

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2013



Fall Back! Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, November 3 at 2:00 a.m. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour on Saturday, November 2 before bed.

Weekday Mass Schedule:

Mass is celebrated at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday to Friday

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: OCTOBER 26 TO NOVEMBER 03

Saturday	Oct. 26	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Rafaele & Maria Pulice		Rina Reda
Sunday	Oct. 27		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Michelle Couture		Kathleen, Michael, Mom & Dad
Monday	Oct. 28		
	No Mass		
Tues.	Oct. 29		
8:30 am	Denise Roy		Denise & Pierre Alarie
Wed.	Oct. 30		
8:30 am	Pasquale & Ida Reda & family		Rina Reda
Thurs.	Oct. 31		
8:30 am	Flo Gallo		family
Friday	Nov. 01	All Saints	
8:30 am	Elmo & Alfonsino Reda		Rina Reda
Saturday	Nov. 02	Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners		
Sunday	Nov. 03		
9:00 am	Maria & Alfonso Reda & family		Rina Reda
11:00 am	Anthony Lee Loy		Ailsa Lee Loy
Weekday Readings			
Mon	Oct. 28	Eph 2: 19-22	Lk 6: 12-16
Tues.	Oct. 29	Rom 8: 18-25	Lk 13: 18-21
Wed.	Oct. 30	Rom 8: 26-30	Lk 13: 22-30
Thurs.	Oct. 31	Rom 8: 31b-39	Lk 13: 31-35
Fri.	Nov. 01	Rom 7: 18-25a	Lk 10: 1-9

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Week of October 27: Donald Lynch, requested by Ailsa Lee Loy.

ALL SOULS DAY: All parishioners, families and friends are invited to join us as we celebrate the Mass of All Souls on **Saturday, November 2 at 9:00 am**. Please bring a photo of your deceased loved one(s) to be placed below the altar during the Mass.

VOCATIONS REFLECTION: Wanted: humble sinners who know the forgiveness of God. These make good servants of the Gospel.
Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348. vocationsmtl@diocesemontreal.org

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

First readings I: Exodus 17:8-13 (Moses raised his hand)
Second reading II: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 (God is all we need)
Gospel: Luke 18:1-8 (Call out to the Lord)

Adults: How often do you put off your duties until you are forced to do them?
Who is hurt by such a decision?

Children: How do I pray when I need the help of God at home or in school?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OCTOBER 19/20

Evangelization of the Nations: \$ 5184.00

BRIGHTEN UP THE LIVES OF THE HOMELESS! Can you spare 2 hours a month? The “Angels of Mercy” are in immediate need of sandwich makers and volunteers to deliver soup & sandwiches to our less fortunate sisters & brothers of Montreal. Contact Catherine today at 514-684-1606. Don’t forget to drop off your **MEN’S ONLY WINTER CLOTHING** in our “Angels of Mercy” box in the narthex ***before weekend Masses only.*** Visit us at www.helpfeedthehomeless.org

FAITH FIRST NEWS

UPCOMING GATHERINGS:

Eucharist Gathering #3 **Tuesday, November 5**

Here are some reflections that the children shared with us last weekend:

I was a disciple of Christ when I...

shared with my little brother. **Riley T.**

helped take care of a stray cat and feed it. **Fiona E.**

asked what was the matter when someone fell. **Jack C.**

listened to my mommy and my daddy. **Matteo G.**

was forgiving. **Natasha J.**

helped my friends when they were hurt. **Kiara S.**

prayed at night. **Thomas S.**

read the bible with my family. **Kaitlyn G.**

prayed to God. **Kevin H.**

helped the neighbours rake leaves. **Andre W.**

take care of people. **Tristano R.**

PASTORAL COUNCIL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND ELECTIONS

will be held on **November 10, in the parish hall, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.** Three positions must be filled at the AGM on Nov.10. All members of the parish are invited run for a position on the pastoral council and/or vote for the persons you feel would best represent you. The pastoral council functions not as a decision-making, but as a consultative body within the parish to assist the pastoral team in developing and implementing our pastoral project. Nomination forms are available at the back of the church for anyone who is interested.

