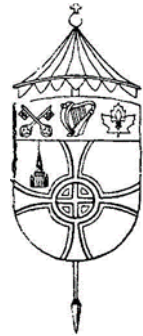


SAINT PATRICK'S BASILICA

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1847-2024

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May 26th, 2024

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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First Reading: Deuteronomy 4.32-34,39-40

Second Reading: Romans 8.14-17

Gospel: Matthew 28.16-20

For further reflection on the Readings and Gospel, visit:

<https://bible.usccb.org/readings/calendar>

MEMORIAL CHALICES

The chalice used this weekend at the 11:00 a.m. mass belonged to Rev. Gregory Doyon who was ordained on June 3, 1994 and who died on April 27, 1998.

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, Akka, Maria Rodelyn Arellano, Deonarine Seemangal, Bala Doss and Evelyn Venturi. Please contact the Parish Office to add the name of someone for whom you would like prayers, 514-866-7379 or info@stpatricksmtl.ca.

ROSARY

The Rosary is recited during the month of May by members of the Legion of Mary before the Tuesday Novena Mass at 12:10 p.m. and before the 11 o'clock Mass on Sundays. The crowning of the statue of Mary will take place on Tuesday, May 28th at the 12:10 p.m. mass. All are welcome to participate.

THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

Members of the The Montreal City Council CWL at St. Patrick's are collecting toiletries this weekend. We are collecting NEW items such as: Shampoo, Hair Conditioner, Tooth Paste, Tooth Brushes, Bars of Soap, Body Wash/Gel, Body Lotion, and Deodorant. We will also accept monetary donations. All donations will go to benefit the needy of Montreal through the shelters of *LOGIFEM, CHEZ DORIS, NATIVE WOMEN'S SHELTER, and BENEDICT LABRE HOUSE*. We give our thanks to your generosity which enables the CWL to continue supporting the needy of Montreal.

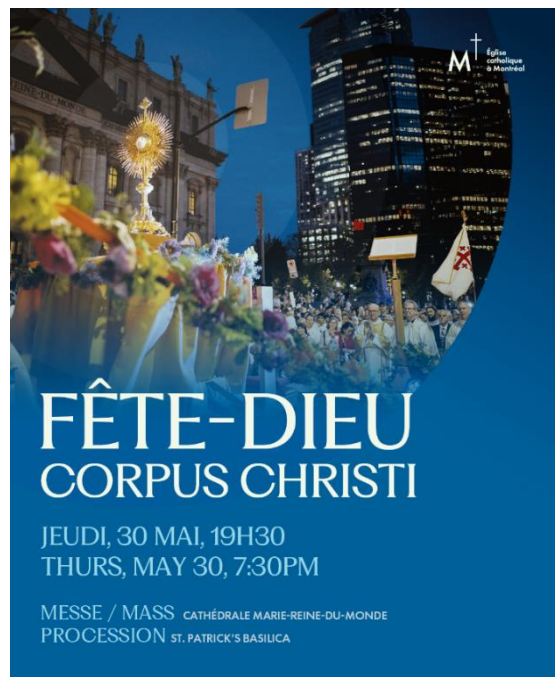
CORPUS CHRISTI: THURSDAY MAY 30TH

All the faithful of our archdiocese of Montreal are cordially invited to a special bilingual Mass presided by Archbishop Christian Lépine, at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral at 7:30 p.m.; followed by a Eucharistic procession through the streets of downtown. The evening will conclude, with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at Saint Patrick's Basilica.

Candles will be available for the procession, at a nominal cost, as you enter the Cathedral.

ADVERTISING IN OUR PARISH BULLETIN:

We have many spaces available on the back page of our bulletin for advertising. If you are interested in supporting your parish with this service, please call the Parish Office at 514-866-7379.



SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp is a constant reminder of the presence of God in our midst. You may sponsor the burning of the Basilica's Sanctuary Lamp for a week to memorialize a departed loved one, or as a special intention. The stipend is \$30.00 and you may make the arrangements through the parish office. The name of the loved one or the special intention will be listed in the bulletin (if so desired). Each request will be honoured in the order that they are received.

VIGIL LIGHTS

When you light one of our vigil candles, offer a prayer or intention along with it. You may pray for a special request, for loved ones, those who are sick or suffering or have recently died, you may offer your prayer to a particular Saint, to the Virgin Mary or simply to thank God for His blessing.

