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Monday—Friday
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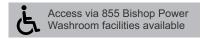
Anointing of the Sick: call the office

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Children/teens: Sylvie 514-907-1694 Adults: Fr. Gerry Martineau





#### **WEEKEND CELEBRATIONS**

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. (Livestreamed) Sunday: 9:00 a.m & 11:00 a.m

#### **WEEKDAY CELEBRATIONS**

Monday 9:00 a.m. Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Thursday 9:00 a.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. (followed by Adoration)

#### CONFESSIONS

A Priest will be available 1 hour before all Celebrations



You say that I am a King. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth.

#### **Quotes From the Saints**

Saint Columban - November 23

Columban lived from the middle of the 6th century until 615. Born in Ireland, he was one of the greatest Irish monks who carried Celtic Christianity throughout Europe at a time when paganism threatened to extinguish the faith.



"Be gentle to the weak, firm to the stubborn, steadfast to the proud, humble to the lowly."



#### **WARDENS**

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My kingdom does not belong to this world. (John 18:36)

Pilate must have been confused. He had asked Jesus point-blank,
"Are You the King of the Jews?" (John 18:33). Jesus didn't answer him
directly, but he made it clear that His kingdom wasn't what Pilate had
been envisioning. Instead, He said this kingdom "is not here" and
"does not belong to this world" (18:36).

So where is Jesus' kingdom, and what's it like? On today's feast of Christ the King, let's reflect on God's kingdom and how it compares with the kingdom of the world. The kingdom of the world values power, wealth, honor, and pleasure. These things are not bad in themselves, but we can easily make them idols. We can even fool ourselves into thinking that we are not going after them. But if they are the primary reason we get out of bed in the morning, and if we spend most of our time seeking them out, then we are probably too immersed in the kingdom of the world.

The kingdom of God, on the other hand, values sacrificial love, forgiveness, humility, and service. Such things are not always attractive because they come with a cost. Yet the reward is always greater - not only in this life, as we experience Jesus' abundant love and mercy, but also in the next, when we will see Him face-to-face and live in His joyful embrace forever.

Today as you worship the King of kings at Mass, think about what you most value and what you are most anxious to achieve. Then, see if these things are more in line with God's kingdom or with the kingdom of the world. We are all tempted at times to straddle both kingdoms at the same time. But over and over again, we are faced with choices to serve one or the other. May we always choose to serve Jesus, our King and Lord!

"Praise You, King of kings and Lord of lords!"

Daniel 7:13-14 • Psalm 93:1-2,5 • Revelation 1:5-8



Spread the love of God through your life, but only use words when necessary

Love cannot remain by itself – it has no meaning. Love has to be put into action, and that action is service.

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions

People who suffer from depression:

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

#### **PARISH COUNCIL**

Fr. Gerry, Fr. George, Deacon Robin, Selena Cheung, Lisa Stivaletti, Michael Y. Boh, Cory Johnson, Annie Walker, Bob & Prem Neeff

Thank you to those who have managed to donate towards our annual operating expenses and summer 2021 Roof Project during the Pandemic. Your generosity is truly appreciated. We now accept e-transfers (office@johnbrebeuf.ca). Please e-mail or call the office with your security question answer. In-person donations at the church, office and via our mailbox on the lawn are also available.

#### **Private Worship**

The church will remain open for private worship (lighting a candle, private prayer) Monday to Friday from 9am to 4 p.m. Please note that the due to the change in weather the doors will be shut but will be unlocked.



#### **Annual Parish Dues**

If you have not received your annual Parish Dues letter please contact the Parish office at ext. 221

#### Parish Bazaar and Craft Sale

Thank you to all the volunteers who donated goods, helped set up, price objets, worked the tabes during the sale, and helped with the clean up. Thank you also to everybody who showed up to make our Bazaar & Craft Sale a success. Your generosity helped us raise just over \$4,900.



