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WEEKDAY LITURGY: Monday to Friday, 9 am
SATURDAY: 9 am
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 9 am
RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 4 pm
SUNDAY LITURGY
Saturday Vigil: 5 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10 am, 12 noon

MINISTRY CENTRE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 9 am to 4:30 pm
Friday: 9 am to 3 pm
Closed 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Saturday: 2 pm - 6:30 pm
Sunday: 9 am - 1:30 pm

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**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

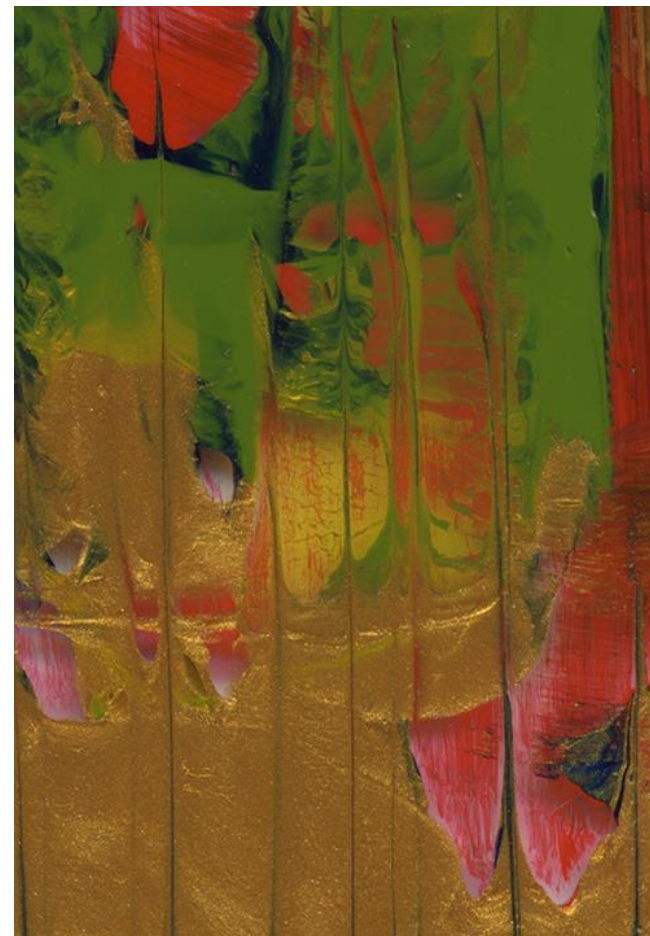


IMAGE: INTO THIS LIVING ©JAN L. RICHARDSON

**"NOW HE IS GOD NOT OF THE DEAD, BUT OF
THE LIVING; FOR TO HIM ALL OF THEM
ARE ALIVE."
~LUKE 20.38**

**JESUS HIMSELF IS THE BASIS FOR OUR OWN
RESURRECTION. HE LIVED A HUMAN LIFE LIKE
EACH OF US AND, JUST AS WE WILL, HE DIED.
BUT HE ROSE FROM THE DEAD THREE DAYS
LATER. THIS IS THE CENTRAL MYSTERY WE
CELEBRATE IN THE EUCHARIST, AND OUR
HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.**

JOHN L. McLAUGHLIN, TORONTO, ON.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Nov. 7 9:00 am †Teresita Guiritan
Tues. Nov. 8 9:00 am †Gretchen Buñag
Wed. Nov. 9 9:00 am †Esther & Michael Gordon
Thurs. Nov.10 9:00 am †Jean Edgehill
Fri. Nov.11 9:00 am †Adrian Catenacci
Sat. Nov.12 9:00 am Special Intentions
Brothers, Sisters and
Benefactors of OFM
†Nancy Sidle
†Ana Fernandez
†Dave Coffman
†Mr. & Mrs. L. Rodrigues
†Veronica Slama
†Mr. & Mrs. Lee
†Bridget McLarnon
†James Leppard
Sat. Nov. 12 5:00 pm †Mollie & Johnny Johnston
Sun. Nov. 13 8:30 am †Hugh Canning
(father and son)
10:00 am †Hans Wontorra
12:00 pm Parishioners

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Sanctuary Lamp: Andrew Family

Vigil Lamp: Elena Pappalardo

For the Sick: Eileen Velazquez, Kay Corner,
Elena Pappalardo, Peter
Holloway, Martin Young,
George Joel & Geraldine Daly

For the Deceased: †Diane Kapel

Remembering Our Loved Ones

This November 5th and 6th weekend, we will
remember especially our parishioners who died
during the past year. Family members have been
contacted and asked to bring a lit candle forward
during the litany of names. *Family members are
asked to make yourself known to one of the
ushers when you arrive at Mass.*

As is the tradition, a *"Book of the Deceased"* will
be placed in the church by the baptismal font.
Here one may enter the name(s) of non-
parishioners who have died during the year to be
remembered in prayer.

Happy are those who have died in the Lord. Let
them rest from their labours, for their good
deeds go with them. ~Revelation 14.13



Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full
Psalm 17

Join our Parish: Pick-up a registration form at the
church, Ministry Centre or download online.

Prayer Network: Members pray daily for intentions
held in confidence. Contact Lois Theriault at
416-447-7466

Private Prayer: Contact Friar Boniface at
416-447-5571 ext. 500

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, November 7

6:30 pm Sparks/Bonaventure Room
6:30 pm Brownies/Francis Room
7:00 pm Sacramental Preparation: First
Reconciliation/Group A- Second
Session/Main Hall
7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice/Church

Tuesday, November 8

9:30 am Spiritual Growth in the Second Half
of Life/ Francis Room
7:00 pm Sacramental Preparation: First
Reconciliation/Group B- Second
Session/Main Hall

7:00 pm Bible Study Group/Bonaventure Room

Wednesday, November 9

1:00 pm Ministry with Maturing Adults-
'The Power of Forgiveness' /
Bonaventure Room

6:30 pm GRASP Group/Oak Room
7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room
7:30 pm Family Choir Practice/Church

Saturday, November 12

9:30 am Christian Meditation/Oak Room
9:30 am Al Anon Group/Bonaventure Room
1:00 pm Sacramental Preparation: First
Reconciliation/ Group C- Second
Session/Main Hall

Upcoming Youth Events at the Parish!

