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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

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.

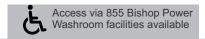
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**Religious Education:** 

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





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To speak with the pastor call the office

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### **WARDENS**

Rev. Mr. Cory Johnson - Chairperson

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### **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

Marc 11.1-10 ● Isaiah 50.4-7 ● Psalm 22 Philippians 2.8-9 • Mark 14.1-15.47

### St. Patrick - March 17

Christ beside me. Christ before me. Christ behind me, Christ within me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me.

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### John 12:20-33

When I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to Myself. (John 12:32)

This is not the first time in John's Gospel that Jesus uses the image of being "lifted up" to describe His crucifixion (John 12:32). Earlier, Jesus compared Moses' lifting of the serpent in the desert to Himself being "lifted up" (3:14). Then, speaking to the religious leaders, He said, "When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will realize that I AM" (8:28).

Of course, after Jesus was nailed to a cross, He was physically lifted up. But John's repeated use of the phrase goes beyond that. Jesus' crucifixion, as horrible and painful as it was, was also an exaltation. That's because through His cross and resurrection, Jesus saved the world. It was a victory over sin, Satan, and death.

This is the paradox of the cross. It was through Jesus' suffering and death that He was glorified – and brought glory to His Father's Name (John 12:28). It was by becoming that grain of wheat that falls to the ground and dies that Jesus was able to produce "much fruit" (12:24). That "fruit" – our salvation- is why we reverence the cross. It is also why Jesus could talk of His impending death as a lifting up. It was truly a triumph of love over death.

Jesus also promised to "draw everyone' to Himself (John 12:32). This, too, was the fruit of His sacrifice. The cross removed the barrier of sin that blocked our relationship with the Father. Now, forgiven and made blameless through Jesus' blood, we have become sons and daughters of God. Drawn into the heart of the Trinity, we can enjoy eternal life with God, both now and forever.

Today at Mass, gaze at the crucifix above the altar and let it speak to you of God's infinite love for you. Then praise and thank Jesus for His willingness to suffer and die so that you might live.

"Jesus, I exalt Your Name over all the earth!"
Jeremiah 31:31-34
Psalm 51:3-4, 12-15
Hebrews 5:7-9



Via Crucis Good Friday March 29 at 9:30 a.m. Way of the Cross in the streets of Montréal Led by Mgr. Christian Lépine, Archbishop of Montréal

Starting at 9:30 a.m. from the Notre-Dame-de-Bon-Secours Chapel. (400 St-Paul E.) For itinerary and more details, see the Archdiocese website <u>here</u>

# The Pope's Prayer Intention March 2024 - for the new martyrs



We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world. Inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

# Around Parish



### FF Registration for 2024-25

The form is available on our website Please register as soon as possible.



Thank you to the Volunteers who got our Meals-on-Wheels program running again. At the moment they serve every Thursday. To return to a Tuesday & Thursday schedule more cooks, drivers, and helpers would be needed. Call Susan at 438-877-3373



Ministry to Teens continues this Friday March 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.



### Palm Saturday Walk

Organised by Mission Jeunesse WHEN? Saturday, March 23 2024 MEETING POINTS

2 PM: Mount Royal Chalet (Belvedere Kondiaronk)

4:15PM: Newman Centre

5PM: Mary-Queen-of-the-World Cathedral

FOR WHOM?

It is intended for youth: teens\* (13-17 y.o.) and young adults (18-35 y.o.), and Youth Ministry leaders accompanying young people.

Anyone outside of these age limits are more than welcome to join in praying with and for young people. However, we ask for adult's collaboration in giving priority to young people in the distribution of palms and at front seats at the Cathedral.

\*Minors must be accompanied by adult leaders recognized by the parish, movement or community, respecting <u>Responsible</u>
<u>Pastoral Ministry practices</u>.

For more info: Palm Saturday Walk 2024 - Mission Jeunesse Montréal (missionjeunessemtl.org)



### **Children's Lenten Collection**

Our Lenten Children's collection in support of Chalice International continues,

For more info on this charity visit <a href="https://chalice.ca/">https://chalice.ca/</a>



Activity & Colouring sheets for elementary age children are available near the main doors every weekend. They are centred on the weekend's Gospel Readings and reflection.