KNITPICKERS NEWS: The weekend Arts and Crafts Fair was a resounding success for the Knitpickers, having collected \$484 and counting. This will definitely buy a healthy amount of yarn for our future projects. Stay tuned! Next meeting takes place **November 15, in Cahill Hall at 1:30 p.m.**

LATE SUNDAY MASS: To better serve the Catholic Community of Montreal, a late evening Mass will be celebrated **every Sunday evening at 8 pm** at Our Lady of Fatima Parish, 875 Marcel-Lauren Blvd. St. Laurent. Bishop Thomas Dowd, E.V., will preside.



LIFE AND FAITH SESSIONS. LAFs invite us to discover more about our Christian traditions and spiritual heritage and enrich our life of prayer. Open to all.

Tuesdays Mornings 9:30-11:30 Fr. Baron series next topic;

The Mystical Union of Christ and the Church

Friday Evenings 7-8 pm Breaking Open the Word in Cahill Hall

Saturday, Nov. 2, 10:00 am Hands-On-Faith 'Sainted Bracelet' Workshop.

Make a beautiful 'Sainted Charm Bracelet' while discovering fun facts about some of our saints. Great for the whole family. Fee: \$10.00 per bracelet

Saturday, Nov. 2, 7pm Presentation of the feature film *The Wood Carver*. Part of our Becket Film Fest series. Join us on Nov. 02 at 7 pm in The Woodcarver is a story about a troubled youth who vandalizes a church and then slowly rediscovers his spirituality while he repairs the damage with the help of the hermetic woodcarver whose work he destroyed. All ages. Popcorn included!

Thursday, Nov. 7, 7-9pm The newest series hosted by Fr. Baron is here!

New Evangelization #1: Introduction - In this newest DVD series, Father Baron explains the concept of a "new" evangelization. Please visit the parish website for more information.

CONSIDER YOURSELF INVITED: The Knights of Columbus need practicing Catholic men 18 years & over to join our council to support our parish & community works of mercy. Please give serious consideration to joining our team of men and attend our information session for membership **on Oct. 27 at 12:30pm** in Cahill hall. Info: Deputy Grand Knight Guy Taillon at guy@remaxteam.ca or Grand Knight Lorne Flavelle at 514-620-1156 .

CWL USED BOOK SALE after all masses on **November 16 & 17**. Donations of books may be dropped at the church hall on Saturday, November 16 from 9:00 am to 3:00pm. Please no encyclopedias or magazines.

HELP BRIDGE THE GENERATION GAP! Come learn to square dance and perform in seniors' residences and be transformed. We meet in the parish hall on Sunday afternoons for families, 12:30-2:00 or on Wednesday mornings, 11-12:30 for 50+. Community service hours available. Vita 514-694-1118. A+SQUARES

BECKET PANTRY NEEDS: coffee, tinned fruit, tomato juice. Thank you for all your donations last week. God bless!

CHRISTMAS BASKET PROJECT DEADLINE: The deadline to volunteer for the Christmas baskets is **Nov. 1st**. No applications accepted after this date.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: Nov. 01 is the First Friday of the month. After Mass, you are invited to join us for an hour between 10:00 a.m. and midnight for exposition and adoration of the Holy Eucharist. Please sign up in the book at the back of the church.

PRAYING FOR YOUR FAMILY: Please join us every First Friday of the month from 5:00 to 6:00 pm to pray for your family in our church in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

ON OCTOBER 31, WE CELEBRATE ALL HALLOWS EVE (Halloween) to honour the saints who have gone before us. Did you know that begging door to door grew from an ancient English custom of knocking at doors to beg for a "soul cake", a form of shortbread, in return for which the beggars promised to pray for the dead of the household. The refrain sung at the door was not "*trick or treat!*" but this:

*Soul, soul, an apple or two,
If you haven't an apple, a pear will do,
One for Peter, two for Paul,
Three for the Man Who made us all.*

