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OFFICE HOURS:
Monday—Friday
9:30 am—12:00 pm / 1:00 pm—4:00 pm
Closed between 12:00 am and 1:00 pm.

WEEKEND CELEBRATIONS

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. (Livestreamed,
link on our website)
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.
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

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PASTORAL TEAM

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Lorraine Demers 514-605-1974
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WARDENS

Rev. Mr. Cory Johnson - Chairperson

Wendy Biello Rashmini Segarajasinghe-Ernest
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Vincent Occhionero

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.

Members

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

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

Leviticus 13.1-2, 45-46 • Psalm 32
1 Corinthians 10.31-11.1 • Mark 1.40-45

St Ansgar - February 3

Ansgar's disciples suggested that he could work
miracles, he said, "Were I worthy of such a favour
from my God, I would ask that He would grant to
me this one miracle, that by His grace He would
make of me a good man."

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Job 7:1-4, 6-7

My days . . . come to an end without hope. (Job 7:6)

Poor Job! He had lost his possessions, his family, and his health. But perhaps worst of all, he had lost his hope. Now there was nothing for him to do but suffer and wait for death to take him out of his misery. He was convinced that he would "not see happiness again" (Job 7:7).

We all need hope, but it's not something we can manufacture on our own. Instead, we need something to pin our hopes on, and that was what Job was lacking. Like Job, if we don't see something on the horizon that will improve our current situation, we find it hard to keep going.

Perhaps that's how the people in Jesus' time felt as well. They had been living under harsh Roman occupation, and they didn't know when God would come to rescue them. But then Jesus came on the scene. In today's Gospel, He heals Peter's mother-in-law and then spends the evening healing people and casting out demons (Mark 1:32-34). What hope this must have sparked, not only in the people He cured, but in everyone who had witnessed such divine power! Perhaps He really was the Messiah they had been waiting for!

The next morning, Jesus told the disciples that He was going to other villages in Galilee to preach and heal. For this purpose have I come" (Mark 1:38).

For this purpose I have come. Jesus came to give us hope: to heal us of our sins and free us from the power of death. He came to give us life in Him, a life that begins now but will last into eternity

Perhaps you are tempted to feel hopeless about a difficult situation in your life. Or maybe you're discouraged about what the future will hold. But remember what Jesus said: He came for a purpose, and that purpose is being fulfilled in your life and in the world even now. He is the horizon you can like to whenever you are tempted to give up hope. May we always keep our eyes on Him!

"Jesus, You are my hope, now and forever."

Psalm 147:1-6 1

Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23

Mark 1:29-39

The Pope's Prayer Intention

February 2024 - For the Terminally Ill



We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

Around Our Parish



Our Meals-on-Wheels program has restarted for the first time since the Covid shutdown. Meals will be delivered every Thursday. To register or for more information call Susan Nagy @ 438-877-3373 or the Montreal Volunteer Bureau at 514-842-3351

CWL Valentines Raffle

Featuring a basket of chocolate, wine, and other surprises!

Tickets on sale after all weekend Celebrations.

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Draw Date next Sunday February 11.

following the 11:00 a.m. Celebration

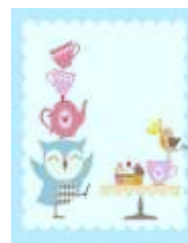
Prizes include Bocci's restaurant gift certificates, Cineplex gift certificate, Bottle of wine, Gift box of 4 olive oils

Lady Godiva chocolates, Candles, Cheese knives and Red "Wine" mug

**Keys to our Church and Rectory areas**

Anyone who has a key to our church or rectory area is asked to contact the parish office by February 16th to arrange to show/describe your key(s) to one of our parish staff members so that we may update our key register. (The last time we did this exercise was in 2017). Thank you for your cooperation in this important matter, please note that having an updated key register is for insurance purposes.

Please also note that all parish group leaders have been asked to make a list of anyone in their group who has a key, please check with your group leader to be sure your name is there.

**High Tea Wednesday February 21st**

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

Cost: \$15.⁰⁰

Please reserve your spot by February 16th. by calling Lorraine @ 514-605-1974 or by email: lorraine@johnbrebeuf.ca

**St. Patrick's Dinner Dance**

Saturday March 2

Tickets \$45.00 each

on sale soon

**St. Patrick's Parade**

Sunday March 17

Join our Parish Unit

Details to follow

Upcoming EVENTS

Lent at Brébeuf



Ash Wednesday (February 14)

9:00 a.m. Mass with Blessing of Ashes
6:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins
7:00 p.m. Mass with Distribution of Ashes



Way of the Cross

every Friday during Lent
at 6:30 p.m.



Way of the Cross with Children

Every Saturday during Lent at
10:00 a.m.



Lenten Retreat

Mon/Tue March 4/5 & 11/12 at 6:30 p.m.



Pilgrimage to St. Joseph's Oratory

Tuesday March 19 - Feast of St. Joseph
Mass in the Crypt Church at 11:15 a.m.
We will arrange a bus to and from the Service
if numbers warrant. Call Lorraine at
514-605-1974.



Lenten Reconciliation

Wednesday March 20
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

What do we have for our teens after confirmation? How can we build up community and camaraderie among the teens of our parish?

Please join Deacon Cory for the Ministry to Teens info session on Tuesday February 13, 2024 at 6:30 in the hall. We will identify what the teens need in all aspects of life. From faith to friends, communication to self improvement.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to participate. The age group will be from 13 - 17 years old, however, if there are younger siblings who wish to attend the age limit is 11.



MASS INTENTIONS



Monday (February 5) St. Agatha

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

Tuesday (February 6) St. Paul Miki & companions

9:00 A.M. - Deceased Parishioners

Wednesday (February 7)

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

7:00 P.M. - Deceased Parishioners

Thursday (February 8)

9:00 A.M. - Grazia D'Adamo by Robert Musano

Friday (February 9)

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

Saturday (February 10)

4:30 P.M. - Ann Jastrzebski by Steve & Helen Jastrzebski

- Elaine Hope & deceased members of the Thomas family by Clifford Fernandes

- Jim Timmone by Tracey & Dora Timmone

Sunday (February 11) 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 A.M. - Errol Clement by Carol & John Testa

- Roger & Camille Brouillard by the Savard family

11:00 P.M. - (Living) To the Sacred Heart of Jesus for many blessings received by Zena & Eduardo



Our Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week
(February 2 - 9)

for Aida Mounthino & Antonio
Gomes Dias
by Ana & Vera



Just Films returns

with "Harriet" (2019), a film about the life of Harriet Tubman, Join us in the Hall
Friday February 16 at 7:00 p.m.

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