Our Children's Liturgy (for children aged 5 to 12) has resumed on Sundays. Parents are asked to bring their children to the parish hall at 10:45 a.m. The children will then be reading the Gospel of the day for Children and doing an activity, until they are brought back to sit with their parents in the church during the offertory (approx. 11:30 a.m.) for the rest of the mass. For information please call the parish office.

Fifth Sunday of Lent March 16/17 2024

# Upcoming NTS

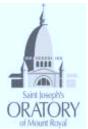
# Lent at Brébeuf



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.



Pilgrimage to St. Joseph's Oratory

This Tuesday March 19 - Feast of St. Joseph Mass in the Crypt Church at 11:15 a.m. We have a bus to transport you from the Church to and from the Service if numbers warrant. To reserve your spot call Lorraine at 514-605-1974 or email

lorraine@johnbrebeuf.ca



**Lenten Reconciliation** 

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

There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament or Eucharistic Celebration this Evening. If you cannot arrive for 6:00 p.m., you are welcome to come any time during the Service for Reconciliation



Passion/Palm Sunday -Sat March 23/Sun March 24

- Saturday 4:30 p.m.
- Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday** - Regular Schedule **Holy Thursday - March 28** 

- No 9:00 a.m. Celebration
- Mass of The Lord's Supper 8:00 p.m.

### Good Friday - March 29

- No 9:00 a.m. Celebration or Adoration
- Solemn Liturgy 3:00 p.m.
- Mary's Way of the Cross 6:30 p.m.

### Easter Vigil - March 30

- No 4:30 p.m. Celebration Vigil Mass 8:00 p.m.

### Easter Sunday - March 31

- 9:00 a.m. (Livestream)
- 11:00 a.m.



## MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday (March 16)

4·30 PM

- Helen Leckman by Steve & Helen Jastrzebski
- Jim Timmoney by Tracey & Dora Timmoney
- (Living) For the health of Michael Wilds by Olga Hanchuk

Sunday (March 17) 5th Sunday of Lent

- **9:00 A.M.** Deceased members of the Wilson family by the Taugher family
  - C. Patrick & Rita McInerney & son Terry by the family
- 11:00 A.M. Elizabeth Diggins by her husband Frank
  - Neil Tynan by Carol & John Testa
  - Walter Hanchuk by Olga Hanchuk

Monday (March 18)

**9:00 A.M.** - (*Living*) Birthday blessings for Mark Fraser by Prem & Bob Neeff

Tuesday (March 19) St. Joseph

9:00 A.M. - (Living) Birthday blessings for Alan Neeff by Prem & Bob Neeff

Wednesday (March 20

9:00 A.M. - Mr. & Mrs. William Noonan by the family

- 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. - Reconciliation Service

Thursday (March 21)

9:00 A.M. - Jacques LeBlanc by Olga Hanchuk

Friday (March 22)

9:00 A.M. - Joseph John Farias by Prem & Bob Neeff Saturday (March 23)

4:30 P.M - John McCambridge by Rita & Tim Burns & family

Sunday (March 24) Passion (Palm) Sunday
9:00 A.M. - Esterina Aloi by Barbara & Frank Mastromonaco

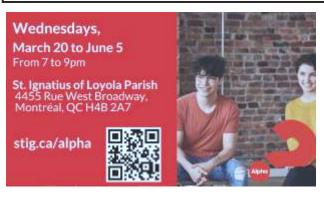
11:00 A.M. - Antonio Lisio by his grandson & family

- Richard Marcotte by Carol & John Testa



Our Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week (March 15-22)

(Living) for Annie Walker and family by John & Carol Testa



Alpha is an opportunity to explore life, faith and God in a friendly, open and informal environment. For info click

https://youtu.be/oMmUxmQrGfl?si=1McHGSDGL--A5Fwh

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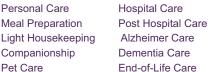
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