"By lighting the candle our prayer is physically represented, and we join our prayers to the light of Christ allowing that light to burn on and on in our souls, even when we have left the church. "My prayer is in my heart," Father Alar, director of the Association of Marian Helpers, explained. "How do I show this internal prayer? The votive candle is the way we can express in a physical, tangible way our inward prayer. Our prayer is symbolized by the candle."

[Lights of Faith: Candles Keep Vigil, Become Votive Offerings | National Catholic Register \(ncregister.com\)](https://www.ncregister.com)

It's customary to make an offering to the Church when you light a candle.

AOH ANNUAL WALK TO THE STONE:

Sunday May 26, 2024: 11:00 a.m. Mass at St Charles' Church (2111 Centre Street), walk will begin after mass. For more than a century the Ancient Order of Hibernians have hosted the Irish Community of Montreal on the last Sunday in May as they dedicate the Annual Walk to the Stone to those 6,000+ Irish souls buried at the Black Rock. The walk is open to everyone. INFO: Victor Boyle, 514-928-7196

UNDERGROUND PARKING AT HEC

The underground parking in the new HEC building is available! The entrance to the garage is on de la Gauchetière Street. Once you are parked, take the elevator to Level One, then once you are at Level One, exit and go to the next elevators on the right; go to Level 2, exit & take the corridor on the left to exit the building. At the end of mass, see the personnel at the door to receive the courtesy ticket – which you will need to re-enter HEC and to exit the garage.

NO PARKING IN THE CLERGY PARKING LOT: (EXCEPT FOR SERVERS & LECTORS).

HELPING YOUR PARISH

Please consider making an offering to Saint Patrick's. Please know that there are many ways to give to Saint Patrick's, through our weekly envelope system, by Credit Card, by internet through our website (Canada Helps) and by Interac transfer (e-transfer) to our email address info@stpatricksmtl.ca. (As well as our new TipTap donation devices – *no receipt*).

Thank you, *Mary McGovern & Rachael Egbe*

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://stpatricksmtl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/form.pdf>

HISTORY OF ST. PATRICK'S BASILICA

St. Patrick's Church was opened on March 17th, 1847 to serve the needs of the Irish immigrants who had come to Montreal in great numbers due to the famine and other troubles in Ireland. The church was built in the Gothic Revival style on a promontory overlooking the City of Montreal. Its spire could be seen by all. Over the years the city grew north, east and west with the result that the church is now surrounded by modern-day Montreal. St. Patrick's Church was raised to the status of Minor Basilica by His Holiness, Pope John-Paul II in 1989 because of its historical importance as the mother church of the English-speaking Catholics of greater Montreal. The Basilica has been designated a Historical Monument by the Government of Quebec and as a National Historic Site by the Government of Canada.

If you would like to contribute in maintaining this historical and religious basilica, please consider giving to Saint Patrick's Restoration Foundation where the full amount is put towards restoring our Basilica. All donations will receive a receipt for income tax purposes.

Mass intentions

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	May 25th Father Dominic McCormick <i>requested by</i> Bob & Denise McCormick
Sunday, 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	May 26th Vincenzo Gensale <i>requested by</i> his daughter Angela <i>Pro Populo</i> Margaret Healy <i>requested by</i> her family
Monday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 27th Special Intention for Bernadette Zgheib <i>requested by</i> her grandson José Luis Aguilera <i>requested by</i> Frank Lofeodo
Tuesday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 28th Pat Shipticki <i>requested by</i> Louise & Ken Fr. Pierre Senez <i>requested by</i> the Legion of Mary Curia
Wednesday 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 29th Mr. & Mrs. Alexander Slywka <i>requested by</i> their loving children Charlie & Betty Shanahan <i>requested by</i> Lary O'Connell
Thursday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 30th Leila Modafferi <i>requested by</i> the Elisio Family Debbie Ravoy <i>requested by</i> her daughter Kristie
Friday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 31st Dr. Michael Little <i>requested by</i> Margo MacGillivray Mary Beth Fitzgerald <i>requested by</i> her nephew Alexander and the Ferrant Family
Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	June 1st Gene & Jeannette Ralph <i>requested by</i> Linda Bourque

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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 Lonergan 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 Adam at 514-866-7379 or adamp@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

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

