

Thirty-Second & Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 10 & 17 2024



MASS INTENTIONS - NOVEMBER 9 TO NOVEMBER 24

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Saturday	November 9	
4:30 pm	Patrick Guerrero	Patricia & Luciano Guerrero
Sunday	November 10	Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 am	Julita Houx	Her Family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
Monday	November 11	
8:30 am	Special Intention	Denyse Fournier
Tuesday	November 12	
8:30 am	Wendy Linton	The Family
Wednesday	November 13	
8:30 am	Alain Marc Paningbatan	Paningbatan Family
Thursday	November 14	
8:30 am	Pierre Charron	Liza and Claude Papasian
Friday	November 15	
8:30 am	Cizaltina Pereira	Maria G. Cabral
Saturday	November 16	
4:30 pm	Mark Coelho	Donny & Patricia Coelho
Sunday	November 17	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 am	Rozalia & Karol Mankiewicz and Janina & Joseph Ogloza	Romana Dziarmaga and family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
Monday	November 18	
8:30 am	Janice Babb	Maria G. Cabral
Tuesday	November 19	
8:30 am	Pierre Charron	Lise Emsley
Wednesday	November 20	
8:30 am	Pierre Charron	Dina Perron
Thursday	November 21	
8:30 am	Giuseppe Picciano	Johnny Picciano
Friday	November 22	
12:00 am	Pierre Charron	Julia Principe
Saturday	November 23	
4:30 pm	Zofia & Stanislaw Depa	The family
Sunday	November 24	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
9:00 am	Our Parishioners	
11:00 am	Clemente Covone	His wife and children

SANCTUARY LAMP

November 10: Jane & George D'Lima, requested by the D'Lima Family

November 17: Isabelle Demers (L), requested by the Demers Family

November 24: Clemente Covone, requested by his wife and children

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

Ambrose Nyuzagal, brother-in-law of Juliana Kong-Ire

Joan White, friend of Janet Arts

John Bastone, husband of the late Maria Bastone.

Joseph Guiao, brother of Margaret Lobo

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.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Oct. 27: Offerings: \$4,825.40*

Nov. 3: Offerings: \$4,957.95*

Upcoming special collections: November 10 – Helping Others
November 24 – Building Maintenance Fund

*Does not include contributions made on Canada Helps

WORTHWHILE READING

How to Make Great Decisions by Fr. Mike Schmitz



Should I buy dark chocolate or milk chocolate? Which college should I attend? Should I be married or single? We face thousands of decisions, big and small, every day. But have you ever felt like you are too busy "discerning" to actually decide? True decision-making is more than just thinking about something . . . decisions involve taking action.

YouTube star, Fr. Mike Schmitz, gives you the tools to decide what to do with your life today, tomorrow, and in the future with clarity and confidence. In this little book you will learn to:

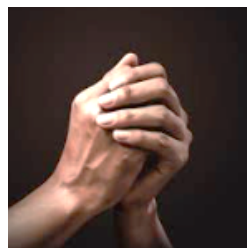
- know when God is speaking,

- how to recognize the "signs,"
- and make wise decisions for your life.

Fate is when you're fixed; you don't have a choice. Destiny is your destination . . . Know your destiny.

Father Michael Schmitz is a priest for the Diocese of Duluth, Minnesota. He currently runs the Newman Center at the University of Minnesota, Duluth, and is also the director of youth and young adult ministry for the diocese. Nationally known for his inspiring homilies, humorous stories, down-to-earth authenticity, and his "The Bible in a Year" and "The Catechism in a Year" podcasts.

AN ACT OF FAITH



O my God, I firmly believe that you are one God in three divine Persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

I believe that your divine Son became man and died for our sins and that he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths the Holy Catholic Church teaches because you have revealed them who are eternal truth and wisdom, who can neither deceive nor be deceived. In this faith, I intend to live and die. Amen.

MEETING OF PARISHIONERS AND FABRIQUE ELECTIONS

Sunday, December 1, 2024, 12 noon

All parishioners are invited to a meeting of parishioners for the election of Churchwardens on Sunday, December 1, immediately following the 11 am Mass. All parishioners of full age (18 years), of the Roman Catholic Faith, and who live within the parish boundaries are entitled to nominate, be nominated, and vote at the Meeting of Parishioners (Act Respecting Fabriques). A warden is a parishioner elected to be a director, or administrator, of the church corporation whose object is to acquire, possess, hold and administer property for the practice of the Roman Catholic religion. Therefore, the warden is not a pastoral agent directing the spiritual and pastoral life of the parish. Professional or business experience and the ability to work in a team are assets. We need to elect two wardens on December 1. We thank outgoing wardens Janet Arts and Cindy Finn for their hard work and dedication during their terms. Cindy is eligible to serve a second three-year term. If you would like to serve the parish in this important role, you can present yourself on December 1. For more information, call 514-626-4111.

REMEMBRANCE DAY Every year on November 11, Canadians pause in a silent moment of remembrance for the men and women who have served, and continue to serve our country during times of war, conflict and peace. We honour those who fought for Canada in the 1st World War (1914-1918), WW2 (1939-1945), and the Korean War (1950-1953), as well as those who have served since then. More than 1.5 million Canadians have served our country in this way, and more than 100,000 have died.



They gave their lives and futures that we might live in peace.

The association between the poppy and war dates back to the Battle of Ypres in 1915. Canadian Lt.-Col. John McCrae was inspired to write the poem *In Flanders Fields* on sighting the poppies growing beside a grave of a close friend who had died in battle. The poem was a great inspiration in adopting the poppy as the Flower of Remembrance in allied and Commonwealth countries.

The first poppies were distributed in Canada in 1921. Today the donations from the distribution of millions of poppies are an important source of revenue for the Royal Canadian Legion that goes toward helping ex-servicemen and women buy food, and obtain shelter and medical attention.

In Flanders fields the poppies blow / Between the crosses, row on row / That mark our place; and in the sky / The larks, still bravely singing, fly / Scarce heard amid the guns below. We are the Dead. Short days ago / We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow / Loved, and were loved, and now we lie / In Flanders fields. Take up our quarrel with the foe: To you from failing hands / we throw the torch; be yours to hold it high. If ye break faith with us who die, / We shall not sleep, though poppies grow / In Flanders fields. ~ John McCrae (1872-1918)

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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.

Janet Arts (2024)	620-6643	Cindy Finn (2024)	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

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
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

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

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