# **VOLUNTEERS, STAFF AND PATRONS**



MR. PAUL CAIRNS,
PRESIDENT OF BOULEVARD CLUB
MAKES A DONATION TO
ST. FRANCIS TABLE





A thought in passing...

Yesterday I sat by the front desk of a restaurant for the poor in Parkdale, Toronto. A little five year old

black girl, Asia, sat on my lap telling me about her day as only a 5 year old can. Aman walked past me after his meal and in a very shy way glanced at me, muttering his thank you and exiting out into the summer heat of Oueen Street West.

Serving in the city is about human beings helping and relating to other human beings and the stink of grace. A beautiful thing....

Pete Olsen, MCC TOOLS Leader



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Capuchin Outreach to the Poor (Parkdale) was founded in 1987 by the Capuchin Franciscan Friars of Central Canada with the vision of creating a faith community with the poor by providing direct services that seek to enhance the sense of human dignity of those who are in need.

St Francis Table, the primary expression of Capuchin Outreach, serves meals six days a week in Toronto's Parkdale community. Patrons are asked to make a \$1 donation towards their three course meal which is provided with full restaurant service.

St Clare Centre is our Outreach and Drop-In space, hosting weekly AA meetings as well as an informal drop-in for patrons of St Francis Table.

We receive no government or United Way funding, instead relying on the charity of private individuals and businesses for our income.

Capuchin Outreach to the Poor (Parkdale) is a registered charitable organization #11883-7970-RR0001



# St Francis Table Fall-Appeal-2016



VOLUNTEERS JOINED THE
ST. FRANCIS TABLE PILGRIMAGE TO THE
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# From Bro. John's Desk...



We are now into a season of change and are grateful for another good summer of ministry at St. Francis table! Br. Michael Mascarenhas, ofm, cap. Has moved to London, ON to further studies. Our candidate Joseph Lee is now in Milwaukee as a postulant. Sr. Shannon from the Missionary Sisters of the Precious Blood has been replaced with Sr. Gugulethu from Zimbabwe until mid-September. Thanks to all our volunteers and to Br. Michael Culhane and Capuchin friars from the Quebec province for a beautiful introductory video of St. Francis table which will be online soon!

Fall is a season of notable changes of colors and the falling of leaves. St. Francis table remains a constant through your ongoing generosity. You make good things happen here in Parkdale! Your donation affects change in the lives of so many...especially our patrons! Your assistance helps the constant found in our ministry of feeding the hungry. Without your help the changing of colors would not make a difference in the lives of so many. It would not matter....but it does! Because of the lives we touch...you touch with your gifts! You are part of our Franciscan identity here at St. Francis table.

We are always thankful for your support. We pray for each one of you and wish you all a blessed thanksgiving as you remember those who hunger!

Bro. John Frampton, ofm, cap.

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