

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, January 19th

4:30 Sally Donohue Bobkowicz
by Andrea & Aidan Bobkowicz

Sunday, January 20th

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
World Day of Migrants and Refugees
10:30 Filippo Coviello
by Diana & Peter Blusanovics

Monday, January 21st No Mass

St. Agnes

Tuesday, January 22nd No Mass

St. Vincent

Wednesday, January 23rd No Mass

Thursday, January 24th No Mass

St. Francis De Sales

Friday, January 25th No Mass

The Conversion of St. Paul

Saturday, January 26th

St. Timothy and St. Titus
4:30 Sheila Sullivan Brown by Gregory Brown



All are invited to a celebration of prayer will be held this **Sunday, January 20th 3PM** at the Church of St Andrew and St. Paul

IN OUR PARISH

Coffee Sunday & Bake Sale

Following Mass on Sunday January 27th a special fundraising Bake Sale will be held in support of Logifem, an Montreal organization which provides food, shelter and care to women and children in difficulty. All are invited to enjoy a cup of coffee and purchase some delicious baked goodies. Monetary donations will also be accepted. For more info. on Logifem and its mission visit their website: <http://www.logifem.org>

Weekly Donation Envelope Boxes

Parishioners are reminded that the 2019 boxes for weekly donations are available at the main entrance of the church. Please be sure to pick up only the box that has your name and number on it. Boxes are in alphabetical order. If you don't have a donation envelope box—but would like to make your weekly donations to the parish using this method, or if you have any questions please contact the parish office.

“For I was hungry and you gave me food”

During these cold winter months we are reminded that hunger does not take a break. With the Christmas food drives ended, we would like to invite you to continue to “Feed the Hungry” by remembering to bring 1 non-perishable food item to Mass every weekend. Donations can be left in the special bins located to the right of the main Altar & at the back of the church and will be delivered to St. Willibrord's Food Bank. We appreciate your consideration and generosity.

A Note From our Accountant

For the persons with envelope numbers **59, 212 & 335** : we thank you for your donation, but request that you please write your name & address on your envelope so that we can appropriately record the donations and send you your tax receipt at the end of the year. Thanks. God Bless You!

REFLECTION

The human side of the gospel today is the huge need of a young couple on the best day of their lives. Jesus hears of their need and the result is the wine for the wedding, but more so, it is the promise of the fullness of God. We look for the fullness of life in money, food, sex, travel, security, reputation-none last. Only the simplest joys of life really satisfy in the end, like the joy of love, the thrill of friendship, the caring in family and the ways we enjoy the goodness of creation. A man asked once in the hospice at the end of his life -‘what is happiness?’ ‘Find happiness now’ was his answer -‘be satisfied, be grateful, for what you have, for what you have received, for what God has given you.’ There is a fullness of life in being happy with who I am, what I have... and asking God for what he knows I need. No matter what our age, we can do good for others, we can share the graces of life and the soul can grow. That's what I hope can happen for me as life goes on. In any group of people, some look happy and some look miserable. The happiest are not always the ones who had or are having the easiest life. They are the ones who have found peace with themselves, others and God. Because of the gift of the fullness of God in ‘new wine’, we always have a home, here and after – in the heart of our God in Jesus Christ now and for eternity. *Jesus of the wedding feast of Cana, give us the faith and hope to know that you can always make a change for the better in our lives, and the love to live by what we receive.*



Donal Neary SJ

IN THE DIOCESE

Come and See Evening: Discerning a Call to the Priesthood

The next 'Come and See' Evening intended for men who are discerning a vocation to follow Jesus as a priest will be taking place **Friday, January 25th**, 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. at Our Lady of the Annunciation Parish (71 Roosevelt Ave. TMR). These evenings are an excellent opportunity for those discerning a call to the priesthood to share in fellowship & to explore their call together. For information: Fr. Robert Clark at 514 903-6200 or mtlvocations@hotmail.com.

St. Monica's Parish: Video Divina

This year, Fr. Lloyd's film series, “The human journey to Wholeness”, looks at movies from different cultural and religious traditions and considers how their deity invites believers to undertake the journey towards holiness which is wholeness. Join him **Friday, January 25th** at 7 p.m. in the parish rectory (6405 Terrebonne) to view the film "Decalogue Eight". Free admission & popcorn, with discussion to follow! For more info., contact Fr. Lloyd Baugh, S.J. 514-481-0267 ext. 32 or lloyd.baugh@stmonica.ca.

Montreal Directed Retreats

Be refreshed in body, mind and spirit... Silent directed weekend retreat at La Maison de Prière Notre-Dame (180 De Normandie Blvd., Longueuil). Friday evening, **February 15th** to Sunday afternoon. Cost \$150. To register, or for more info, call 514-626-9462 or 514-633-1172 or visit www.montrealretreats.org

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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January 20, 2019

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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*World Day
of Migrants and Refugees*

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

Brian Weber (2019)
Don Taddeo (2019)
Bonnie Auger (2020)
Pino Diloia (2020)
Louise MacLellan (2021)
Andrea Bobkowitz (2021)

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