

PARISH BULLETIN ST. MONICA'S CHURCH 6405 rue de Terrebonne, Montréal, QC H4B 1A8 Email: <u>st-monica@videotron.ca</u> Website: <u>www.stmonica.ca</u> Office: (514) 481-0267

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**Chair:** Sharon Di Fruscia **Member:** Christina Jacobs Vice-Chair: Maria Lanni Member: Laura Lorenzetti Secretary: Linda Pefanis

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**DONATE TO ST. MONICA'S PARISH** – <u>www.stmonica.ca</u> Canada Helps On-Line Donation Form

Weekend Mass – 4:00pm: Saturdays & 11:00am: Sundays Weekday Mass – 8:30am: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays (<u>no Mass on Mondays</u>) Evening Mass - 7pm: Thursdays

**Office Hours by Appointment**: Monday through Friday (9:30 – 3:30) – (514) 481-0267 Ext. 221 <u>*Closed 12:00pm* – 1:00pm</u>

**Parish Secretary:** Gina Yee – Ext. 221 – Email: <u>st-monica@videotron.ca</u> **Caretaker:** Francisco Sierra – Ext. 221

Marriages: Contact the Parish Office <u>6 months in advance</u> (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221
Baptisms: Call 514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221 or email the Parish Office <u>st-monica@videotron.ca</u>



23 - 24 October 2021

# **Development & Peace Fall Campaign**

## **People and Planet First**

As an official organization of the Canadian Catholic Church, Development & Peace is deeply rooted in the values of the Gospel especially the preferential option for the poor. Speaking up for rights and protesting injustices are powers we take for granted in Canada. In parts of the Global South, however, this can be dangerous. Communities are often threatened and criminalizes for defending their rights to healthy land, air and water. It is therefore crucial to amplify the voices of our brothers and sisters who are fighting to protect our common home. This is a catholic imperative, because as Pope Francis writes, "A true ecological approach always becomes a social approach, it must integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment, so as to hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor." Laudato Si

In Canada D&P recognizes that we are gusts on territory of Indigenous Peoples and are learning from them how to be in right relationships with the Earth, each other, God and ourselves. Let us show solidarity with all peoples by refusing to regard our common home solely as a resource to be exploited.

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

St. Monica's Weekday Masses are back. In addition to our 4pm Saturday & 11:00am Sunday Mass, we are also resuming weekday Mass every <u>Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings at 8:30am</u> and also an **Evening** Mass every <u>Thursday at 7pm</u>.

## PILLARS TRUST

**Senior Info Session** at St. Monica's is hosted by the Pillars Trust Fund and the English-Speaking Catholic Council. This event will take place on **Wednesday, October 27, 2021 from 10:30am – 12:30 pm** in the <u>Church Hall</u>. Topic: Age at Home or Relocate? What is Best for You? This will be an in-person event. Registration will be through Eventbrite. Call the ESCC office: 514-937-2301 x 252 or x 256 or email Pillars Trust: admin@pillarstrust.org.

## **Diocesan Marriage Preparation Courses**

Next session begins November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please register at <u>bbagshaw@diocesemontreal.org</u> or call the Marriage Prep Coordinator, Bridget Bagshaw at 514-925-4300 x 232.

## SASMAD (English Sector) - Pastoral Home Care Services

Pastoral Home Care Visitor Basic Formation – The formation is held on **THURSDAYS – November 4, 11, 18, 25** and **December 2, 9** from **6:30 pm to 9:00 pm**. The program will focus on skill development for Pastoral Accompaniment of the Sick and the Elderly in their own homes. The Formation is offered online and free of charge. Registration is required. **TOPICS:** <u>Spiritual/Religious accompaniment, Spiritual issues of later life, Loss and Grief, The Communion visit, Images of God, Telephone Accompaniment.</u> **TO REGISTER**: Please contact – Cathie Macaulay (514) 925-4300 x 354. <u>cmacaulay@diocesemontreal.org</u>. A certificate of completion will be given for those attend **ALL** sessions.

# MASS INTENTIONS: 23 - 31 October, 2021

Saturday, October 23, 2021: MEMORIAL – Saint John of Capistrano (In Person Mass – 4pm) Fr. Bertoli George Wong Lina & Roberto Ciarma Giuseppina Lucci

from St. Monica's Church from Pauline, Paul & Stephen Wong from Anna & Serafino Ferretti from the Ciambella Family

# Sunday, October 24, 2021: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(In Person Mass & Livestreamed – 11am) Fr. Bertoli The Cullen Family Trinidad Romero Ralito B. Meriales Maureen Mulrooney The Sacco Family Angela Polisena & Giovanni De Leto

#### Monday, October 25, 2021: Weekday

For all Parishioners Intentions

#### **Tuesday, 8:30am - October 26, 2021 – Weekday** For all Parishioners Intentions

Wednesday, 8:30am - October 27, 2021: Weekday Isa, Ivio & Mark Mazzella

**Thursday, 7:00pm - October 28, 2021:** *Saints Simon and Jude Pasquale D'Addio* 

### Friday, 8:30am - October 29, 2021: Weekday

Mario Matta Giulia Angelini Nicola Santini Concetta Caucci

# Saturday, October 30, 2021: Our Lady's Saturday

**(In Person Mass – 4pm)** Giovanna, Pietro, Americo & Argeo Forlini Luisa & Giovanni Coppa Darrill Roberts Theresa Peter

## Sunday, October 31, 2021: Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

**(In Person Mass & Livestreamed – 11am)** Angela Polisena & Giovanni De Leto Brenda Holdbrook

Giuseppina Lucci Turini & Paoli Families Marcel Lord Antonio Palucci from St. Monica's Church from Jane Cullen from Drex Meriales & Raquel Galvan from Drex Meriales & Raquel Galvan from Dorothy & Margaret Mulrooney-Snyder from her Granddaughter, Caterina from all the Daughters

from the Family

from Franca

by Olga Santini Matta from a Friend by Olga Santini Matta by Olga Santini Matta

from Vincenzina Ferrara by Elena Di Meglio by Suzie Roberts from her Family

from all the Daughters from Michelina Giangaspero from Cesidio & Louise Mariani from Pietrina Turini from his Wife & Daughter from Teresa Palucci