesians 1:17-23 Luke 24:46-53*

10:00 am The Parish Community

6<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
of  
Easter

*The Friar's Nook*

After a few days of Summer, Spring is finally here! And with spring new life. We have been working on returning life to the parish after a long pandemic hiatus and we're starting to slowly move in a positive direction. Our money counters, "The Golden Girls" are back at their ministry and it's nice to have life in the building again. We will be starting up our Sunday coffee after the 10:00 o'clock mass on May 29th hosted by the Creation Care Ministry, so it'll be nice to have people back in the hall. If you have been holding out on returning to church until there was coffee, now is the time!

For those of you who are coming to church you'll notice some changes since you last left. We now have touchless holy water dispensers for your safety. Although they are labeled as holy water it tickles me that some people still think it's sanitizer and rub it all over their hands. I'm not sure what it will do against diseases, but I guess you'll have holy hands. There are now new pamphlet racks on the walls at the entrance to the church and chapel. I am currently working on ministry pamphlets to fill those racks with so that as people are leaving the church, they can pick up a pamphlet on ministries they may be interested in.

We need your help in going from surviving COVID to thriving. Even though some of the ministries have not started back up yet, we would like to know what we have in place regarding volunteers so that we can get them back up and running. If you're not already involved, think and pray about what you are capable of, willing to, and called to do.

As for the raffle to cut my long beard off, so far there are no takers. I don't know if it's because you like me with a long beard, you don't care, or you don't want to commit one way or the other. Either way, this beard will be coming off on Pentecost. The fire of the Holy Spirit won't be burning it off but I'm not going through another summer with a hot sweaty neck. If I have to cut it off myself, I will. You might not want to trust me with a pair of scissors. The building committee can attest to this, I borrowed a Sawzall from one of them and removed a wall, install the door, and now there is a large storage closet in Rosanne's office. There's also a religious Ed storage space off of the board room. I'm doing my best to reclaim any space that we can find and store things appropriately so that we can find everything when we're looking for them and that all of our rooms look tidy and are ready for use. Now all I need is for you to come and use them!

I have also fixed the doors to the church so that they remain open when we open them all the way without the need of doorstops. They were designed this way but haven't been working as such for a long time. I did what I'm used to doing, took the door closer apart, found out the problem, and then worked out a solution. I just like having things work the way they were supposed to work. I've also been putting motion sensors on several lights that are routinely left on, so I don't have to chase people around like my father and say: "Turn off those lights!"

I'm encouraged by the people who have reached out to me and talked about the future in our parish. It tells me that I'm not alone and thinking about this as well as planning for it. You are good people and I'd like Toronto and the archdiocese to see that.

*Keep up the faith, Fr. Bob*

**Please pray for:**

**The sick:** Of the parish

**The Deceased:** Of the parish

**Living the Gospel through ShareLife**

Our parishioners' support of ShareLife is making a difference in the lives of those in need. Thus, far we have raised \$21,200.00 toward our goal of \$62,000. Please make your donation via the parish website, at [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org), or during the ShareLife Sunday special collection on June 5, 2022. Donations are accepted every week. Thank you for supporting ShareLife!

**Celebrate Laudato Si' Week May 22 - 29 and St. Joan of Arc Day**

Next Sunday May 29th Creation Care Ministry and Development and Peace will host the first parish coffee ministry after the 10:00 mass to celebrate St. Joan of Arc Day and Laudato Si' Week. Masks optional but highly recommended until sitting to eat and visit. All are welcome! Laudato Si' Week invites Catholics around the world to care for our common home. Visit [www.laudatosiweek.org](http://www.laudatosiweek.org) to find the program and online events. Visit Creation Care Ministry's website [www.bit.ly/sjaccm](http://www.bit.ly/sjaccm) for suggested actions to take during or after Laudato Si' Week, including a petition to protect biodiversity.

**Office of Formation for Discipleship**

Parish Vitality Webinar Series II. Once again, the Office of Formation for Discipleship created a Parish Vitality Webinar Series which features engaging speakers and practical topics designed to help increase parish vitality. To learn more, please visit the Parish Vitality webpage. Registration is now open! Contact: Quentin Schesnuik, Associate Director, Parish Vitality & Stewardship at [quentins@archtoronto.org](mailto:quentins@archtoronto.org) or 416-934-3400, ext. 568.

**Catholics Come Home:** Parish Vitality Webinar Series II

June 15, 2022 : 10 - 11:30 a.m. Those who have been away from the Church may be feeling a tug in the heart from our Heavenly Father calling them back home. We want them back. We have missed them, and our Church is not the same without them. From over 20 years of insights in outreach, Catholics Come Home, an independent, non-profit Catholic apostolate, will discuss trends facing the church, share insights into reaching out to families in particular, and talk about how compassionate messaging can help bring Catholics home. As pandemic restrictions wind down, now is the time to come home!

Presenters: Dr. Ryan Hanning, PhD, Catholics Come Home, Professor of Theology and Catholic Studies, University of Mary Instructor, Franciscan University of Steubenville's Catechetical Institute.



**10:00 am Sunday Liturgy**

Is live streamed on our St. Joan of Arc Facebook page.

**Bible Study**

Wednesday afternoons with Fr. Bob at 2 pm on our St. Joan of Arc Facebook page. (When Fr. Bob is in town.)

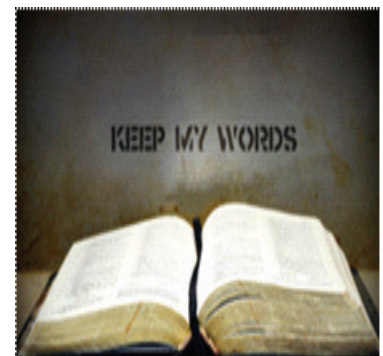
**THANK YOU!**

We had successful Bundle Weekend last weekend, thanks to the generosity of our wonderful parishioners. When we went to close the truck Sunday evening, the bags and boxes of donations were out to the edge of the truck. Thank you for all you do to support our Conference and the Society!

**ENVELOPE USERS!**

Please print your names on each of your offertory envelopes. At the present time we are unable to record donations with numbers only. We are having problems with the computer program. I am hoping that I can record the envelopes I have not been able to, once I can put numbers to names.

If you would like a box and never had one, just leave a message for me in the office and One will be left in the hall for you. We are using 2021 envelopes to save money, because so few were collected in 2021.





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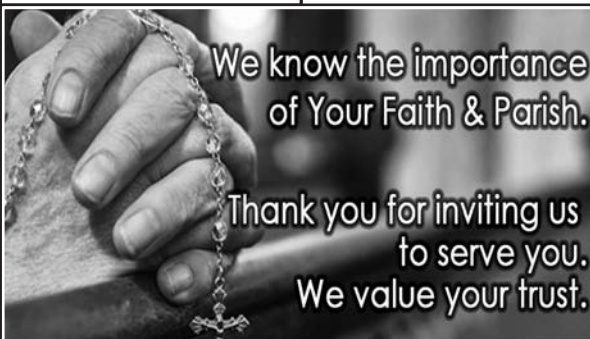
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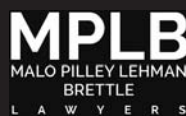


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