



ST PATRICK OF THE ISLAND  
MARCH 17, 2024

MASSES

SATURDAY MARCH 16, 2024  
5 pm Hilton Lionel Cozier from Family  
Yvon Simard from the Parish

SUNDAY MARCH 17, 2024  
9 am Deceased Members of the  
Morahan Family  
11 am Jeanette Landry from Roy  
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WEDNESDAY MARCH 20, 2023  
*RECONCILIATION WITH GENERAL ABSOLUTION*  
4 pm Priest's Intention  
6 pm Rosary with Nic – outside  
7 pm Intention of the Parishioners  
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FRIDAY MARCH 22, 2024  
7 pm Way of the Cross with Deacon Nic  
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SATURDAY MARCH 23, 2024  
5 pm Nariman Boustani from Sue & Joe  
Sebastian Thomas from Family

SUNDAY MARCH 24, 2024  
9 am Marian Z, Lazarek from Family  
11 am Maria Pontes from Family  
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MINISTERS

Sat Mar 16 5 pm Gerry  
Sun Mar 17 9 am Anne  
11 am Mary  
Sat Mar 23 5 pm Heather  
Sun Mar 24 9 am Rebecca  
11 am Erin

SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS FOR:

Week Mar 16: Yvon Simard  
Week Mar 23: Marian Z. Lazarek

COLLECTIONS

The collection for March 3<sup>rd</sup> was \$1708  
and for the Roof Fund \$587. The  
collection for March 10<sup>th</sup> was \$1642.  
Thank you for your support.

SHARE LENT COLLECTION

This weekend we will have a collection  
for Development & Peace.  
Thank you for your generosity for the  
poorest of the world.

FAITH ED

This week is Class Mass, our special  
participants will be Miss Sophie's class.  
There is a parent meeting at 10 am this  
Sunday for parents of children making  
their First Reconciliation.

ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel is open from  
8am-8pm daily. Please sign in, even if  
you only stay for a few minutes, this is  
so we know if people are visiting the  
chapel.

PRAYER LIST

Denyse Cochrane, Karen Urquhart, Adam  
Moss, Patty L., Josefina Rosario, Caiti Dore,  
Barbara Small, Raymond Brunelle, Adele C.,  
Gaetanne Mercier, Caroline MacDonald,  
Jean MacDonald, Kate, Alec & Marjorie  
Patterson, Sharon LeClair, Teresa Palumbo,  
Wally Eddington, Lucia Macro, Karen  
Descœurs, Cynthia B., Thomas Walsh,  
Pearl, Lyne, Janice Enos, Pam Jordan,  
Audrey S., Matthew Tapp, Ronnie Laporte

PARISH BULLETIN  
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



2023 HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Reconciliation, March 20  
4:00 pm & 7:00 pm  
Palm Sunday, March 24  
9am & 11am - Mass  
Holy Thursday, March 28  
7:30 - pm Mass of the Lord's  
Supper  
Good Friday March 29  
3pm - Passion Service  
7pm - The Way of the Cross  
Holy Saturday, March 30  
4pm - Blessing of Easter Food  
7:30pm - Easter Vigil  
Easter Sunday, March 31  
9am & 11am – Mass

ST PAT'S KAREOKE NIGHT

Join us on Friday March 22, from 8-10  
pm, for an evening of singing and fun!  
For more info call Joe Brazeau at 514-  
453-2753.

2023 TAX RECEIPTS

The 2023 tax receipts are available. If you  
have not picked them up, please call the  
office.  
If you would like envelopes, fill out the  
Parish Registration form or email us at  
[islandchurch@videotron.ca](mailto:islandchurch@videotron.ca).



SUNDAY REFLECTION

March 17 – Saint Patrick

Although legends abound concerning  
the life and work of Patrick, Apostle of  
Ireland, he tells us about himself in his  
Confession. At 16, Patrick was carried  
off from Wales in a pirate raid and sold  
as a slave in Ireland. He was made a  
swineherd, living in solitude on a  
mountain, where a life of prayer and  
asceticism marked him forever.

After serving his master for six years,  
Patrick heard an inner voice tell him that  
he would return to his homeland, and he  
escaped. Landing in Gaul (Western  
Europe), Patrick had many adventures  
before reaching his parents in Britain.  
Later, he returned to Gaul to study for  
the priesthood, eventually becoming a  
bishop.

When the missionary to Ireland, Saint  
Palladius, died, Patrick took his place.  
By the time of his death in 492, he could  
see the fruits of his work: a native clergy  
in place, Christianity had reached nearly  
all of Ireland, and churches and  
monasteries had been established.

He is a patron of Ireland and Nigeria,  
of engineers, of several Canadian  
dioceses, and of those who fear snakes.

