

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time and Christ the King November 16 & 23 2025



MASS INTENTIONS - NOVEMBER 15 TO NOVEMBER 30

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Saturday	November 15	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners	
Sunday	November 16	Thirty-third Sunday in ordinary Time
9:00 am	Jayson Yee	Robertson Family
11:00 am	Mark Coelho	Donny & Patricia Coelho
Monday	November 17	
8:30 am	Richlan Gonsalves (L)	The family
Tuesday	November 18	
8:30 am	Ignatius, Carmeline, Jacinto & Helen D'Silva	Paschal, Marie & Dylan Fernandes
Wednesday	November 19	
8:30 am	Jayson Kar-Keung Yee	Karen & Elsa
Thursday	November 20	
8:30 am	Lionel Gomes	Ivan & Karen Francis
Friday	November 21	
8:30 am	Giuseppe Picciano	Johnny Picciano
Saturday	November 22	
4:30 pm	Living & deceased legionaries & our families	Legion of Mary St Thomas à Becket
Sunday	November 23	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
9:00 am	Zofia & Stanislaw Depa	The Family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
Monday	November 24	
8:30 am	Janice Babb	The Family
Tuesday	November 25	
8:30 am	Anna-Maria Urbanc Cristofaro	Rina Della Rocca
Wednesday	November 26	
8:30 am	Portia Angeles	Barbara Baldueza
Thursday	November 27	
8:30 am	Mike Callard	Rina
Friday	November 28	
8:30 am	Richard Loj	Linda, Alex, Cassie & Dan
Saturday	November 29	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners	
Sunday	November 30	First Sunday of Advent
9:00 am	Antoine Aoueiss	The Aoueiss family
11:00 am	The deceased members of de Rozario and Pereira family	Heather and Julian Pereira

SANCTUARY LAMP:

November 16: Wendy Linton, requested by The Francis Family

November 23: Luigia and Alfonso Mio, requested by Mio and Vanicourt Families

November 30: Anne & Adrian Massie and family, requested by Friends of the family

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

Janet Valerie (Cole) Brisson, wife of the late Robert Brisson, mother of Therese Susan, Michael, Cathy, and Tara.

Elizabeth Pittman, wife of the late Vincent Pittman

Joseph Abram, father of Fr. Jaison Joseph, Pastor of St. Monica Parish

Keith Lee Foon, son of Ailsa Lee Loy, brother of Ken, Kirk and Kyle

Annette Cadieux, mother of Lynne-Marie, friend of Glenda Pantin

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 their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Oct 26: Offerings: \$4,606.05 Building Maintenance Fund: \$2,017.00

Nov 2: Offerings: \$5,821.50

Nov 9: Offerings: \$3,945.90 Helping Others: \$ 2,562.00

Upcoming Special Collection: Nov 23 – Building Maintenance Fund
Dec 14 – Religious Education

MEETING OF PARISHIONERS AND FABRIQUE ELECTIONS

Sunday, November 30, 12 noon

All parishioners are invited to a meeting of parishioners for the election of Churchwardens on Sunday, November 30, 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 November 30. We thank outgoing wardens Frank Vissani and Michael Randall for their hard work and dedication during their terms. If you would like to serve the parish in this important role, please present yourself on November 30.

ARE YOU A CAREGIVER?

We warmly invite you to join the Caregiver Support Group. We will provide a combination of prayer, sharing, support, guest speakers, and opportunities for socializing. Our meeting will take place on the last Friday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in Cahill Hall.

Upcoming presentations:

November 28 CLSC Services

December 19, Christmas gathering.

No registration is required. Information: Rina at 514-915-7586.

SING-ALONG CHRISTMAS CONCERT - DECEMBER 7



Bring your friends, family, and your Christmas spirit to the church on December 7 at 7 pm for a sing-a-long Christmas Concert. Join our choir members and fellow parishioners for a delightful evening as we sing-along to all the classic Christmas hymns and songs.

CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE FOR WEST ISLAND MISSION We are collecting non-perishables for the needy. Please drop your donations in the bin in the Narthex (just inside the main entrance to the church) before weekend or weekday Mass. Thank you for your generosity.

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR - NOVEMBER 16

The theme of this year's World Day of the Poor highlights Christian hope as a response to worldly uncertainty. "You are my hope, Lord" (Psalm 71:5), We are encouraged to view the poor not as objects of charity, but as brothers and sisters who witness to hope. Pope Leo XIV reminds us that the poor often embody a deep and steadfast hope that can teach us to move beyond fleeting hopes to find a lasting hope in God. This is not a time to look to possessions for security, which can often disappoint, but to find our security in God's promises.

We thank you for your continued expression of solidarity through your generous donations to the Helping Others Fund, which is used to help such organizations as NOVA West Island, Le Parados, On Rock, Mary's Meals, Foundation for Education of Children in Uganda, the Douglas Hospital Auxiliary, and Jeanne Mance Hospice to name a few. Let us continue to be "Pilgrims of Hope" by supporting those most in need.

NOVEMBER 30 IS THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT Advent Candle sets are available at the back of church for \$15 per set. Please put your payment into an envelope marked "Advent Candles" and drop it in the collection basket or the Donation Box inside the church door.

BEREAVEMENT GROUP: The Bereavement Group meets at 7:00 pm on Tuesday, November 18, in the Cahill hall. All those who have experienced the loss of a loved one are welcome to attend the meeting, led by trained animator Bill Curran.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY - CONFERENCE FOR ADULTS

Saturday, November 29 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

The Synod on Synodality was an important event that allowed thousands of Catholics around the world to express their hopes and concerns. Working together hand in hand with the clergy, many had a chance to discuss new ways of collaborating. Saturday, November 29 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Saint Edmund of Canterbury Parish Guest speaker: Fr Raymond Lafontaine

For more information: www.stedocp.com or parishoffice@stedocp.com

THE PRAY MORE ADVENT RETREAT BEGINS DECEMBER 1 – Online

Inspiring talks to help you grow closer to Christ! Four speakers & 16 presentations. The Retreat is self-paced, meaning that you can participate wherever you are and whenever you have the time. It's like a do-it-yourself retreat, but you're not doing alone. Join now at: <https://praymoreretreat.org/>

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.

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

Altar Guild	Anna Donald	620-2258
Altar Servers	Parish Office	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.

RCIA: Elsa Raschella 514-626-4111 ext. 222

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