

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, May 20th

St. Bernardine of Siena
4:30 Art & Eileen O'Connell by the Estate

Sunday, May 21st

Sixth Sunday of Easter
10:30 Thomas Patrick McCrory

Monday, May 22nd

St. Rita of Cascia
9:00 John Lipa by Joseph Blain

Tuesday, May 23rd

9:00 John Lipa by Joseph Blain

Wednesday, May 24th

Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau, bishop
9:00 John Lipa By Joseph Blain

Thursday, May 25th No Mass

St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII
St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi

Friday, May 26th

St. Philip Neri
9:00 In Honour of Antonio Sacconaghi
by the Sacconaghi Family

Saturday, May 27th

St. Augustine of Canterbury
4:30 In Honour of the Sacconaghi family
by MaryLou Sacconaghi



*This week the Sanctuary lamp
will burn in memory of
Kristoffer Limgo
by the Family*

IN OUR PARISH

“Be My Disciples”

2017-18 Registration: Faith Education program for Children

Registration for children grades 1 to 6 has begun. We encourage you to complete yours as soon as possible in order to help us plan for the fall. Forms are available at the back of the church or can be obtained by contacting Linda Wiltshire, Pastoral Associate by email: wiltshirecl@msn.com or by phone 514-932-3131 (Mondays & Thursdays)

Make your Voice Heard – Synod on Young People

In order to better proclaim Jesus Christ, Pope Francis is convening a Synod of Bishops, scheduled for October 2018, which will reflect on Young People, The Faith and Vocational Discernment. A public consultation is now underway & a preparatory document, including questionnaire, is now available for reading and comment.. Answers are to be submitted by the end of June 2017. Visit the Synod document on the website for our Youth Department: <http://www.diocesemontreal.org/blogues/missionjeunesse/?lang=en>

ACTIVITIES

MONDAY 6:00PM

Christian Meditation

in the Church- For info. call 514-931-5536

THURSDAY 7:30 PM Choir Practice

in the Choir Room

REFLECTION

St Teresa's prayer is popular in this adaptation-

*Christ has no body now but yours, no hands, no feet on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks with compassion on this world.*

Yours are the feet with which he walks to do well.

Yours are the hands with which he blesses all the world.

Yours are the hands, yours are the feet,

You are his eyes, you are his body.

Christ has no body now but yours,

No hands, no feet on earth but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which he looks with compassion on this world.

Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

Jesus speaks in the gospel about being still alive, even after his death. Mostly we find Jesus alive in the love of others. The energy of love that is connected to the energy of God, for God is love. Other times we find God close to us in prayer; but where we can sense him alive mostly is in the ordinary and extraordinary loves of every day, in marriage, family, friendship and care for others.

Many of us do not realise that in this way we have been Christ-bearers. In listening to another, in care of all sorts, in putting ourselves out for the other, in working for justice and for peace the Spirit of God is alive and people are touched by God's love through the cooperation of ordinary men and women.

Fr Donal Neary, S.J, www.messenger.ie

IN THE DIOCESE

51st World Communications Day The message of Pope Francis is entitled: Fear not, for I am with you (Isaiah 43:5): Communicating Hope and Trust in our Time. To be celebrated on **May 28**, which in Canada is the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, the Pope expresses his desire "to contribute to the search for an open and creative style of communication that never seeks to glamourize evil, but instead to concentrate on solutions and to inspire a positive and responsible approach on the part of its recipients. "

Patronal Feast Day Join Archbishop Christian Lépine for the diocesan patronal feast day celebration on **Wednesday, May 31, 7:30pm** at the Basilica of Mary Queen of the World. The Ignace-Bourget Diocesan Merit Award, first bestowed in 1979 by Paul Cardinal Grégoire, will be presented during the Mass in recognition of individuals and/or institutions who have served the Church community with generosity, charity and social engagement. All are welcome!

Annual Sacred Heart Alumnae Reunion - Join us on **June 2nd** for a special reunion for ALL graduating years. Come for cocktails only (5-7 pm) or stay for dinner. Reminisce and reconnect in the familiar corridors of Sacred Heart. Please register by May 23. Contact the Alum Office at 514 937-2845 (ext. 108) or email alumnae@sacredheart.qc.ca .

Film Fundraiser: “St Ignatius of Loyola” **Friday June 2** at 7 pm & **Saturday June 3** at 3 pm at the Eric Maclean Centre, 2477 West Broadway (Loyola High School). Tickets: \$10 each . A modern adaptation of the life of the founder of the Jesuits as soldier, sinner, saint. To see a trailer, or for information on the cast, visit www.ignatiusmovie.com. For tickets, contact the Ignatian Centre, 514-481-1064 or centre@ignatiancentremtl.ca.

PARISH SUPPORT We encourage all parishioners to use the Sunday envelopes. To obtain your envelopes please call the parish office (514-932-3131) or complete this form and place it in the collection plate. We extend a warm welcome to new parishioners. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to Father MacEachen after Mass.

Name _____
Address _____ Postal code _____
Email _____ Telephone _____

You are not forgotten If you, or a loved one, are not able to come to church, we would be happy to pay you a visit and bring you Communion. We can also send you a copy of our Parish bulletin. Let us know by calling the parish office and we will get to you ASAP.

Parish Donations can be made ONLINE through Canada Helps using major credit cards, PayPal or Interac. You obtain a Tax e-receipt immediately. There are 2 ways to access the site:
1. Via the parish website (www.ascensionofourlord.ca) -click on the main page button “EVERY DOLLAR HELPS” for instructions
or 2. go directly to canadahelps.org and search for “Ascension of Our Lord Parish, Westmount”. Thank you for your generosity.

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May 21st, 2017

Sixth Sunday of Easter

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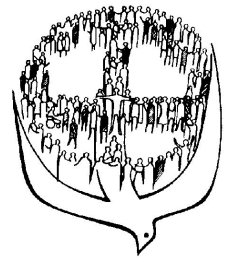
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MASS HOURS

Saturday	4:30 PM
Sunday	10:30 AM
Monday	9:00 AM
Tuesday	9:00 AM
Wednesday	9:00 AM
Thursday	NO MASS
Friday	9:00 AM

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Baptisms By appointment. Please phone the rectory at least one month before.

Confessions Saturday from 4:00 to 4:15 PM
Sunday from 10:00 to 10:15 AM

Marriages Please give six months notice.
Marriage preparation course required.

Sick calls Please notify us at anytime if someone in your family is ill, in order to arrange for Anointing of the Sick.

PARISH WARDENS

Janet Macklem
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OFFICE HOURS Monday to Thursday 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM or by appointment