



NOVEMBER

- 21** For Parents: *Advent and Christmas in the Home*, 10:00 am
- 25** Adult Ed., 7:00 pm
- 29** Angel Tree collection begins

DECEMBER

- 5** Christmas Dinner, 6:00 pm
- 6** Pick up FundScrip Forms
- 13** Coffee Sunday
- 13** Return FundScrip Orders and payments
- 13** Election of Wardens

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



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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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Theme: Jesus will come again.

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel, Mark 13:24-32

Step One: Listen to the Word

As you hear this rather strange Gospel today, what words or phrases strike you? What image or idea lingers in your memory?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: If Jesus came to visit you today, what would you do? What would say? How would you act?

Question for Youth: If today was your last day, what would you be most thankful for? What would you regret?

Question for Adults: If today was your last, what would you do with it?

BISHOP DOWD PASTORAL VISIT: We are grateful to Bishop Thomas Dowd for visiting our parish this past week. His visit will conclude this weekend, however he will return in a few weeks to share his thoughts on his experience here. Please join us for a special "Coffee Sunday" today in the Parish Hall and take the opportunity to thank Bishop Dowd for spending time with us.

EMERGENCY FIRST AID COURSE: An emergency first aid course, including CPR instruction, will be offered at the parish in the near future. Enrolment will be limited, so we would like to know how many parishioners might be interested. The cost will be approximately \$75. Please call or email the parish office for more information or to let us know if you are interested.



PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER: Our annual Christmas dinner will take place on **Saturday, December 5th**, 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.

ADVENT ANGEL TREE: This year we will once again collect small gifts for the 273 residents of CHSLD 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 neighbors in mind as you plan your Christmas shopping.

FOR PARENTS: *Advent and Christmas in the Home* on **Saturday, November 21 at 10:00 am** in the parish hall. This counts as one of two required meetings for parents in the children's faith education program, however, anyone is welcome to attend.

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. Please see information envelopes near the entrances to the church.

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.

As always, the success of the event depends on all of our volunteers! Sign-up sheets are available at the back of the church.

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK

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

Tuesday, November 17, 2015

8:30 am Deceased members of the Aguzzi and Chassé families
Requested by the Aguzzi and Chassé families

Wednesday, November 18, 2015

8:30 am Florence Evans
Requested by the Estate

Thursday, November 19, 2015

8:30 am Special Intention
Requested by Regina Farrell

Friday, November 20, 2015

8:30 am Anita M. Jue (L)
Requested by Natalie Pelausa

Saturday, November 21, 2015 – Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

5:00 pm Patricia Rochon
Requested by Teresa Rochon & family

Sunday, November 22, 2015 – Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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 Natalie Pelausa.

TREES REMOVED: You may have noticed that there were two dead trees to the north of the church on the border of the parish property with that of the neighboring condo building. The trees had been examined by TMR public works and confirmed to be dead. Because the dead trees presented a risk of damage to people or property there was no alternative but to have the trees removed. The cost of felling the trees and the related permits was shared equally between the parish and the neighbor.

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 the newly baptized: Scarlett Ann Corales

For vocations: What is the reason I was born? What is the reason I came into the world? Am I called to testify to the truth by becoming a priest, brother, or sister?

STEWARDSHIP: Our collection last weekend was \$1300.00. Our second collection was \$835.00. Thank you for your offerings in support of our parish as a place of Christian worship, instruction and mission.

"And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory."
(Mark 13:26)



We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, "What have you done with the gifts that I have given you?" How will you respond?

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