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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday—Friday 9:30 am—11:00 am / 1:00 pm-4:00 pm

Closed between 11:00 am and 1:00 pm.

## WEEKEND CELEBRATIONS

4:30 p.m. (Livestreamed, Saturday:

link on our website)

9:00 a.m. Sunday:

11:00 a.m.

## **WEEKDAY CELEBRATIONS**

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

7:00 p.m.

Thursday 9:00 a.m. Friday 9:00 a.m.

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday Evening at 6:30 p.m.

Every Friday following the Mass for 15 minutes First Friday of the Month All-Day Adoration, Vespers begin at 5:45 p.m.

### SACRAMENTS

# Reconciliation

A Priest will be available before all Celebrations or by appointment.

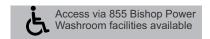
**Baptisms & Marriages** cjohnson@johnbrebeuf.ca

Anointing of the Sick; Visit to shut-ins/pastoral home care call the office ext. 221

**Religious Education:** 

Children/teens: Sylvie 514-907-1694 Adults: Fr. George Zacharias





# PASTORAL TEAM

To speak with the pastor call the office

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### **WARDENS**

Wendy Biello Rashmini Segarajasinghe-Ernest Anna Esposito Marlene Demers Vincent Occhionero Lisa Stivaletti

### **Parish Council**

Your Parish Council meets regularly and works diligently to make our parish community life rich in all aspects. Please contact any of the members with suggestions and/or concerns, and know that they will be seriously considered.

### <u>Members</u>

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

### Get our Updates Via E-Mail

Send us an e-mail at office@johnbrebeuf.ca and we will gladly add you to our list.

# Next Week's Readings

Ezekiel 18.25-28 • Psalm 25 Philippians 2.1-11 • John 10:27

## St Vincent de Paul - September 27th

Read some chapter of a devout book....It is very easy and most necessary, for just as you speak to God when at prayer, God speaks to you when you read.

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### Matthew 20:1-16

You too go into my vineyard. (Matthew 20:4)

Jesus told this parable to help us better understand how generous and merciful God is. But the seeming unfairness of the landowner's decision can still leave us feeling a bit unsettled. We might react differently, however, when we consider the lives of two people who, like the workers in this parable, came to the vineyard later in life.

Felix Leseur was raised Catholic in Nineteenth-century France but lost his faith in medical school and became an atheist. His wife, Elizabeth on the other hand, grew closer to God and began praying fervently for her husband's conversion. After her death at the age of forty-seven, Felix began reading her diary. The deep faith he saw there touched him, and he returned to the Lord at the age of fifty-six and eventually became a priest.

St. Angela of Foligno was born in 1248 to a wealthy family in Umbria, Italy. Married at a young age, she revelled in the worldly life and all its trappings. But a series of natural disasters and an ongoing war led her to reexamine her priorities. At the age of thirty-seven considered midlife for that time - she sought the Lord's mercy in Confession. Then after the premature deaths of her husband, mother, and two children, she gave up all her possessions and became a lay Franciscan.

When we hear about people like Felix and Angela, we don't begrudge them the heavenly reward they are now enjoying. It doesn't matter that they came later to the vineyard. God and His angels in heaven still rejoiced, and so should we anytime we hear of someone turning to God later in life.

God is always inviting people to "go into my vineyard" (Matthew 20:4). Today at Mass, pray for the people you know who have not yet accepted His invitation. May they one day receive the reward He so graciously has in store for them!

"Father, I praise You for Your mercy and generosity, which have no bounds!"
Isaiah 55:6-9 - Psalm 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18
Philippians 1:20-24,27

### **Private Worship**

Our church will remain open for Private Worship between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday- Friday. All are welcome to come in and pray, light a candle or just spend time in reflection.

# The Pope's Prayer Intention September 2023 - For people living on the margins



We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

# Around Parish



There will be a second collection after Communion next weekend for our Capital Debt Fund.



Thank you to Father McDonald for leading our retreat last weekend. A special thank you to those who took time from their busy schedules to attend.



# **CWL Penny Fair**



All are welcome to our Parish Hall on Wednesday October 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. for what promises to be a wonderful evening of fun and laughter with members of our Catholic Women's League! A chance to meet old friends and make new ones. There will be lots of fun prizes to be won, plus a raffle for additional prizes! Refreshments will be served. Bring a friend!



### **Book Sale**

Friday October 13, 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., Saturday October 14, 10 a.m. to 6:00 p.m and Sunday October 15, 10:00 a.m. to 12 Noon in the Parish Hall. Please, if you can, refrain from bringing your books before Oct. 7



## High Tea Wednesday October 18th

Join us for our monthly High Tea. Enjoy homemade scones, finger sandwiches, sweets and of course our deliciously brewed tea!

Please reserve your spot by October 13<sup>h</sup>. by calling Lorraine @ 514-605-1974 or by email: <a href="mailto:lorraine@johnbrebeuf.ca">lorraine@johnbrebeuf.ca</a>



We wish to express our appreciation to all those who donated items, money, and even gift cards to replace the equipment lost during the break-in of the garden shed. Your generosity is truly a blessing from God.



The main phase of our roof project has begun and the small parking lot will be needed for equipment storage. It will be closed to parking until this phase is complete.

# Up coning NTS



Saturday September 30 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Raffle / Snack Bar

Due to ongoing work on our roof, space will be limited this year. But we will still have 70 tables.



## **Italian Evening**

Our annual Italian evening will be Saturday October 21 here in the Hall. Tickets will be on sale once the menu has been finalized.



Parish Bazaar Friday November 10 & Saturday November 11



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## Chair Yoga is back at St. John Brébeuf

The session is currently underway.

To register or for more information contact
Lisa Griffin at 514-909-2246 or by email at
<a href="mailto:theyogaconnection.com">theyogaconnection.com</a>



Alpha started last Tuesday Sept. 19 at St. Willibrord and Wednesday September 20 at St. Ignatius of Loyola This is your last opportunity to register for this session.

Please go to: <a href="stig.ca/alpha!">stig.ca/alpha!</a> for additional information or to register.



# MASS INTENTIONS



Monday (September 25)

9:00 A.M. - Deceased Parishioners

Tuesday (September 26) St. John de Brebeuf,

Isaac Jogues & Companions

9:00 A.M.

 Lourdes Nocelo Opena by the Rededa family

(Living) For the Intentions of Rita
 Matane by Elizabeth

Wednesday (September 27) St. Vincent de Paul

9:00 A.M. - André Texeira by Giselda & family

7:00 P.M. - Sick & Shut-Ins Thursday (September 28)

9:00 A.M. - Deceased Parishioners

Friday (September 29) St. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

9:00 A.M. - Sick & Shut-Ins

Saturday (September 30) St. Jerome

4:30 P.M

- Jimmy Mendaglio by Gaby
- Elizabeth Timmoney by Dora & Tracey Timmoney
- Luciana Monte by Dora & Tracey Timmoney
- Pierre De Repentigny by Andre
- Maria Fernandes by the family
- (Living) Birthday blessings for Jonathan Dias by the family

Sunday (October 1)

9:00 A.M. - (Living) Birthday blessings for Carol Testa by John Testa

**11:00 A.M.** - Margaret Ryan by Carol & John Testa



Our Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week
(September 22 - 29)

(Living) for our Sick & Shut-ins

Our HOPE Society would like to thank everybody who contributed to the success of their food drive; the volunteers and the parishioners and citizens of LaSalle who donated so generously. Thanks to their efforts, close to 400 boxes of food was collected.



HOPE EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE: Please call 514-363-4578 and leave a message or

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