



PARISH BULLETIN
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Baptisms: Call for an appointment soon after birth (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221

14 - 15 November 2020



Parish Council

St. Monica's Parish is seeking members for the Parish Council. The goal of the council is to help the Pastor promote and enhance the spiritual life of the parish.

The Parish Council is a committee of equals sharing responsibility according to their gifts and talents. The executive of the council is there to facilitate, and has no more authority than any other member.

The council should consist of twelve members, plus the Associate Pastor, a representative from among the wardens, and one or two teenage parishioners.

- Members must be parishioners of St. Monica.
- Members must be available to attend monthly meetings. They will be held on the same day and time each month, this to be determined at the first meeting in September.
- Members must be willing to be a working team member.

The commitment is for a three year term with the option of a one-term renewal.

If you would like to propose someone, or if you would like to submit your name, please contact the parish office by e-mail at st-monica@videotron.ca

Montreal Directed Retreats

(Pray with Scripture online)

Are you in need of some quiet time with God for meditation and reflection? Montreal Directed Retreats offers us the opportunity to do so each day from 10:30 am -11:15am. You can also join in any day or every day. To find out more information click on the link below:

<https://montrealretreats.org/>

or if you have any questions, you can email: Montreal.Directed.Retreats@gmail.com

Development and Peace

Recovering Together

This pandemic has changed our lives. The entire world is suffering. Those suffering the most are the poor and marginalized. We can ask ourselves, why? The following questions may shed some light on the issue:

- How can you wash your hands when you do not have access to soap and water?
- How can you practice physical distancing when you live in a refugee camp?
- How can you get medical attention when there is no access to health care?
- How can you feed your family when you are locked down with no social safety net?
- How can you protect yourself without access to public health information?

“Development and Peace” is helping to answer these questions in Latin America, Africa, Asia, and the Middle East. This virus has shown us we cannot overcome it alone, we must recover together.

As Pope Francis said, “An emergency like that of COVID-19, is overcome with, above all, the antibodies of solidarity”. If we are to defeat this virus it is essential that the world work together for recovery.

Supporting “Development and Peace” is one way in which we can all be an instrumental part of the recovery, especially for the poor and marginalized. Please help. Donate online at www.devp.org

Parish Vitality

Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020

10 a.m. - 12 p.m. ET

An online event with Archbishop Paul-André Durocher.

As Christians, we live in relationship – in community – with God and with each other. But it doesn't stop there. **We are called to go out into the world. But how?**

Especially now, as we live through a world-altering pandemic, how can we move forward as an outward-bound church? What does it look and feel like?

Join **Archbishop Paul-André Durocher** of Gatineau, Quebec, as he shares his reflections on the Church as movement, how through Baptism and Confirmation “each one of us is called by God and sent in his name”, and what key elements create a renewed vision for our Christian communities, especially parishes.

This **free** interactive videoconference will launch a series of more focused workshops being offered between winter 2021 to summer 2022. These sessions will cover areas of parish life related to leadership, ministry and evangelization, as we navigate forward, through and post pandemic times.

Please click on the provided link: <https://microsites.diocesemontreal.org/microsites/parishvitality/>

MASS INTENTIONS: November 14TH – 22ND, 2020

Saturday, November 14: Our Lady's Saturday

IN LOVING MEMORY: Leonard & Terry Winslade, Peter Duffy
Deceased Ciampini Family
Alessandro Palladini, Maria & Filippo Agnessi
America & Cataldo Palladini

Sunday, November 15: Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
World Day of the Poor

Vincenzo & Antonietta La Posta
Elda Mancini Salvati
Rosolino, Constanza & Victorio
Aiello & Lonardo Family
Loreto & Paolina Ciambella
Valerie Feherdy

by Concetta La Posta
from the Paliotti Family
by Maria Sparapani
by Carmelo Aiello
by Daughter, Gabriela
by Bob & Do Parsons

Monday, November 16: Saint Gertrude

Adelina Guaiani

by Arnaldo Guaiani

Tuesday, November 17: MEMORIAL – Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

Vito Caucci

by Iride & Family

Wednesday, November 18: Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter & Paul

For the Ciampini & Forlini Families

by Luisa Forlini

Thursday, November 19: Weekday Mass

For All Parishioners Intentions

Friday, November 20: Weekday Mass

Sisto Pisaturo

by Maria & Famiglia

Saturday, November 21: MEMORIAL – Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Annita Caucci

by the Forlini Family

Tito Forlini

by the Forlini Family

Iole Falciani

by the Falciani Family

Sabatino Falciani

by the Falciani Family

Sunday, November 22: CHRIST THE KING

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

IN LOVING MEMORY: Emma & Colombo Salvati

Alba & Luigi Paliotti

George Wong

by Stella & Gil Lee

Michelina Petosa

by Maria & Raffaele Cinelli

Luigi & Rosa Mammone

by Ida & Family

Leonardo Ricciardi

by wife, Maria Carmela Ricciardi

Maddalena & Vincenzo Saluzzi

by her Children

Adelaide Fazi Francescangeli

by the Family