

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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### **CHURCH WARDENS:**

Ken Saldanha Marline Evoy Ursulene Mora-Farmer Nives Degano Paul Wong Widat Kebede

• WEEKEND MASS <u>SATURDAY</u> 4:00pm

SUNDAY 9:00am & (11:00am) (Livestreamed)

- (No Mass on Mondays)
- WEEKDAY MASS <u>TUESDAYS</u> 8:30am (on hold until October)
- WEEKDAY MASS <u>WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS</u> 8:30am All are Welcome!
- EVENING MASS <u>THURSDAYS</u> 7:00pm (on hold until October)

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

Parish Secretary: Gina Yee – Ext. 221 – Email: st-monica@videotron.ca

# SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION IS AVAILABLE (30) MINUTES BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS.

Marriages: Contact the Parish Office <u>6 months in advance</u> (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221

Baptisms: Telephone: 514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221 or email the Parish Office: <u>st-monica@videotron.ca</u>

**Parish Registration:** Forms are located at the entrance doors. Please enter <u>ALL</u> your contact information and kindly give it to an Usher or place it in the collection baskets. If you want Donation Envelopes with a Registered Box number, please indicate it on your form and one will be assigned to you after you have been contacted. <u>Year-end Tax Receipts</u> will be either mailed or emailed.

**On-Line donations – Please register at:** <u>www.stmonica.ca</u> **CanadaHelps – Give** 



**18 SEPTEMBER 2022** 

Access – East Side Entrance

### FAITH FIRST

Our First Reconciliation preparation classes will begin after Thanksgiving. If your child is in grade 3 or higher and would like to prepare for this sacrament, please send an email to <u>faithfirst@stmonica.ca</u> or call the office at (514) 481-0267. To prepare for First Communion starting in January 2023, your child must prepare and celebrate First Reconciliation.

Confirmation preparation classes will begin later this fall. If you have not registered your child, please send an email to faithfirst@stmonica.ca as soon as possible.

Faith First grades 1, 2, 4 & 5, will be on hold until further notice.

## Listen to the Voice of Creation.



This is the theme for the <u>Season of Creation 2022</u> – a holy time between 1 September and 4 October marked by engagement, unity, prayer, and action around the world in the care of our common home.

We are gathering as many diverse perspectives as possible from all religious communities in response to the Cry of the Earth, and *your voice is vital to the conversation*.

As part of the celebrations of the Season of Creation, and towards the design of an environmental movement in our St. Monica Parish, we will share some information from the Laudato Si' movement, a network of over 6,500 parishes, families and groups all over the world in support of Pope Francis'

encyclical on our relations with our environment, and celebrating the awesome diversity of Creation as a way to praise our Lord and strengthen our capacity to be stewards of His work:

In the spirit of Laudato Si', we humbly pray the following information will help us

#### "come together to take charge of this home which has been entrusted to us." (LS 244)

For those interested in following up, we already have a small group and would like to hear from you – please just reach out to Ana Maria, Oliver and Sandy, or email <u>Emanuel.hillel@gmail.com</u>.

The Laudato Si Movement (founded as Global Catholic Climate Movement 2015) is a community of Catholics, responding to the Pope's call to action in the Laudato Si' encyclical. It is made up of lay people, priests, religious, bishops and a global network of member organizations working together on the climate change crisis.

The movement actively encourages the renewal of our relationship with God's creation, for current and future generations. The LSM is led by a Steering Committee that is made up of active founding members who decide on the general direction of the LSM, its global guidelines, educational and campaign activities. Steering Committee members steer through a biweekly call. Given the climate crisis is so complex and profound, the Laudato Si Movement structure their work in the following dimensions:

#### 1. SPIRITUAL DIMENSION:

"We must therefore encourage and support the 'ecological conversion' which in recent decades has made humanity more sensitive to the catastrophe to which it has been heading." (St John Paul II)

#### 2. LIFESTYLES DIMENSION:

"Humanity is called to recognize the need for changes of lifestyle, production and consumption, in order to combat this warming." (Pope Francis, LS 23)

#### 3. MOBILIZATION & ADVOCACY DIMENSION:

"The Church has a responsibility towards creation and she must assert this responsibility in the public sphere... She must above all protect mankind from self-destruction." (Pope Benedict XVI, Caritas in Veritate 51).

### PILLARS TRUST

#### Link to use: LINK

Pillars Trust is hosting a free live stream question and answer event in October about the works of various charitable organizations. To help prepare, they are asking parishioners to submit a few questions in advance. What questions do you have for any of your local organizations?

## MASS INTENTIONS: 17 - 25 SEPTEMBER 2022

## Saturday, 4:00pm – September 17, 2022: St. Robert Bellarmine

Maria Cardilli (previously scheduled on Tuesday, Sept. 13th) Brenda Chan Leonard & Terry Winslade Pietro Di Meglio & Feni Coppa Giuseppina Lucci from C

. 13th) from Salvatore Cardilli by Pauline Wong from Bob & Do Parsons by Elena and Family from Ciambella, Cardilli, Capozzi & Pendenza Families

Sunday, 9:00am – September 18, 2022: Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary TimePeggy Lee Hylandfrom Carol Hyland Soriano & Family

**Sunday, 11:00am – September 18, 2022: Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** *Kathleen Pridham & Family (prev. scheduled on Thurs., Sept. 15th)* from Lucy

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# Wednesday, 8:30am –September 21, 2022: FEAST – St. Matthew

Ilario & Stellina Maiolo D'Amico & Aiello Families from the Family by Caterina D'Amico

from Jane Cullen

from Antonio Lucci

from the Pastoral Council

from her Son Mark & Family

## Friday, 8:30am – September 23, 2022: MEMORIAL – Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

Kathleen Courtney Mario Matta Luisa Ricciardi Anonoymous from Olga & Sons from her son, Michael & her niece, Jana & Family

# Saturday, 4:00pm – September 24, 2022: Blessed Emilie Tavernier-GamelinIgnazio Ciampinifrom Ernesta & FamilyAntonio Beifrom Gabriella Bei & FamilyThe Malagisi & D'Amico Familiesby Adaler D'Amico

**Sunday, 9:00am – September 25, 2022: Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time** *For All Parishioners* 

Sunday, 11:00am – September 25, 2022: Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary TimeLionello Paoliby Pietrina TuriniMoreno Sacchettifrom Argisa Coccia & FamilyNorina & Giovanni Onesifrom Agnese & Family