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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

Next Week's Readings

Acts 5.28-32, 40b-41 • Psalm 30
Revelation 5.11-14 • John 21.1-19

St Louis de Montfort – April 28th

*When the Holy Rosary is said well, it gives
Jesus and Mary more glory and is more
meritorious than any other prayer.*



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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday—Friday
9:30 am—12:00 pm / 1:00 pm—4:00 pm
Closed between 12:00 Noon 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 No Celebration
Tuesday 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.
Thursday 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m.

Rosary 8:30 a.m. Tuesday to Friday

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Friday following the Mass for 15 minutes

*First Friday of the Month
Adoration continues to 12:00 Noon*

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: Sylvie 514-907-1694
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Holy Thursday \$1,867.00

Good Friday \$2,430.00

Easter \$7,682.00



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Revelation 1:9-13, 17-19 Do not be afraid. (Revelation 1:17)

Anyone would have been afraid! Most Jews believed that if they saw the glory of God face-to-face, they would die. This explains why St. John, who wrote the Book of Revelation, collapsed to the ground when he was brought into the presence of the "one like a Son of Man" (Revelation 1:13). Even John, who had walked with Jesus, witnessed His transfiguration, laid his head on Jesus' breast, and watched as He ascended to heaven, was overwhelmed!

Jesus' response to John is perfect for today's celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday: "Do not be afraid" (Revelation 1:17). He didn't tell John that there was no reason to fear; he touched him, offered a word of encouragement, and raised Him up. That expression of love and intimacy overcame John's fears and enabled him to stand before his glorious Lord. That's what mercy is all about! It's the perfect love of God, which "drives out fear" (1 John 4:18).

This is the same mercy Jesus showed to Thomas who doubted the resurrection because he hadn't seen it with his own eyes. But Jesus came and invited Thomas to touch His wounds and "believe" (John 20:27). Like John, Thomas experienced a mercy that saw his unworthiness and still drew him close.

We can experience that mercy, too. Jesus knows that in the light of His glory, we are all frail and flawed. He knows that in the light of His truth, we often doubt and distrust. He knows we are not worthy to come to Him on our own merits. Yet, in His power and holiness and glory, He is patient with us. As He did for Thomas, He sees our weakness and shores up our faith. As He did for John, He calms our fearful hearts and assures us of His love.

So don't be afraid to come to Jesus today. Don't be afraid to let Him see you as you truly are. Come and hear Him say, "Do not be afraid."

"Jesus, thank You for the depths of Your mercy!"

Acts 5:12-16 - Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 - John 20:19-31
From "The Word Among Us"

**PRAY FOR POPE FRANCIS**

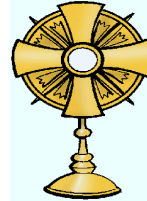
In loving memory of Pope Francis, servant of the servants of God. May he be with our Lord this day in Paradise.

PRAY FOR THE ELECTION OF A NEW POPE

O God, Eternal Shepherd who govern Your flock with unflinching care, grant in Your boundless Fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please You by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Around **Our Parish**

Beginning this Monday - April 28 - there will be no Monday Rosary, no Eucharistic Celebration, and the office will be closed every Monday.

**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION**

This Friday is the First Friday of the month. Our Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin following the 9:00 a.m. Mass and continue until 12:00 Noon.



THERE WILL BE A SECOND COLLECTION next weekend for our Capital Debt Roof Fund



The Ministers of Hospitality invite you to our Mother's Day Brunch on Sunday May 11 following the 11:00 a.m. Celebration. Tickets are \$25.00 per person. One free Mimosa per person. Additional Mimosa \$5.00 each. If you have any food allergies or dietary restrictions (Vegetarian, no gluten, etc.) please inform us when reserving your ticket. We will be pleased to arrange a meal for you that meets your needs. Tickets on sale after Weekend Celebrations or by calling Marlene at ext. 227. Reserved tickets must be paid on or before May 4.



CWL PENNY FAIR
WEDNESDAY MAY 14th

Everyone is welcome at our CWL Penny fair - even men! Doors will open at 6:30p.m. for shoppers - **NOT before**. We will begin to draw the prizes at 7:30PM sharp! Food and beverage will be served. The event is hosted by the CWL members only. Although we appreciated your donations in the past, we will not accept donated food or items. Raffle tickets will be on sale



Contact Deacon Cory at cjohnson@johnbrebeuf.ca for information or to join. Register before September 12



Activity & Colouring sheets for elementary age children are available near the main doors every weekend.

Groups and Events



MASS FOR SICK & SHUT-INS
Saturday May 10 beginning at 9 :30
a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation,
Mass, Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament and a light lunch.
Contact Lorriane to register.

3RD ANNUAL PALLIATIVE CARE RESIDENCE WALK SUNDAY MAY 4

All are welcome to walk or to donate to support our Sault-Saint-Louise Palliative Care Residence – now open! Our CWL group has created a team on behalf of the parish. To donate to the CWL team you can go straight to the site <https://www.zeffy.com/fr-CA/team/catholic-womens-league-of-st-john-brebeuf> and donate OR you can scroll down to see the individual members and donate to their campaigns (each participant is asked to try to raise \$100 this year). To join the team please follow the instructions on the website and choose the Catholic Women's League of St. John Brébeuf Team! For more information please contact our parish office – ext. 221



MINISTRY TO TEENS

Meet Monthly
Contact Deacon Cory at
cjohnson@johnbrebeuf.ca
for information or to join. Next
meeting Friday June 6 at 7 p.m. in
the Hall

YARD SALE SATURDAY JUNE 7

For information or to reserve a table
contact Lorriane. Phone 514-605-
1974 or contact her by email
lorriane@johnbrebeuf.ca

COOKS & COOKS HELPERS NEEDED

If you are free on weekdays in the
morning, Meals on Wheels needs cooks
and cook's helper as soon as possible.
Call Susan Nagy at 438-877-3373

DATES TO REMEMBER

Char & Mat Yoga return - Contact Lisa
Western Karaoke Night - Saturday June 14
HOPE Annual Food Drive - Saturday September 14
Parish Feast - Sunday September 28
Parish Vitality Conference - Saturday October 18
Italian Festival Dinner - Saturday October 25



MASS INTENTIONS



Monday (April 28)

9:00 A.M. - No Eucharistic Celebration

Tuesday (April 29) St. Catherine of Siena

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

Wednesday (April 30) St. Marie of the Incarnation

9:00 A.M. - (Living) In thanksgiving for the month of
the Eucharist by Marie-Claire

Thursday (May 1)

9:00 A.M. - Deceased Parishioners

Friday (May 2) St. Athanasius

9:00 A.M. - Carlos Melo by Sharon Donovan

Saturday (May 3)

4:30 P.M. - Kenneth Warren by William Warren
- Timothy Burns by Jo Tobin
- Nicolas Santaguida by Tracey & Dora
Timmony
- (Living) For the intentions of Rheza Marie
Cayanong by Mrs. Herico

Sunday (May 4) 3rd Sunday of Easter

9:00 A.M. - Palmiro Salvati by his parents
11:00 A.M. - Sick & Shut - Ins



**The Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week
(April 25 - May 2)**

**In loving memory of Angelo Gemma
by his family**



Please send all requests for Mass
Intentions 2 weeks or more before the
requested date. This is to ensure it will be in
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board and, most importantly, on the Altar.



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