

Third & Fourth Sundays of Easter

May 4 & 11, 2025



MASS INTENTIONS - MAY 3 TO MAY 18

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| Saturday | May 3 | |
| 4:30 pm | Nina & Jenny Gallo | Anna Donald |
| Sunday | May 4 | Third Sunday of Easter |
| 9:00 am | Our Parishioners | Our Parishioners |
| 11:00 am | Adam Manzone | Anna Donald |
| Monday | May 5 | |
| 8:30 am | Mr Pierre Theroux | The Family |
| Tuesday | May 6 | |
| 8:30 am | Anna Donald (L) | Joan Hopkirk |
| Wednesday | May 7 | |
| 8:30 am | Kenneth Withanachchi | Gemma, Bo In, Angela, Timothea, Alicja |
| Thursday | May 8 | |
| 8:30 am | Stanley Szuszkowski | Linda & Family |
| Friday | May 9 | |
| 8:30 am | Antonio Porco | Rosetta and Family |
| Saturday | May 10 | |
| 4:30 pm | Our Parishioners | |
| Sunday | May 11 | Fourth Sunday of Easter |
| 9:00 am | Maria & Viktor Kozlowski | The Family |
| 11:00 am | May Allen | |
| Monday | May 12 | |
| 8:30 am | Mario Iannuzzi | Iolanda Pulice & family |
| Tuesday | May 13 | |
| 8:30 am | Teresa Angeline Samuel | Cynthia Arulanandam |
| Wednesday | May 14 | |
| 8:30 am | Don Pennycook | Denise Imperial |
| Thursday | May 15 | |
| 8:30 am | Julius Coelho | Donny & Patricia Coelho |
| Friday | May 16 | |
| 8:30 am | Mark Coelho | Donny & Patricia Coelho |
| Saturday | May 17 | |
| 4:30 pm | Andrew Jasinski | The Kozlowski-Latkowski Families |
| Sunday | May 18 | Fifth Sunday of Easter |
| 9:00 am | Reno Alfonso | Anna Donald |
| 11:00 am | Our Parishioners | |

SANCTUARY LAMP

May 4: Pierre Theroux, requested by the Family

May 11: Roger Wilfred Lively, requested by Robertson Family

May 18: Antonio Anoaia, requested by the Family

LORD, GRANT MERCY AND LASTING PEACE to those who died recently and strength and comfort to those who mourn them:

Paul Walter Kaiser, husband of Louise, father of Susan, Kevin, and Ian.

Blessed are those who have died in the Lord; let them rest from their labours for their good deeds go with them. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

“COME, HOLY SPIRIT...”



The conclave of cardinals who will elect the next pope begins Wednesday, May 7. It is an enormous responsibility for them, with important consequences for the Church and all of humanity.

Join us in prayer that the Holy Spirit will inspire and strengthen the cardinal-electors as they choose a new Holy Father to lead us: Mass & prayer vigil, Monday, May 5, at 7:00 p.m.

In the meantime, we are encouraged in our prayers by the Vatican: “The faithful might want to offer their private prayers, works and almsgiving for the successful election of a new Supreme Pontiff. The simple custom of frequently praying the Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father for this intention is encouraged. The election of the new Pope should be prayed for in the recitation of the Rosary.”

Lord God, you are our eternal shepherd and guide.

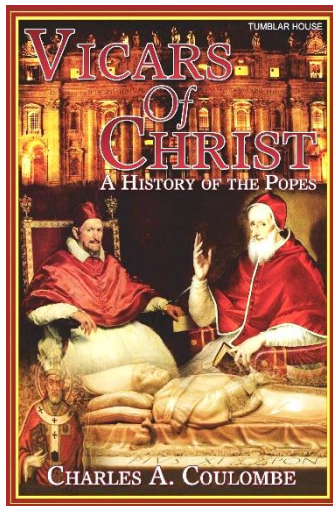
In your mercy, grant your Church a shepherd who will walk in your ways and whose watchful care will bring us your blessing.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

WORTHWHILE READING

Vicars of Christ: A History of the Popes, by Charles A. Coulombe



The Pope of Rome is the best known and most influential moral and religious leader in the world. Pick up the paper, turn on the T.V., and there he is. Every government in the world has to deal with him somehow. Love him or hate him, there is no denying his importance. It's this way today, and it's been this way since Emperor Constantine legalized Christianity in the 4th century. In all that time, there have been wonder-working saints, lecherous murderers, and many, many mediocrities on the Papal throne - every kind of human being imaginable. Historically, the lives of Popes have been anything but dull and uneventful. Formosus was so hated by his successor, the corrupt Stephen VI, that his rotting corpse was disinterred and subjected to a court trial. St. Leo the Great

frightened Attila the Hun into sparing Rome, while St. Gregory the Great banished the plague from the Eternal City by holding a procession. St. Leo III crowned Charlemagne Emperor by surprise on Christmas Day, but John XII (himself the son of a Pope) was killed by his mistress' lover, and died in her arms. John Paul II

raised the popularity of the Papacy to incredible heights, played a huge role in bringing down Communism - and exorcised the Devil from a girl during a public audience. Most books about the Popes have either tried to whitewash every sin any Pope has committed, or else have made them all out to be all out to be antichrists. On this emotional topic, writers seem to have left very little middle ground. But the truth is that there have obviously been good and obviously evil Popes, controversial Popes and forgotten Popes. In this book, they will all have their day in court. One by one, each Pope will be profiled, and their rich history, with all its pageantry, intrigue, holiness, and crime, will be unveiled.

