



OCTOBER

- 14** Adult Ed. with Father Robert, 7:00 pm
- 21** Parent Meeting, 7:00 pm
Building the Domestic Church
- 30** Family Halloween Party and potluck dinner

NOVEMBER

- 1** All Saints Day/ Coffee Sunday

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER

Universal: That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.

Evangelization: That with a missionary spirit the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

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OUR LADY OF THE ANNUNCIATION PARISH TOWN OF MOUNT ROYAL, QUÉBEC

October 4, 2015

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass:

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

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday – Friday 8:30 am

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm;
Sunday 9:15-9:45 am, or anytime on request.

BAPTISM

It is necessary to arrange an appointment with Fr. Robert for preparation. Baptisms are scheduled on Sundays 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.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Altar Servers: Mr. Julien Sinnott

Youth Group: Ms. Anne Mariel Dee

Maintenance Manager: Mr. Jean Grignon

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Theme: Making God a priority in your life.

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today’s Gospel, the short form

Step One: Listen to the Word

This is a tough reading. As you hear it, what words or phrases strike you? What in this reading touches your heart?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: How difficult would it be for you to give something you treasure to someone else who needed it more than you do?

Question for Youth: What is your most important possession? How hard would it be for you to give it up?

Question for Adults: How hard is it for you to part with things you treasure? Do your possessions ever stand in the way of having deeper communion with God?



FAMILY HALLOWEEN PARTY

Please join us for a Family Halloween Party, **Friday, October 30th at 6:00 pm.** Please bring a casserole (enough to feed your family) for our potluck supper and enjoy an evening of fun and surprises. There will be treats (and perhaps a trick or two) along with prizes for best costumes – kids and adults. Cost is \$5 per family. Tickets will go on sale beginning Saturday, October 17th, after all Masses.

KEEPING PRAYER IN THE HOME: with Sean Donovan. Tackle real life issues around the home, work and church. Practical tips and advice on how to foster and lead children to Mass and to prayer in the home with our busy schedules. At St. Thomas à Becket Parish, **Friday, October 16, 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm repeated 6:45 pm – 7:45 pm.**

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEK: Please note that our second collection this week is for “The Evangelization of Nations.”

CHILDREN’S FAITH EDUCATION: Parents, please save the date: **Wednesday, October 21 at 7:00 pm.** You are invited to our first Parent Meeting and the topic will be “Building the Domestic Church.” We will look at the challenges of raising faith-filled children today as well as some painless ways to increase your family’s Catholic identity.



FUNDSCRIP: Our parish is introducing a new and painless way to raise funds. Through FundScrip, you purchase gift cards (for yourself or for others) for grocery shopping, gas fill-ups, and much more.

The parish receives between 2% and 10% of the sales and you receive 100% of the value of the gift cards. It’s win-win! Helpful people with order forms will be at the back of the church after Mass or call the parish office this week for more information.

YOUTH GROUP MEETING:

All parishioners of high school age are invited to attend the first meeting of the Youth Group on Friday, October 16th at 6:00 pm. Cost is \$5.00 and includes pizza supper. Please contact the parish office so we can be sure to have plenty of food and snacks. ☺ Come and see the new space dedicated to Youth Group.



RESPONSIBILITIES OF CATHOLIC VOTERS: The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has issued a guide for voters, “Making Our Voices Heard,” which is available online. There is a link on our website. Another useful guide, “A Canadian Catholic Voters Catechism,” produced by the Archdiocese of Vancouver is also available online and we have a link on our website.

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, October 10, 2015: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Pro Populo
Requested by Father Robert

Sunday, October 11, 2015: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Joel Gorrospe
Requested by Raquel Bondoc

Tuesday, October 13, 2015

8:30 am Special Intention
Requested by Regina Farrell

Wednesday, October 14, 2015 – Saint Calistus

8:30 am Florence Evans
Requested by the Estate

Thursday, October 15, 2015 – Saint Teresa of Jesus

8:30 am Special Intention
Requested by Raymond Jack

Friday, October 16, 2015 – Saint Hedwig

8:30 am Coleman & McMenamin families
Requested by the Estate

Saturday, October 17, 2015: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Pro Populo
Requested by Father Robert

Sunday, October 18, 2015: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Marie Tannous
Requested by Farid and Antoinette Tannous



This week, the Sanctuary Lamp burns for Dr. Jess. P. Pelausa, requested by Mrs. Natalie Pelausa.

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 weekly donation of \$20.00. Please contact the office to arrange a memorial for the Sanctuary Lamp.

PRAYERS:

For the sick: Jean-Pierre Belair, André and Marie Coupal, Patricia Lemieux, Estella Lim, Maria da Luz Madeira, Miguel Madeira, Jacques Viau.

For those who have died: Vivian Caron

For vocations: *Go and sell what you have and give it to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven. Come and follow me. The rich young man left sad.*

STEWARDSHIP: Our collection last weekend was \$1295.00. Thank you for your offerings in support of our parish as a place of Christian worship, instruction and mission.

“It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” (Mark 10:25)

Jesus uses tough language that we may not want to hear. But, we are all called to be generous with all our gifts. Not just the ones we pick and choose, but all our gifts: our time in prayer to God, our talent in participating in parish ministries and our treasure supporting our local parish and other charities.

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WARDENS: Emidio De Carolis, Scot Diamond, David Flood, Anthony Mancini, Winston Redman, John T. Sullivan.