



ST PATRICK OF THE ISLAND

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 24TH, 2019

MASSES

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2019
5 pm Intention of the Parishioners

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2019
9 am Helena Medeiros from Family
Jose Jaimes from Family
11 am Deceased Members of the
Knights of Columbus - 9180

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 27, 2019
4:30 pm Priest's Intention

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 29, 2019
9 am Priest's Intention

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 30, 2019
5 pm Kim Viera (Living) from Karen
Williston

SUNDAY DECEMBER 1, 2019
9 am Intention of the Parishioners
11 am Linda McEvoy from Peter & Erin

SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS FOR:

This week: Aileen Collins
Next week:

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5 pm: Gerry
9 am: Anne & Tony
11 am: Mary & Erin

COLLECTION

The collection for November 17th was \$1467. Thank you for your support.

FAITH EDUCATION

Next Sunday is Class Mass and our special participants will be Miss Nancy's Level 3 class.

ALTAR SOCIETY

Nov 27 – Sophie & Diana
Dec 11 – Maureen & Linda
Dec 18 – Christmas prep – all groups

ADORATION CHAPEL

Our Chapel is in need of adorers. For information or volunteer as an adorer or spare, call Audrey 514-453-5409

LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Bob Forest, Helen McEvoy, Heather Coulter, George Frazer, Anthony Hulse, Sharon LeClair, Cody Bouchard, Theresa Hannan, Terry Dick, Noah & Bailey Santos, Jean Clifford, Gordon Hincks, Kayla Cordeiro, Helen Lalonde, Helene Larose Pullin, Allison Latham, Caron Rothwell, Lorne Kelly, Caiti Dore, Andria MacDonald, Claudette & Karen Descoeurs, Mary & Marian Lapchak, Betty, Gerry & Mary Guy, Elaine Kerr, Claude Bourbonnais, Catherine Shea, John Battaglia, Frank McCluskey, Virginia Camus, Antanas, Nadia Lombardi, Cathy Good, Molly Gillette, Michel Leclerc, Ralph Jenkins, Kathleen Guy



PARISH BULLETIN

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AT ST.PAT'S

Our Christmas Bazaar will be take place Saturday November 30th from 10-4 and Sunday December 1st from 10-noon. If you wish to reserve a table, please contact Tara Cheevers at 514.999.8003 or starvie1998@gmail.com

JESSE TREE

The Jesse Tree is here. Each year we are invited to purchase a gift that will be given to an individual along with their Christmas food basket. To make buying decisions easier, we ask parishioners to pick a gift tag or food tag from the Jesse Tree. Please remember, as you take a tag, you are making a commitment to help someone at Christmas. Please do not wrap the gifts and make sure to return the gift or food along with the tag by Dec 15th.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Saturday December 14 at **9:30am** - The Knights of Columbus will host their annual Breakfast with Santa. Cost is \$6.00 per person, free for children 4 and under. Tickets will be on sale after Mass or call Tony 514-453-5072.

ADVENT CANDLES

Advent Candles are available at the front doors of the church at a cost of \$5 per set.

2020 SUNDAY MISSAL

There are a few 2020 Sunday Missals available to purchase for **\$6 each**. They are on sale at the front doors of the church.

ADVENT 2019 – GROWING IN HOPE

Next Sunday we enter into a new year in the Church calendar. This year we will be reminded that for all relationships to endure, they must be nurtured in order to grow. If not, they will wither away and perish. This is also true of our faith, especially in our times.

This past year we all have been confronted with the many sexual scandals in the Church. Not to mention the general indifference, if not hostility to all that is religious. It is easy to become depressed, to lose hope and just feel like giving up.

Fortunately this time of Advent should help us to rekindle our Hope in the future. The prophet Isaiah will remind us that we are not the first to go through difficult times. In the history of the Church, crises like what we are living through, do happen. During each crisis, prophets have come to take us back to what is essential, to a deeper personal relationship with our Lord, a rediscovery of the Bible and renewal of the Church. The Book of Matthew which we will be reading all during the year will help us enter into the mystery of Jesus, present and active among us.

I hope that this time of Advent will be for all of us a time of growth and a time to rekindle our hope. Maybe arriving a few minutes before the beginning of mass to take a time of silence and peace will help you get much more out of the readings. Why not give it a try!

Fr. Pierre