

SAINT PATRICK'S BASILICA MONTREAL - QUEBEC

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A Welcoming and Reconciling Community



May 24th, 2026

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- First Reading:** Acts 2.1-11 – *All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak.*
- Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13 – *In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.*
- Gospel:** John 20.19-23 – *As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit.*

For further reflection on the Readings and Gospel, visit:

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

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please pray for our sick: André Marcil, Alyssa Morelato, Bala Doss, Armando Chan, Rosaria Salpietro, José Manuel Salas, Martin Leclerc, Shwleendra Soman, Deonarine Seemangal and Pierrette Leclerc. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to add the name of someone for whom you would like prayers, info@stpatricksmtl.ca.



ROSARY IN THE MONTH OF MAY

The Rosary will be 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. All are welcome to participate. The crowning of Mary will take place on Tuesday, May 26th at mass.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT



Adrienne Paul-Hus and Alexander Cashman will be married here at Saint Patrick's Basilica on June 13th, 2026.

CWL MONTREAL CITY COUNCIL -TOILETRIES COLLECTION

The CWL Montreal City Council will be holding its annual **Toiletries Collection** on **May 30th and 31st, 2026**, at all Masses.

All items collected will be shared among five male and female shelters in our community. Donations of the following items are greatly appreciated: Donations are welcome on the collection days or anytime before **May 30th/31st**.

- Deodorants
- Pull-ups
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Body wash
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Sanitary towels
- Toilet paper
- Monetary donations

You may also support this initiative through e-transfer at: mcc.cwl2026@gmail.com
Thank you for helping us care for the less privileged in our community through your generosity and support.



The Archdiocese of Montreal warmly invites all the faithful, families, parish communities, and friends to join us for the diocesan celebration of **Corpus Christi on Thursday, June 4, 2026.**

The evening will begin with a Solemn Mass at 7:30 p.m. at Mary, Queen of the World



Cathedral (René-Lévesque Blvd., east of Peel St.). Following Mass, the faithful will take part in a Eucharistic candlelight procession through the streets of downtown Montreal led by Archbishop Christian Lépine, bearing public witness to our faith in Christ truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The celebration will conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick's Basilica.

'MANNA' BIBLE STUDY GROUP

The next meeting for Bible study will take place on Thursday June 18th, in Congress Hall from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. (*The meeting on June 4th is cancelled*). All are welcome to attend!

R.C.I.A.

Rite of Christian Initiation of 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 email info@stpatricksmtl.ca; visit our website www.stpatricksmtl.ca.

ST. PATRICK'S RESTORATION FOUNDATION.

The Restoration Foundation was created in 1988, to finance special projects that are outside of the religious nature of the Basilica. 100% of donations made to the Foundation are used for its projects and major repairs, all administration expenses are carried by the Fabrique. *St. Patrick's Restoration Foundation enjoys a special tax status* and large donations or pledges may qualify for considerable tax benefits as cultural donations or patronage.

There are donation envelopes in the Basilica, please make sure that you state that the donation is for the **St. Patrick's Restoration Foundation**. Donations can also be made on our website through Canada Helps. For more information please contact the parish office at 514-866-7379.

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.

SUPPORT OUR PARISH WITH A SIMPLE SCAN

Scan this QR code to make a one-time or monthly donation through *Canada Helps*. Your tax receipt will be emailed to you instantly. (Available in the pews and on the bulletin boards at the doors.)

Thank you for your generosity!



“The Holy Spirit, the love of God, acts in our spirit. He comes down ‘within the heart’, as the ‘soul’s most welcome guest’. He is the very love of God, who does not abandon us.” *Pope Francis*

Mass intentions

Saturday 5:00 p.m.	May 23rd Maria Luisa Toledo <i>requested by</i> Maria Antonieta Valdes
Sunday, 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	May 24th Margaret Healy <i>requested by</i> her family ~ Pro Populo ~ Sandiren Ramasamy <i>requested by</i> Lovena
Monday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 25th Lorraine Boyce <i>requested by</i> the Estate Regina Jakpor <i>requested by</i> Rachael
Tuesday, 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 26th Margaret Healy <i>requested by</i> her family Mary Finnigan & Patrick Embery <i>requested by</i> Anthony Kirby
Wednesday 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 27th Marion MacDonald <i>requested by</i> Jack MacDonald Daniel Bouchard <i>requested by</i> Dora Cesta
Thursday 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 28th Joao Arruda <i>requested by</i> his son Valdemar Jacqueline Vidito Lanto <i>requested by</i> Liza & Charlie Manuel
Friday 12:10 p.m. <i>and</i>	May 29th Mr. & Mrs. Alexander-Slywka <i>requested by</i> A. Dos Santos In Thanksgiving <i>requested by</i> Emilia Valde
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	May 30th Fernando Clemente <i>requested by</i> the Tayco Family

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Clergy at your Service

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

Legion of Mary

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

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month, from 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon, with mass at 12:10 p.m.

Wardens

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

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Catechism: Registration in September

Religious instruction for children, which also involves sacramental preparation: please contact Adam Pywowarczuk 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. We invite you to join us and learn more about our efforts in Faith, Service, and Social Justice. You can contact esinyademaume@gmail.com for more information.

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



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