

OUR LADY OF THE ANNUNCIATION PARISH MOUNT ROYAL, QUEBEC



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass:

Saturday (vigil)	5:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday to Friday	8:30 am
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Reconciliation: Saturday 4:30-4:45 pm;
Sunday 9:30-9:45 am, or anytime on request.

BAPTISM

It is necessary to arrange an appointment with Fr. Robert for preparation. Baptisms are scheduled on the third Sunday of the month at noon.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish before setting the wedding date.

VISITING THE SICK

Please contact Fr. Robert if you or a family member is homebound or in the hospital. He will gladly visit.

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WARDENS:

2018: Emidio De Carolis, Scot Diamond;

2019: Anthony Mancini, Lori-Ann Zemanovich;

2020: Fiore Egiziano, John T. Sullivan.

FOCUS: Jesus, our path to salvation, calls us *brother and sister* and commands that we do the will of God. From the beginning, God has promised his people redemption. His love is stronger than sin and prevails over evil. Jesus comes to us to embody that love and set an example for us to follow. In doing God's will, he shows us the way to the Father and calls us to do the same on our journey to eternal life.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In Genesis, sin enters the world as Adam and Eve yield to the serpent's temptation. Paul's Letter to the Corinthians urges believers not to be discouraged: our earthly dwelling fades, but life in the Lord is eternal. Mark's Gospel shows Jesus being described by the scribes as "possessed." Jesus responds with a promise that doing the will of God makes us his brothers and sisters.

Theme: Following God's Will

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's First Reading from Genesis 3: 8-15

Step One: Listen to the Word

Which line in this reading caught your ear? What sense do you get about God as you listen to this Word proclaimed today?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: Why do our parents and teachers have rules we need to follow? Why do you think God has rules for us to follow?

Question for Youth: God has created us with free will, the freedom to follow or ignore God's will for us. How can you discover God's will for you?

Question for Adults: We humans are vulnerable to sin. Our sins most often lead to shame, mistrust, and blaming. How can following God's will free you from these destructive actions?



FUNDSCRIP: Fundscrip forms are due this weekend. Forms can be found on the communion rail and at the main doors of the church. Fundscrip is a passive means of fundraising. You purchase gift cards to your favorite stores; you receive the full amount you paid for and the parish gets 2% to 7% of your purchase – without any cost to you! Last month, parishioners made \$2,400 worth of purchases; the parish received \$70.50!

PARISH BBQ: Please join us Sunday June 17th after Mass for a parish barbeque! Hot dogs, chips, cole slaw and drinks will be served. Donations of salads and desserts are appreciated. Do you go to **COSTCO**? We need hot dogs and buns – the parish will reimburse the expense. **LOADS OF HELPERS NEEDED!** Setup begins at 9 am: we need help preparing the hotdogs and setting up outside – hopefully! We need help serving the meal and with clean up afterwards. Contact the office to let us know how you can help.



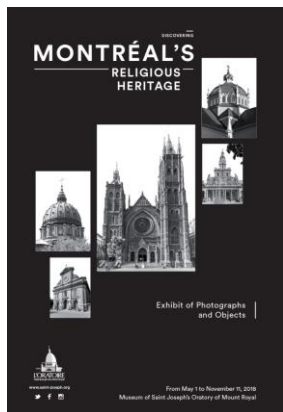
BLESSING OF THE PETS on Sunday June 17th at 1 pm, Father Robert will be happy to bless your pet: cats, dogs, birds... Meet him in front of the church.

ST JOSEPH NEEDS YOU!!! Have you ever taken St. Joseph home? Why not give it a try! A signup sheet is available at the back of the church. Please consider keeping St Joseph for two weeks at a time, especially during these summer months.



ONLY TWO MORE SESSIONS! MEDITATION GROUP meets Tuesdays at 7 pm in the boardroom via 71 Roosevelt. Not sure if this is right for you? Come give it a try! No commitment required. Come sit alone before the Lord, in silent prayer, together with fellow parishioners.

MASS CELEBRATION, TUESDAY JUNE 12: Please note that on Tuesday June 12th, Mass will be celebrated in the room to the left of the sanctuary – the room of the altar of repose on Holy Thursday. Only the parking lot doors will be open.



Temporary Exhibition *Discovering Montréal's Religious Heritage*, from May 1 to November 11, 2018 at St. Joseph's Oratory. Since its founding, the city of Montreal has been shaped by the presence of religious institutions of various faiths. This exhibition aims to pay tribute to the richness of this, all too often, unrecognized heritage. It is an opportunity to explore this priceless architectural and artistic heritage. This summer, the Museum of Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal is pleased to present an expanded version of this exhibition, thanks to the addition of artifacts from its own collections.

The outdoor **Garden of the Way of the Cross** is one of Saint Joseph's Oratory's best kept secrets. Located to the east of the basilica, the garden shelters a magnificent Way of the Cross made of towering sculptures, which unfold amidst an artfully landscaped terrain. It is an exceptional space to meditate in communion with nature. **The Garden of the Way of the Cross is from April 27 to October 8 2018.**



Saturday June 9, 2018 – Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Mario Leschiutta *Teresa Rochon and family*

Sunday June 10, 2018 – Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Joel Gorrospe *Raquel Bondoc*

Tuesday June 12, 2018

8:30 am Santino Greco *the family*

Wednesday June 13, 2018 – St. Anthony of Padua

8:30 am Pro Populo

Thursday June 14, 2018

8:30 am Coleman and McMenamin families *the Estate*

Friday June 15, 2018

8:30 am Evelyn McMenamin *the Estate*

Saturday June 16, 2018 – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Sophie Hetz *Anne Kosiuk and family*

Sunday June 17, 2018 – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Gerry Kosiuk *his family*



The Sanctuary Lamp signals the Presence of the Lord Jesus in the Tabernacle and burns for seven days. We invite you to have the Sanctuary Lamp memorialized in the name of a sick person, a deceased loved one, or a special intention for a donation of \$20.00. The full amount is eligible for a tax receipt. Please contact the office to arrange a memorial for the Sanctuary Lamp. **This week** the Sanctuary Lamp burns for a special intention, as requested by F. Geertsen.

Prayers:

For the sick: Rick Auclair, the Beauregard famil, Jean-Pierre Belair, André and Marie Coupal, Patricia Paul, Nevine, Jacques Viau, Judith and Marina Zogalis.

For vocations *Whoever does the will of God is brother and sister and mother to me.* The ranting of a crazy man? Or the prophetic voice of God? Do you encourage others in their call to follow the voice within? (Mark 3: 20-35) If you feel that God is calling you to the priesthood, please contact the Diocesan Vocations Office at 514-903-6200 for information.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: No Mass.
Tuesday to Friday: 8:30 am

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday, 9 am to 4 pm and
Friday, 9 am to 12 pm.

STEWARDSHIP:

Our collection last Sunday was for \$1,590. Thank you for your offerings in support of our parish as a place of Christian worship, instruction and mission.

“And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand.” – MARK 3:25

Do your parish ministries complement each other or do they compete against each other? Is your parish “one Body of Christ” or a bunch of little, separate ministries controlled by human ego? The goal of all parish ministries is to bring people to Christ. All of our parish work should be for the glory of God's name, not our own name.



JUNE

- 12 Meditation group, 7 pm,**
in the boardroom.
- 17 Parish BBQ, after Mass;**
Blessing of the pets, 1 pm.
- 19 Meditation group, 7 pm,**
in the boardroom

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for June

Universal – Social Networks
That social networks may
work towards that
inclusiveness which respects
other for their differences.



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