Charles A. Coulombe is one of North America's most respected and sought-after commentators on culture, religion, history, and politics, and a specialist in the history and government of the Catholic Church

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Apr 16: Holy Thursday Offerings: \$2,050.00

Apr 18: Good Friday Offerings: \$2,765.00

Apr 20: Easter Offerings: \$10,059.35 Building Fund: \$2,474.00

Apr 28: Offerings: \$4,375.53

Upcoming Special Collections: May 11 - Religious Education

May 18 - Building Maintenance Fund



NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE: OTTAWA

Thursday, May 8. This is a yearly gathering on Parliament Hill, Ottawa. Chartered bus leaves Montreal at 6:45 am with 7:30 am pick-up at Reno Depo (Fairview Shopping Center) \$60pp, \$100 for couple or family, \$30 for seniors/students. Mass, BYOB picnic, and march through the streets of Ottawa. Leaving Ottawa at 5:00 pm. Reservations: 438-930-8643.

SUMMER MORNING DAY CAMP

St. Edmund of Canterbury Parish, July 14-18, ages K5 to Grade 6. More information at faitheducation@stedocp.com

SOCIAL AND SUPPORT SERVICES IN OUR DIOCESE

For abuse-related complaints or concerns:

Contact the Diocesan Ombudsman, Me. Marie Christine Kirouack, at plainte@ombudsman-ecm.com, 514-PLAINTE or 514-752-4683.

Some spiritual support services in our region:

Pastoral Home Care / SASMAD: Spiritual support service for the elderly or sick at home. Available 7 days a week, from 10 am to 4 pm at 1-888-305-0994.

Le Pèlerin:

Spiritual accompaniment service for people in search of meaning.

www.lepelerin.org/portail/nos-services/laccompagnement-spirituel/

The Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal:

For spiritual accompaniment or direction 514-481-1064,

centre@ignantiancentremtl.ca or www.ignantiancentremtl.ca

PARISH INFORMATION

All telephone numbers are in the 514-area code unless otherwise indicated.

PARISH WARDENS

The Fabrique of the parish administers all parish properties and assets, and consists of the Pastor and six wardens elected by parishioners at an Annual General Meeting.

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| Siro Di Marco (2027) | 977-6442 | Cindy Finn (2027) | 624-0546 |
| Frank Vissani (2025) | 998-0311 | Robert Boulé (2026) | (438) 838-1902 |
| Eric Chevrier (2026) | 246-8525 | Michael Randall (2025) | 980-5015 |

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

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| Altar Guild | Anna Donald | 620-2258 |
| Altar Servers | Fr. Peter Sabbath | 626-4111 |
| Baptism Preparation Team | Parish Office | 626-4111 |
| Choir Director | Brendan Kelly | 944-7220 |
| Children's Choir | Kimberley Ricafort | 827-4132 |
| Eucharistic Ministry Coordinator | Rosemarie Della Rocca | 620-1930 |
| Head Sacristan | Anna Donald | 620-2258 |
| Lectors | Tobias Koikaran | 693-5514 |
| Liturgy Team | Rosemarie Della Rocca | 620-1930 |
| Ushers | Joe Ojeda | 941-7914 |

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

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| Adult Faith Formation | Elsa Rivera | 626-4111 |
| Angels of Mercy | Sarah Sajedi | 827-6408 |
| Catholic Women's League | Marie Meier | 965-9919 |
| Community Aid | Parish Office | 626-4111 |
| Couples for Christ | Don & Irene Salvanera | 620-1319 |
| Helping Others: | Parish Office | 626-4111 |
| Knights of Columbus | Norm Cousineau | 624-8753 |
| Legion of Mary | Juliana Abu | 585-9206 |
| Marriage Course | John & Nathalie Bondyra | 695-7896 |
| Pastoral Home Care | Ailsa Lee Loy | 626-7265 |
| Prayer Line | Christine Charron | 694-3958 |
| Responsible Pastoral Ministry | Rina Callard | 626-4111 |
| Social Club | Rina Callard | 695-6995 |
| Youth Ministry | Amanda Davis | 626-4111 |

RESOURCES AND SERVICES

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| A.A. | 376-9230 |
| Al-Anon (Families of Alcoholics) | 866-9803 |
| Archdiocese, Marriage Tribunal, English Pastoral Services | 931-7311 |
| Diocesan Ombudsman – abuse/complaints | 752-4683 |
| Episcopal Vicar - Fr. Raymond Lafontaine | 931-7311 |
| Quebec Life Coalition: Pregnant? Worried? | 344-2686 |
| Spiritual Support Line | 1-888-305-0994 |
| Violence S.O.S. Hotline | 1-800-363-9010 |
| West Island Women's Shelter | 620-4845 |

Anointing of the Sick: upon request at the parish office

Baptism: Please contact the office

Marriage: Please contact the office well in advance.

R.C.I.A.: Fr. Peter Sabbath

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Confession) before all Masses or by request.

Vocations: Please contact Fr. Gerry Westphal at 514-688-4952 or one of our priests

HALL RENTAL: Michael Randall 514-980-5015