Advent

Fridays during Advent (Dec 3, 10, 17)

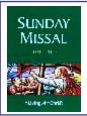
there will be an Exposition of
The Blessed Sacrament from 6 to 7 p.m.
followed by a Eucharistic Celebration
here in the Church.

If you (or someone you know) is a shut-in and would like a Pastoral Visit from a priest this Advent please call Dawn at ext. 223 or email her. Her email address is parishevents@johnbrebeuf.ca



#### Sunday December 05 - WARDENS' **ELECTIONS**

If you are over 18 years old and live in LaSalle, Your parish needs you! you may wish to consider presenting yourself next Sunday December 5 after the 11 am Eucharist for one of the two open wardens' positions.



#### Sunday Missals 2020-2021

The 2021-2022 living with Christ Sunday Missals will be on sale at the main entrance of the church for \$7 each. Please remember to write your name and phone number in it.

#### **Change for Change**



During Advent the Children's Can for Coins will be in support of UNICEF. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



There will be a bake sale at the rear of the Church after all Weekend Celebrations during Advent. Bring your sweettooth. All proceeds to our Faith First Program of Children Religious education and Sacramental Preparation.

#### Celebration of the Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)

Friday December 24th No 9:00 a.m. Mass 3:30p.m., 7:00 pm, 9:00p.m. & Midnight

Saturday December 25th 9:00am. & 11:00 am

**Feast of the Holy Family** Sunday December 26th 11:00 a.m.

#### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Friday December 31

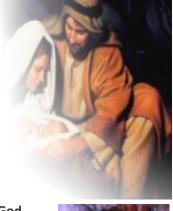
12 Noon - 3:30 p.m. Adoration 3:30 p.m. **Vespers** 4:30 p.m. Mass

Saturday January 1

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Mass

Sunday January 2 - Feast of the Epiphany 11:00 am. Mass

Our Saturday 4:30p.m. celebrations are livestreamed on our YouTube channel - Link can be found on our website: https://.johnbrebeuf.ca







# MASS INTENTIONS



#### Monday (Nov 22) Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

9:00 a.m. - Elizabeth Joseph by the Pastoral Team

- **Soraya Villarroel** by Carlos Villarroel

#### Tuesday (Nov 23)

9:00 a.m. - For the Souls in Purgatory by Olga Davis

- Serge Richard by Louise
- (Living) Birthday blessings for Margaret **Zwittnig** by Bridget Martin

#### Wednesday (Nov 24) Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

9:00 a.m. - Peter Stivaletti by Myrna & Lisa

- (Living) In thanksgiving by Ailis & Alan de Souza

#### Thursday (Nov 25)

9:00 a.m. - Deceased members of the Robert & Mauricette families by Vera

#### Friday (Nov 26)

9:00 a.m. - (Living) Birthday blessings for Margaret **Zwittnig** by Maria Emeld

#### Saturday (Nov 27)

- 4:30 p.m. Annunzio & Adele DeAngelis & Elisabetta Forlini by Gaby
  - Angelo Ricobene by Tracey Timmoney
  - Fiorina Selitto by Dawn Quevillon & family
  - Irene Tjin Kam Jet by Dawn Quevillon & family
  - John C Brady by wife Maria & family
  - Anastadsios Pandelas by daughter Maria & family
  - Maria Zeppilli by grand-daughter Maria &
  - Patrick John Menzies by Donna Furmanowicz & Irene & Danny Barnes & family

#### Sunday (Nov 21) First Sunday of Advent

9:00 a.m. - Deceased members of the Rossi family by Francis & Adolph Diorio & family

11:00 a.m. - Deceased members of the Raspa & Vernacchia families by Anna & Don Giarusso

> - Sister Noella Bolduc & Father John Walsh by Anna & Don Giarusso



Our Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week for the deceased members of our Parish

#### **HOPE FOOD BANK:**

If your surname begins with A to Z you are asked to bring non-perishable items next weekend for our HOPE food bank. This week we are in need of Face Soap and Tooth Brushes.

Thank you for your generosity.



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