

# SAINT PATRICK'S BASILICA

## MONTREAL - QUEBEC

1847-2024

A Welcoming and Reconciling Community

### The Feast of Saint Patrick



### St. Patrick's Breast Plate Prayer

Christ, be with me, Christ before me,  
Christ behind me, Christ in me,  
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,  
Christ on my right, Christ on my left  
Christ where I lie, Christ where I sit,  
Christ where I arise.  
Christ in the heart of everyone  
who thinks of me,  
Christ in the mouth of everyone  
who speaks of me,  
Christ in every eye that sees me,  
Christ in every ear that hears me.

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**MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2024**  
**THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
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# The Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 31.31-34++

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 5.7-9

**Gospel:** John 12.20-33



For further

reflection on the Readings and Gospel, visit: <https://bible.usccb.org/readings/calendar>

## MEMORIAL CHALICES

The chalice used this week belonged to Msgr. Doran, former pastor of St. Patrick's Basilica, who was ordained on May 29, 1926 and died on April 2, 1966.

## PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Please pray for our sick: André Marcil, Jean R. Borjal, Milagros Punzalan, Maria Jesusa Fajardo, Santino Landivar, Pacita Parayno, Gus Settecase, John McGee and Maria Rodelyn Arellano. Please contact the Parish Office to add the name of someone for whom you would like prayers, 514-866-7379 or [info@stpatricksmtl.ca](mailto:info@stpatricksmtl.ca).

## ATTENTION: CHANGE IN SCHEDULE OF THE BASILICA

The Basilica will close on Wednesday March 20<sup>th</sup> after the 12:10 p.m. mass (at 1:00 p.m.) and re-open on Saturday at 4:00 p.m. The 12:10 p.m. masses on Thursday and Friday (March 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>) will be held in **the Lady Chapel**, please enter at the Parish Office entrance: 454 Rene-Levesque Blvd. West – corner of St. Alexandre.



## Pontifical Collection for the Church in the Holy Land on Good Friday, March 29, 2024

The annual Good Friday Collection was first taken at Pope Paul VI's request fifty years ago. It is the only yearly request asked by the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners throughout the world to assist the Church in the Holy Land. The monies collected support its pastoral, educational, and social works and help to maintain the Holy Places so important for the faith of Christians everywhere.

For the sake of our brothers and sisters enduring hardships, please give generously during your parish's Good Friday celebrations on **March 29, 2024**. If you are unable to attend the service, it is possible to contribute by Interact e-transfer to [terresainte@bellnet.ca](mailto:terresainte@bellnet.ca) or online at <https://commissariat.ca> – receipts will be issued. On behalf of the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land, to whom the Holy See has entrusted this ministry for nearly 700 years, I sincerely thank you for your support.

*Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada -Fr. Robert Mokry, OFM*



## LATIN MASS and ADORATION FOR MARCH

There will be **no** Latin Mass or Adoration in the month of March as it falls on ST. PATRICK'S DAY (MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>).

**COFFEE AFTER MASS:** Today after the Green Mass, next weekend on Palm Sunday, and on Easter Sunday, there will be no coffee after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

### Vocation View:

*We should like to see Jesus.* Where and how do we see Jesus? Pray for a clear vision of Jesus in the Body of Christ that surrounds us: in the poor, the outcast, and the suffering. Pray for the grace to stand with them. (John 12:20-33)

## HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2024

### Passion/Palm Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

Masses: **Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and  
Sunday at 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,  
& 5:00 p.m.**

*Confessions will be heard after each mass.*

### Holy Thursday, MARCH 28<sup>TH</sup>

**Mass of the Lord's Supper: 8:00 p.m.**

Presider & Homilist:

Msgr. Francis Coyle, C.S.S.

*Confessions will be **not** be heard*

### Good Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

Church opens at 10:00 a.m.

Confessions: 2:00 – 2:45 p.m.

### Celebration of the Lord's Passion

**3:00 p.m.**

Presider & Homilist: Fr. Robert Pierre-  
Louis

### Holy Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>

**Easter Vigil Service: 8:00 p.m.**

Presider & Homilist:

Msgr. Francis J. Coyle, C.S.S.

*(Church remains closed until 7:00 p.m.)*

*Confessions will **not** be heard*

### EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>

Masses: **9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,  
& 5:00 p.m.**

*Confessions will be **not** be heard*



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## ARE YOU REGISTERED?



