

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 16, 2011

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ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Vision of the Gospels

October 19, 7:30 pm, Francis Room
Father Michael Himes gives us a fresh, new perception of the Gospels and the way they relate to our lives today. Join us on Wednesday evenings for this five-week series with refreshments and lively discussion. Register with Bob/Carol Adams, 416.385.9763, caadams@msi.net.

Reflect on the Existence of God

Thursday evenings, starts November 3
Join Friar Canice for this new series which will provide an opportunity for lively discussion. Contact caniceofmc@aol.com if you have questions and to register. Please register by October 30.

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

First Communion Preparation

Tuesday, 7:00 pm
All youth preparing to receive this sacrament need to attend.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Thanks to all for reaching out to feed the hungry. Special thanks to Eva and Bill Trace for the *many* hours they spent packing the food. The response to our food drive was lower than usual despite the fact that there is a growing need particularly in light of the current economic conditions.

Casseroles for the Hungry

Casseroles are due by October 23. Contact Eva Trace, 416.447.3040 if you can help.

October 9 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations of \$11,845 to support our parish.

October 23 Second Collection

World Mission Sunday
Donations will support the church's mission efforts.

COMMUNITY LIFE

CWL News & Events

Annual Flea Market, Saturday, October 22, 9:30 am-1:30 pm
Great bargains! Proceeds benefit our church and charities. Sign up at the back of church. Visit our website to find out how to help. The donation drop off begins October 20; October 21 for homemade goods. Contact: Tracy MacInnis, 416.751.2435

Agape Medical Missions

Saturday, October 29, 6 pm
Agape, a Christian Medical missionary organization, provides spiritual and health care to isolated areas in Russia the Arctic and Siberia. Join them for dinner and to hear about this exciting ministry. There is no cost; there will be a free-will offering. Contact Bill or Linda, lindaetzkorn@rogers.com 416.510.0264 for tickets.

Financial Report for Six Months Ended June 30, 2011

The following are the financial results for the parish for the first six months of 2011, with comparative figures for the same time period in 2010. In comparison with last year, overall operating expenses are down. Weekly collections are also lower than last year. Despite the reduction in expenses, there is an overall net loss for the period.

		Six Months Ended	
		June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010
Revenue			
Regular Weekly Collections		\$ 335,153	\$ 345,998
Miscellaneous Income (includes advertising income)		14,989	21,459
Total Revenue		<u>\$ 350,142</u>	<u>\$ 367,457</u>
Expenses			
Administration	Salaries & Benefits	\$ 224,781	\$ 221,123
	Office expenses, telephone, supplies, printing & postage	12,376	25,464
Liturgical	Music, altar supplies, books	31,484	28,144
Pastoral	Youth Ministry, Adult education, Hospital Chaplaincy, PSM	7,895	8,017
Maintenance & Utilities	Light, heat, landscaping, snow removal, property insurance, maintenance supplies	49,579	55,512
Other	Diocesan Assessment	52,783	53,966
Capital Expenses	New Server, New computer	<u>5,066</u>	<u>976</u>
Operating Expenses		<u>\$ 383,964</u>	<u>\$ 393,202</u>
Less: Subsidy from Campaign for Youth Ministry		<u>(20,000)</u>	<u>(20,000)</u>
Total Operating Expenses		<u>\$ 363,964</u>	<u>\$ 373,202</u>
Net Loss		\$ (13,822)	\$ (5,745)

LITURGY		THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH		COMMUNITY LIFE	
9:00 am	Helen Reingold	Monday October 17	6:00 pm 6:15 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Sparks/Francis Room Brownies/ Bonaventure Room Youth Leadership/Ministry Centre Secular Franciscans/Francis Room	
9:00 am	† Bette Guenter	Tuesday October 18	9:30 am 7:00 pm 7:30 pm 7:30 pm	Theology & Tea/Francis Room First Communion Preparation/Main Hall Small Faith Sharing/Bonaventure Room Liturgical Planning Meeting/Ministry Centre	
9:00 am	† Friars, Sisters & Benefactors of the Order	Wednesday October 19	7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm 8:00 pm	Inquiry Meeting/Oak Room Christopher Leadership/Bonaventure Room Vision of the Gospels/ Francis Room Alcoholics Anonymous/Main Hall	
9:00 am	† Renata Cravero	Thursday October 20			
9:00 am	† Charlotte Pinheiro	Friday October 21			
9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	† Jose-Joaquim Costa Reconciliation † Andre Cabral	Saturday October 22	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:00 am	Flea Market Altar Server Training/Church Al-Anon/Ministry Centre	
8:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm	† Martha Brogley Parishioners † Georges Kahil	Sunday October 23	11:00 am	Sunday Coffee	
Vigil Candle: † Georges Kahil					

OUR MISSION

WE ARE A COMMUNITY of believing people, who have chosen St. Bonaventure's as our spiritual home within the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Toronto.

TOGETHER, inspired by the Franciscan Spirit, we seek to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ in our daily lives by becoming a holy people and serving our sisters and brothers for the Glory of God.

OUR VISION

ST. BONAVENTURE PARISH, the Franciscan Friars and Secular Franciscans working together to respond to the spiritual hungers of the community by becoming an oasis of peace, prayer and service; a little bit of Assisi in Toronto.

Parish Ministry Centre 416.447.5571

MON-THURS 9:00 am - 12:30 pm; 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
FRIDAY CLOSED
SATURDAY 9:00 am - 6:30 pm - Limited Services
SUNDAY 9:00 am - 1:30 pm - Limited Services
WEB SITE: www.st-bonaventure.ca

Eucharist SUNDAY 8:30 am, 10:00am, 12 noon
SATURDAY 9:00 am, 5:00 pm (for Sunday)
MON-FRI 9:00 am (10:00 am Civic Holidays)

Baptism
Celebrated Sunday afternoons, except during Lent, by appointment. Parents need to be registered in the parish and practice their faith on a regular basis. Download baptism request from web site.

Reconciliation (Confession)
SATURDAY 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm or by appointment

Marriage
Contact the Ministry Centre at least one year before the date you would like to be married. The bride or groom must be a registered member of the parish and both need to practice their faith on a regular basis.

Anointing The Sick
Call for the anointing of those who are seriously sick; preferably before entering the hospital.

Funerals
Download our funeral guide to plan a funeral.

Vocations
Visit Franciscans.org for information on vocations to religious life and priesthood

Justice, Peace & Creation

- The Franciscan presence at the UN
www.FranciscansInternational.org
- The Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace: www.devp.org
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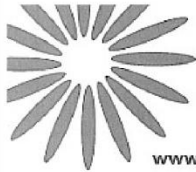
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