



PARISH BULLETIN
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Weekend Mass – 4:00pm: Saturdays & **11:00am:** Sundays

Weekday Mass – 8:30am: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays (*no Mass on Mondays*)

Evening Mass - 7pm: Thursdays

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

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Marriages: Contact the Parish Office **6 months in advance** (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221

Baptisms: Call (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221 or email the Parish Office st-monica@videotron.ca

27 - 28 November 2021





ST. MONICA'S PARISH – SUNDAY MASSES

As previously announced, it is with grateful hearts that **Fr. Jaison Joseph, Pastor of St. Monica's Parish**, is now celebrating two Masses on Sundays effective this Sunday, November 28th and ongoing, at both 9:00am and at 11:00am. Please join us as we enter into our **1st Sunday in Advent** and begin our journey to the greatest encounter ever; the encounter with our God in all his humanity. Let us begin this journey in hope and with hope in the promise that is to come.

Native Friendship Centre

The Parish Council needs your help in reaching out to the homeless Indigenous people. They plan to supply sandwiches for the bus that goes out each night to feed about 100 people. Parish Council is asking our parishioners if they could make sandwiches and cookies. They would then collect the food on December 12th at Sunday Mass and deliver it to the Native Friendship Centre. If you are interested in bringing this endeavour to fruition, please contact Sharon at (514) 481-2981 for further details, or call the Parish Office at (514) 481-0267, and leave your name and number and you will be contacted.

CHRISTMAS BOX CONCERT – ST. JAMES UNITED CHURCH – 463 St. Catherine St. West

Proceeds for this Christmas Benefit Concert will help fund Resilience Montreal which is a non-profit day shelter and is supportive to the Indigenous in need at Cabot Square, located at the corner of Atwater and St. Catherine Street and offers food, a place to sleep, clean clothes and support to anyone in need. Tickets are 20\$ at the door, vaccine passport is required. For more information, please contact Catholic Action Montreal Executive Director Judy Wong at jwong@catholicaction.ca

SOLIDARITY: A CELEBRATORY CONCERT – Virtual – Tuesday, November 30th at 7:00-8:30pm (EST)

Giving Tuesday: Celebrating Advent and welcoming Christmas. The Canadian Jesuits International (CJI) invites you to an online celebration through music, poetry and dance. Please contact: CJI at 416-654-1824 or email cji@jesuits.ca – To Register, please click on the link below or copy/paste the link to your browser: [Meeting Registration - Zoom](#)

For more information, please visit the CJI website: www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca

2021 CHRISTMAS BAKE & WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE

Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal is holding a fundraising event to purchase winter clothing for the homeless. The baked goods will be prepared by Chef Aaron Semple, of Villa Saint Martin and a dedicated team of volunteers. To place your order online, please follow the link below:

[Bake Sale 2021 – Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal \(ignatiancentremtl.org\)](http://Bake Sale 2021 – Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal (ignatiancentremtl.org))

If you prefer to make a monetary contribution, please follow the donations link below:

[Donate – Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal \(ignatiancentremtl.org\)](http://ignatiancentremtl.org)

MASS INTENTIONS: 27 November – 5 December, 2021

Saturday, November 27, 2021: Our Lady's Saturday

(In Person Mass – 4pm)

Stella & Fioravente Rotiroti

For the Palucci & Santache Families

Antonia & Gabriele Poliziani

by C. Rotiroti

by Teresa Palucci

from Rosa Emard

Sunday, November 28, 2021: First Sunday of Advent

(9am in-Person Mass - 11am in-Person & Livestreamed)

Raphael Chang & Kyung Hwa Lee

Giuseppe Giancola

Brenda Holdbrook

Caterina Tourini

Angela di Vittori

Bruna Bianchi (Bertoli)

from Stella & Gabriel Lee

from Giuseppina Lucci

from Maria Antoinetta Di Giovanni

from Pietrina Turini

from Agostino and Family

from Teri Laberge and Family

Monday, November 29, 2021: First Week of Advent

(No Mass on Mondays)

Tuesday, 8:30am – November 30, 2021: FEAST - Saint Andrew

Angela Polisena & Antoinetta Sciafone

from the Family

Wednesday, 8:30am – December 1, 2021: Weekday

Isa, Ivio & Mark Mazzella

from the Family

Thursday, 7:00pm –December 2, 2021: Weekday

For All Parishioners Intentions

Friday, 8:30am – December 3, 2021: MEMORIAL – Saint Francis Xavier

For All Parishioners Intentions

Saturday, December 4, 2021: Saint John Damascene

(In Person Mass – 4pm)

Domenica and Antonio Poliziani

Elizabeth Joseph

Agnes and Alexis Murphy

Julie Prillo

from Rosa Emard

from Friends at St. Thomas à Beckett

from Marion Doyle

from the Family

Sunday, December 5, 2021: Second Sunday of Advent

(9am in-Person Mass - 11am in-Person & Livestreamed)

Patsy Nelson

Ettore Lanni

Adelaide Fazi Francescangeli

Giuseppe Polisena

Deceased Members of the Petosa Family

from her Children

from the Family

from Gino and Family

from the Family

from Maria and Raffaele Cinelli