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- WEEKEND MASS     **SATURDAY** 4:00pm                      **SUNDAY** 9:00am & (11:00am)  
   (Livestreamed)
  - WEEKDAY MASS -   **TUESDAYS TO FRIDAYS** - 8:30am – All are Welcome!
  - EVENING MASS -    **THURSDAYS** - 7:00pm – All are Welcome!
- **Office Hours:** Monday to Friday 9:30am- 3:30pm - (514) 481-0267 Ext. 221  
*(Closed: 12:00pm – 1:00pm) – (No Mass on Mondays)*
- Parish Secretary: Gina Yee – Ext. 221 - [st-monica@videotron.ca](mailto:st-monica@videotron.ca)
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  - Food Pantry: Director - Marcelle Lord – 514-550-0125 [stmonicasfoodpantry@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicasfoodpantry@gmail.com)

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

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

**Baptisms:** Telephone: 514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221 or email the Parish Office: [st-monica@videotron.ca](mailto:st-monica@videotron.ca)

**Parish Registration:** Forms are located at the entrance doors. Please enter **ALL** 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. Year-end Tax Receipts will be either mailed or emailed.

**On-Line donations – Please register at: [www.stmonica.ca](http://www.stmonica.ca) CanadaHelps – Give**



*Access - East Side Entrance*

**ST. MONICA'S PARISH COUNCIL** > St. Monica's Parish Council is launching a survey starting **September 9<sup>th</sup>** and ending on **October 1<sup>st</sup>**.

> Your answers will help us to better understand and meet your needs as parishioners of Saint Monica's. It's a short questionnaire, easy to understand, and includes a section for additional comments.

> Please come to the back of the church after Mass to pick up a printed copy, or kindly give us your email address to receive the online version. After completing the printed version, please return it and place it in the box at the back of the church.

> We very much appreciate your cooperation, and we welcome your comments.

> We also thank you kindly for taking the time to fill out the survey by **October 1<sup>st</sup>**.

**FAITHFIRST – SACRAMENTAL CLASSES** > First Reconciliation / First Communion preparation classes will begin after Thanksgiving. If your child is in **Grade 3 or higher**, and would like to prepare for these Sacraments, please send an email to [faithfirst@stmonica.ca](mailto:faithfirst@stmonica.ca) or call the office at (514) 481-0267.

> Confirmation preparation classes will also begin after Thanksgiving. If your child is in **Grade 6 or higher**, please send an email to [faithfirst@stmonica.ca](mailto:faithfirst@stmonica.ca) or call the office as soon as possible to register.

> Once these Sacramental classes are up and running, then programs for **Grades 1, 2, 4 & 5** will be announced.

**BOOKKEEPER POSITION – (Part-time)** > Our current Bookkeeper, Lana Cochrane, who has admirably served St. Monica's Church over the past several years will be relinquishing her position in December 2023. As a result, we are seeking individuals who are interested in this role.

> A requirement for the role is that the candidate cannot be an active or participating member of St. Monica's parish. This requirement is to prevent any potential conflict of interest and/or undue influence on the stated role.

> The individual we are seeking must have five (5) years of accounting experience, be fluent in both French and English, written and oral, be able to use an accredited accounting program, such as SAGE 50, or other.

This is a part-time position.

Regular duties will include, but not limited to:

- Issue cheques
- Perform all accounting entries
- Issue Financial Statements (monthly & fiscal Year-to-Date)
- Prepare Bank Reconciliation
- Keep/File soft & hard copies of employee payroll records
- Quarterly payments to both Provincial & Federal Governments
- Prepare budget forecasts and other related reports
- Retain all support documents, up-to-date and filing of such documents – Audit purposes
- Communication with Diocesan representatives, as well as Quebec & Federal Government representatives

➤ If you know of anyone who is interested in this role and meets the stated requirements, please contact the Parish Office at: (514) 481-0267 x 221 or by email at: [st-monica@videotron.ca](mailto:st-monica@videotron.ca)

**SEASON OF CREATION** > Today starts the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the Season of Creation. Let Justice and Peace Flow. As the people of God, we must work together on behalf of all creation as part of the mighty River of Justice and Peace. This is a passage from the message of Pope Francis. "In this Season of Creation as followers of Christ on our shared synodal journey, let us live, work and pray that our common home will teem with life once again." This week reduce the amount of waste you produce, reuse items as much as possible before replacing them, recycle items whenever possible.

## MASS INTENTIONS: 9 – 17 SEPTEMBER 2023

### **Saturday, 4:00pm – September 9, 2023: Saint Peter Claver**

Howard Chan  
Aniello D'Addio  
Ignazio Ciampini

Pauline Wong  
Franca & Children  
Ernesta Ciampini & Family

### **Sunday, 9:00am – September 10, 2023: 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Paoli & Turini families  
Pietro Di Meglio & Feni Coppa  
Antoinette Pisaturo

Alessandro Paoli & Pietrina Turini  
Elena Di Meglio & family  
Maria Pisaturo & family

### **Sunday, 11:00am – September 10, 2023: 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Virginia Lanni  
Deceased Fiori Family Members  
Loreto & Paolina Ciambella

family  
Berardina Fiori & family  
daughter, Gabriela

### **Tuesday, 8:30am – September 12, 2023: The Most Holy Name of Mary**

Evelyn Troli

Dominic & family

### **Wednesday, 8:30am – September 13, 2023: MEMORIAL – Saint John Chrysostom**

Maria Cardilli  
Isa, Ivio & Mark Mazzella

Salvatore Cardilli  
family

### **Thursday, 8:30am & 7pm - September 14, 2023 – FEAST – The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

Irene Goldenberg

Lisa Brimo

### **Friday, 8:30am – September 15, 2023: MEMORIAL – Our Lady of Sorrows**

(Living) Olivia & Adrian Bright  
Maria Carmela Colatruglio

Stella & Gil Lee  
Giovanni, Tony & Luciano

### **Saturday, 4:00pm – September 16, 2023: MEMORIAL – Saint Cornelius and Saint Cyprian**

Brenda Chan  
Olga Cappello  
Antonio Bei

Pauline Wong  
Anna & Mario Cappello  
Gabriel Bei & family

### **Sunday, 9:00am – September 17, 2023: 24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

For All Parishioners Intentions

### **Sunday, 11:00am – September 17, 2023: 24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Michael Giangaspero  
Adelaide Fazi Francescangeli  
Maria Cardilli & Giuseppina Lucci

your wife  
husband, Gino & family  
Luisa & Angelo