



"The Lord will say to you,
'I do not know where you are from.'"
Luke 13:25

August 22nd, 2010

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings for Next Sunday

1st Reading: Sirach 3.17-20, 28-29
2^d Reading: Hebrews 12.18-19, 22-24a
Gospel: Luke 14.1, 7-14

Ministries for Next Weeks Liturgy

Readers
5 pm Lynn Stafford, John Gorman
10 am Sylvia & Ed Vanhaverbeke



Eucharistic Ministers:

5 pm Barb Maziarczyk, Steve Crittenden,
Violet Landry
10 am Terry Perkins, Kathy Mercz,
Lorraine Lamb



Ushers:

5 pm Marilyn Jumalon, John Bouwmeester
10 am Dennie Radcliffe, Carl Good



Altar Servers:

5 pm Jessica & Julia Hart, Alyssa Lucyk
10 am Skylar Spratley, Amanda & Katrina Kraemer,
Madeleine Daley



Children's Liturgy:

There is no Children's Liturgy of the Word during the summer.



Church Cleaners:

August 23-31
Joyce Kufra & Carl Good



Please Pray for our Sick

If you would like our parish to pray for a sick relative or friend please call the parish office at (905) 987-5446 and we will be happy to include their names in our Sunday Eucharist.

Financial Information

August 14/15
Sunday Offertory \$1,583.50
Mortgage Reduction Fund \$1,147.00



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Parish Web Site:

www.sfarcc.org

Mass Schedule & Intentions

August 23rd -29th

Monday, August 23	9:00 am	
Tuesday, August 24	9:00 am	
Wednesday, August 25	9:00 am	
Thursday, August 26	NO MASS	
Friday, August 27	8:00	
Saturday, August 28	5:00 pm	Mass for the People
Sunday, August 29	10:00 am	Deceased Members of the Scotts, requested by The Scott Family

Summer Eucharist Schedule

July 4th – September 5th (inclusive)

Mass Times: Saturday, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 10:00 am



Our regular schedule returns Sept 11/12 weekend.

From the Pastor Desk

RCIA

Please be advised that the RCIA, (which stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) starts up again in the fall. The RCIA is an extensive journey for people who are seeking to enter the Catholic Church or to simply find out if this is what God might be calling them to. People who seek to enter the Catholic Church typically fall into two categories, Catechumens or Candidates. Catechumens are people who have never been baptized. Candidates are people who have been validly baptized in another Christian faith. Baptized Catholics who haven't celebrated Confirmation of First Communion are also invited. The journey which meets weekly, initially, on Tuesday evenings focuses on the meaning of the weekly readings, the various Catholic practices and the basic truths of our faith. The RCIA is open to all persons regardless of religious affiliation or non-affiliation, who have a sincere interest in discerning a call to become a Catholic Christian. Members of the parish can also join as sponsors for individual inquirers. They can also be team members who help out with the presentations or behind the scenes. Those who elect to complete the process celebrate the sacraments of initiation and formally enter the church, usually at the Easter Vigil, the most important liturgy in the whole church year. For more information please get in touch with Fr. Peter (987-5446) or call this year's Co-ordinator, Claudia Young (905-987-3439).



Wedding Information

- You must be a member of the parish community.
- 6-month notice must be given to the Parish Pastor before setting the date
- A Marriage Preparation course must be taken prior to the wedding date.



Baptism Information

- 2-months notice is required
- Speak to the Pastor following mass to receive information regarding Baptism
- One Godparent must be Roman Catholic
- A Baptismal Preparation Course is required
- Baptisms are celebrated during Sunday Liturgy



Thought for the Week – Holy Quotable

"The Lord walks among the pots and pans." St. Teresa of Avila

Biblical Haikus

God saw it was good
We notice the good in things
God puts the good in there.

Fr. Peter Seabrooke

Bible Study Opportunity

Beginning in late September, Regis College will offer a six session course – Word Beyond Image and Text: *Sensus Plenior* in the Contemplation of Scripture – introducing the St. John's Bible and important themes in spirituality, theology and biblical studies. The course will be offered at both Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre in Pickering and Regis College on the St. George Campus of the University of Toronto. Join thousands of people in the greater Toronto area who are renewing their reverence for the Word of God through an encounter with a rare, art quality, full sized facsimile of the St. John's Bible, the first complete Bible to be scribed and illuminated by hand in over 500 years. For more information please email inquiries@regiscollege.ca.

Weekly Offering Option

Are you aware that we offer the service of using automatic withdrawal for your parish weekly offering? With this electronic support, you decide what a fair and constant contribution is for you, and set that up with our Parish Secretary. We currently have approximately 20 users. This means fewer envelopes to open, enter and deposit weekly. A tremendous time-saver! Thank you for your support in keeping our parish strong and vital.



Mark Your Calendars – Farmer's Forum

Here we go again! St. Francis Parish is proudly presenting our 2nd Annual Farmer's Forum & Feast event to celebrate our farmers. **One Night ONLY!**



When: October 2nd, 2010
Where: St. Francis Parish Hall
Price: \$25.00
Theme: Jeans, Cowboy Hats, etc.

Tickets are available by calling the 905 987 5446 (T/W/T) 9-3:00.

Marriage Preparation Course

St. Therese Parish in Courtice will hold their next Marriage Preparation Course on Friday September 17th from 6:00pm to 10:00 pm and Saturday September 18th from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm. The cost is \$150.00 and includes lunch on Saturday and all materials. Space is limited in the course and registration will be on a first come first serve basis. Please call Bernadette at 905-436-2126 to begin the registration process or for more information.



Motorcoach Trip (Shrine of Cap-de-la Madeline)

Join us Sept 13-15, 2010! We will visit Old Montreal-Basilica of Notre Dame and Old City for lunch then onto Shrine of Cap-de-la-Madeline & St. Joseph's Shrine of Blessed Brother Andre. Three day trip -two night stay at Cap-de-la-Madeline Shrine. Contact the parish office for more info 905 885 6793.

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