



**NOVEMBER**

- 8 FundScrip payments due
- 11 Adult Ed. with Father Robert, 7:00 pm
- 13 Family Movie Night, 7:00 pm: *Life's a Breeze*
- 21 Parent Meeting: *Advent and Christmas in the Home*, 10:00 am

**DECEMBER**

- 5 Christmas Dinner, 6:00 pm

**THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER**

**Universal:** That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own.

**Evangelization:** That pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven their hope.

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**Our Lady of the Annunciation Parish Christmas Dinner**  
**December 5th at 6:00 pm**  
**\$15 per adult, \$10 per child\***  
\*children under 5 free

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**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**

- Pastor:** Father Robert Clark  
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- Youth Group:** Ms. Anne Mariel Dee
- Maintenance Manager:** Mr. Jean Grignon

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**Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Theme:** We must give to God until we have given enough.

**Breaking Open the Word**

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel, Mark 12:38-44

**Step One: Listen to the Word**

What image lingers for you from this reading? What single word or idea struck you in it?

**Step Two: Look into Your Life**

**Question for Children:** What part of your own possessions are you called on to share?

**Question for Youth:** When you think of your own life, do you consider yourself to be rich or poor? How do you spend your money? Is there anything you should be doing differently?

**Question for Adults:** When do you know that you have given away enough?

**BISHOP DOWD PARISH VISITATION:**

Beginning **Saturday, November 14 through Sunday, November 22**, we welcome Bishop Thomas Dowd to our parish. Bishop Dowd will be in residence for the week to learn more about our parish and to receive the comments and concerns of parishioners. Please join us for a special "Coffee Sunday" on November 15.

**PARISH CHRISTMAS**

**DINNER:** Our annual Christmas dinner will take place on **Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup>**, following the 5:00 pm Mass. This year, the dinner will be prepared by a professional caterer, however we would appreciate donations of Christmas cookies and squares for desserts.



**Tickets must be purchased in advance** and will go on sale after weekend Masses, November 14-15, 21-22, and 28-29. No tickets will be sold after these dates. The cost is \$15 per adult, \$10 per child (age 5-10). Children under 5 are free.

We are looking for volunteers to assist with setting up, serving, and cleaning up. Sign up sheets will be posted at the back of the church, or contact Mary Sinnett for more information.

**FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT:** Please join us on **Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm** for "Life's a Breeze," a comedy about a struggling, working-class Dublin family desperately trying to retrieve a thrown-away mattress supposedly containing a



fortune. Lighthearted fun, suitable for all ages, however, there is liberal use of bad language.

**ADVENT ANGEL TREE:** This year we will once again collect small gifts for the 273 residents of Vigi Mont Royal on Brittany Ave. Beginning the first week of Advent, November 29-30, the Angel Tree will be placed in the Sanctuary, near the icon of our Blessed Mother. Details will follow in the coming weeks, but please keep our elderly and infirm neighbours in mind as you plan your Christmas shopping.



**PILLARS TRUST FUND:** Through your generosity the Pillars Trust Fund provides financial support for over 20 organizations and projects that benefit our English-speaking Catholic community.

Our ability to maintain support for our beneficiaries is dependent on the continued revitalization of our donor group. Please see information envelopes near the entrances to the church.

**Mass Intentions**  
FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, November 7, 2015 – Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Pro Populo  
*Requested by Father Robert*

Sunday, November 8, 2015 – Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Raphael Harb  
*Requested by Jeanette Harb*

Tuesday, November 10, 2015 – Saint Leo the Great

8:30 am Special Intention  
*Requested by the Farrell family*

Wednesday, November 11, 2015 – Saint Martin of Tours

8:30 am Evelyn McMenamin  
*Requested by the Estate*

Thursday, November 12, 2015 – Saint Josephat

8:30 am Maureen Hayes  
*Requested by Bernadette Shams*

Friday, November 13, 2015

8:30 am Florence Evans  
*Requested by the Estate*

Saturday, November 14, 2015 – Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Ernie Rochon  
*Requested by Teresa Rochon & family*

Sunday, November 15, 2015 – Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Pro Populo  
*Requested by Father Robert*



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.

This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns for a Special Intention, requested by G. & F. Geertsen.

**FUNDSCRIP:** Those who wish to order gift cards through our FundScrip fundraising project may submit their forms (and cheques) to Greg Doyle this weekend. Please support this initiative which gives you the full value of the gift cards you purchase plus 2%-10% to the parish.

**PRAYERS:**

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

**For vocations:** The widow in today's Gospel experienced a miracle of trust. Trust the Lord; then watch for miracle of plenty in your life.



**STEWARDSHIP:** Our collection last weekend was \$2080.00. Thank you for your offerings in support of our parish as a place of Christian worship, instruction and mission. **This week, our second collection is for our parish's Helping Others Fund.** Proceeds go toward Christmas baskets for our neighbours in Cote-des-Neiges, Parc Extension, and other impoverished areas of Montreal.

*"I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living." (Mark 12:43-44)*

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