Friday, November 25th, 2016- Christmas Movie
Night and Pizza (6:00pm-9:00)- Movie: TBD

Saturday, December 10th, 2016- Baking for The
Homeless (1:00pm-5:00pm)-More details to come

Friday, December 16th, 2016-Christmas Party
(5:00pm-9:00pm)- More details to come

RSVP to *Peter Dosman* our Youth Animator at the
parish if you are interested in coming to any or all
of these events at pdosman@st-bonaventure.ca we
are looking ideally for three different age ranges of
youth: Group 1: Grades 6, 7, and 8, Group 2:
Grades 9-12, Group 3: University and early 20's**

Mark these dates on your calendars! Any other
questions email Peter or come in person at the
Parish Centre.

STEWARDSHIP - A WAY OF LIVING

October 30 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection: \$7,831.15

World Mission Sunday: \$290.00

St. Clare Inn Offering: \$485.00

Donate Now: \$328 Pre-Authorized Giving: \$2,906

Second Collection for the Shepherds' Trust

There will be a second collection **November 12th & 13th weekend** for our priests who have been an integral part of our spiritual lives, from birth through death. We can show them our appreciation by caring for them in their latter years the way they have always cared for us.

COMMUNITY LIFE

News from the St. Vincent de Paul Society

How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. ~1 John 3:17-18 (NRSV)

Prayers are requested for those that we minister who is having difficult family situations, including abuse; problems with their health like heart disease and schizophrenia; and especially for those that struggle with poverty.

Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre

The deadline for this month casseroles is **Sunday, November 27, 2016**. If you can spare a few hours, contact Eva Trace, 416.447.3040. We provide the pan and recipe; you make the casserole according to your schedule. For the month of October, we contributed 63 casseroles. Thank you volunteers!

CWL Christmas Gift Bags for The Ladies at The Good Shepherd Centre

Each Christmas the CWL provides Christmas bags for the Ladies of the Good Shepherd Centre. We count on your kindness and generosity to donate items, lists of which are available on flyers at the back of the church. Put all items in a grocery bag and leave them at the back of the church between **November 5th and 27th**. Thank you for your generosity.

Canadian Food for Children

November 5 and 6, 2016 weekend

We will be accepting donations of **canned tomato paste** to support the work of Dr. Simone.

Secular Franciscan Meeting

There will be a Secular Franciscan meeting **Monday, November 21st at 6:30 pm, Francis Rm.**

Ministry with Maturing Adults

Wednesdays, Oct. 19th to Nov. 23rd,

1:00 to 2:30 pm at Bonaventure Room

Ginny Doty, an experienced facilitator and addiction counsellor is presenting a six-week programme on 'The Power of Forgiveness'. The Programme will deepen our understanding of forgiveness by engaging in guided conversations and reflections. Enrollment is limited. Call Ginny at 416-447-5571 Ext. 560 or email Maureen at maureen@st-bonaventure.ca to register.

Spiritual Growth in the Second Half of Life

Tuesdays, 10 am, November 8 & 15 and

December 6 & 13 at Francis Room. This series

will be hosted by Maureen McDonnell, D.Min., Maturing Adults Minister. Brochures are at the back of the church. To register call 416-447-5571 Ext. 550 or email at maureen@st-bonaventure.ca



November 6 to 12, 2016 is National Vocation Awareness Week. Let us celebrate all who have given their lives in service to the Church by renewing our own baptismal commitment to serve the Lord. Please consider your call to serve God in your particular vocation. Hopefully some of you will hear a call to priesthood, diaconate or religious life and will be open to that possibility. If you would like to talk about discerning a vocation, please contact one of the Friars.

Prayer for Vocations

**Loving God, during this Year of Mercy
You call us through our baptism in the Spirit
to continue the mission of your beloved Son,
Jesus.**

**Open us to listen attentively for your invitation.
Empower us to respond to your call.
Inspire men and women to follow the path of
service.**

**Together may we build up the Church to be a
vibrant sign of your presence in our world.
We offer this prayer in the name of your Son,
Jesus, through the power of the Holy Spirit.
Amen**

St. Bonaventure's Pastoral Council



Leadership: Imagine a parish where the members are on fire with the Word and mission. Here the members are eager and willing to assume the mantle of leadership, be it to serve as catechists, committee leaders, liturgical ministers, or members of the Pastoral Council. Individuals see this as an opportunity of **service rather than prestige**. Like Jesus, they come forward to serve and not to be served.

We are all busy people. But there's a saying that holds a lot of wisdom: "If you want something done, ask a busy person." Every day we make decisions based on our priorities. A vibrant parish needs wisdom, direction, and leadership abilities of its members. Often those who have the most to offer that could really be beneficial to the community, do not come forward. But imagine a parish where leadership is seen within the collaborative model. Leaders would be willing to look not at just a small portion of parish life, but the broader picture. Then they would use all of their abilities and talents to help the parish meet the concrete needs it faces.

This is the last in a series of articles that have articulated the scope of the Pastoral Council. These are the areas we pray over, discuss, and hopefully plot out a vision of a realistic growth for St. Bonaventure's. ~ Friar David Stachurski

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