It is important to stay connected to the Parish. One way is to be registered in Saint Patrick's parish database. Remember, we cannot know who you are unless you make yourself known to us. ***Please register with us even if you are not a weekly worshipper.***

<https://stpatricksmatl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/form.pdf>

~ The Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week in memory of the O'Reilly, Meehan and Neander Families ~

# Mass intentions

<b>Saturday,</b> 5:00 p.m.	<b>March 16<sup>th</sup></b> Francesca Cordeiro <i>requested by</i> her family
<b>Sunday,</b> 10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	<b>March 17<sup>th</sup> ~ The Feast of Saint Patrick ~</b> <i>Pro Populo</i> Margaret Healy <i>requested by</i> Sheila Showers & Family
<b>Monday,</b> 12:10 p.m.  <i>and</i>	<b>March 18<sup>th</sup></b> Benigno Bisares <i>requested by</i> Igna Angelo Tursi <i>requested by</i> A. Dos Santos
<b>Tuesday,</b> 12:10 p.m.  <i>and</i>	<b>March 19<sup>th</sup> ~ the Feast of Saint Joseph ~</b> Fr. Brendan Cullen, O.F. M. <i>requested by</i> Anna Elisio Michael Regan <i>requested by</i> Louise & Ken Kulin
<b>Wednesday</b> 12:10 p.m.	<b>March 20<sup>th</sup></b> Mr. Gilles Simard <i>requested by</i> the Alexander-Power Families
<b>Thursday,</b> 12:10 p.m.  <i>and</i>	<b>March 21<sup>st</sup> in the Lady Chapel</b> Jeanette & Eugene Ralph <i>requested by</i> Florence Wilson Vijay Joseph <i>requested by</i> Ashley's friend
<b>Friday,</b> 12:10 p.m.	<b>March 22<sup>nd</sup> in the Lady Chapel</b> Huguette Brais <i>requested by</i> Gerry & Marlene
<b>Saturday,</b> 5:00 p.m.	<b>March 23<sup>rd</sup></b> Esteban Mendez Diaz, Angelica Mendez & Maria Luisa Toledo <i>requested by</i> the Mendez Valdés Family

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## **St. Patrick's Parish: 454 René-Lévesque Blvd. West, Montréal, Québec H2Z 1A7**

### **Clergy at your Service**

Rev. Msgr. Francis J. Coyle, C.S.S., Pastor  
Fr. Robert Pierre-Louis, Assistant Priest  
Dr. Gordon Williams, Deacon  
Ciaran Pitchford, Deacon

### **Parish Office**

Interim Executive Director: Mary McGovern  
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### **Choir and Music**

Music Director: John Guzik  
Music Director Emeritus: Kevin Savor

### **Baptism**

The parents must be registered members of the parish. Please contact the Parish office for further details.

### **Marriages**

Couples wishing to marry at St. Patrick's are asked to contact the Parish office for further information. The future bride and/or groom must be a registered parishioner for at least 6 months prior to reserving a date for their marriage.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)**

Heard after mass.

### **Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls**

If you or a member of your family wish to have a priest or Eucharistic minister visit, please call the parish office to make arrangements.

### **Green-Room Coffee**

Coffee after the 11 a.m. mass from September to June.

### **Soup Kitchen**

Served in the Green Room every Friday from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. to those in need.

### **Sunday Eucharistic Celebrations**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

### **Weekday Eucharistic Celebration**

Monday to Friday: 12:10 p.m.

### **Mother of Perpetual Help Novena**

Tuesday: 12:10 p.m. mass

### **Wardens**

Lynn Loneragan Doyle, John Galic, Olga Hrycak,  
Peter O'Brien, Robert Raizenne, Lorna Telfer

### **R.C.I.A.**

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is for anyone considering conversion to Catholicism, or who as an adult wishes to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. The program is offered at St. Patrick's beginning in the **Fall**. For more information, please contact the Parish Office.

### **Catechism: Registration in September**

Religious instruction for children, which also involves sacramental preparation: please contact the Parish Office at 514-866-7379 or [info@stpatricksmtl.ca](mailto:info@stpatricksmtl.ca)

### **Young Adult Discussion Group**

Are you a young adult? The Saint Patrick's Young Adult Group welcomes you to join at our next faith meeting. Join us in the sacristy after the 5pm Mass on the first Sunday of each month. Call the Parish Office for more information.

### **Catholic Women's League**

The Catholic Women's League of Montreal City Council meets monthly on Saturdays. If you would like to attend and learn about our efforts in faith, service, and social justice, please contact : [colleencattiny@gmail.com](mailto:colleencattiny@gmail.com)

### **Legion of Mary**

Lisa Dalyop, President  
Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Red Room

### **Hearing-Impaired Worshippers**

St. Patrick's Basilica's sound system is equipped so that it enables hearing-impaired worshippers to listen through a digital device set to **88.1 FM**

For abuse-related complaints, the public is urged to contact diocesan authorities through two confidential means: **514-752-4683** or by [plainte@ombudsman-ecm.com](mailto:plainte@ombudsman-ecm.com)

