



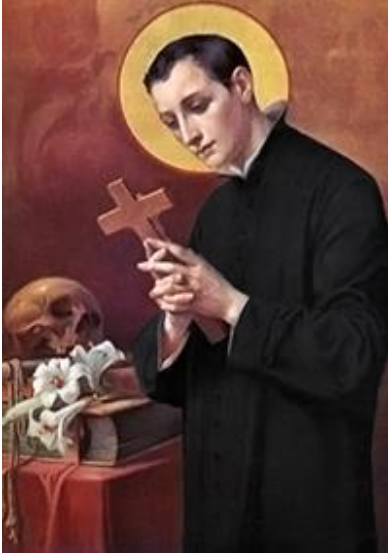
ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH



Serving the English Catholic Community in the East End of Montreal since 1908

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ST. ALOYSIUS MISSION STATEMENT

*We, as a Christian Community, Inspired by the Holy Spirit, Strive to live our Baptismal Promises by using our time, talent and treasure to reach out to others **as Jesus did.***

PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRATOR

FR. JEAN-PIERRE COUTURIER

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAYS 9:30AM at STE. LOUISE-DE-MARILLAC CHURCH
(corner Honoré-Beaugrand & Ste. Claire)

SECRETARIES

JOANNE TROTTIER

CYNTHIA MARIE PAGINADO

CONFESSIONS

BY APPOINTMENT

BAPTISMS

CONTACT OFFICE FOR INFO

WEDDINGS

CONTACT OFFICE MINIMALLY SIX MONTHS BEFORE MARRIAGE

H.O.P.E. COMMITTEE

EMMA LISI

JOYCE MONTANARO

JOANNE TROTTIER

TONY SECONDO

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THE LADIES OF ST. ANNE

ROSEMARY KELAHEAR

ALMAGE 50+ CENTRE

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CYNTHIA HANSEN (Advisor)

TONY SECONDO (AV Tech/Website)

ALLEN WAYLAND (Tech Support)

FR. JEAN-PIERRE COUTURIER

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Blue Mondays: MONDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH CENTRE

(8402 de Marseille St., Montreal)

Cancelled until further notice

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

SUNDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. BRENDAN'S HALL

(5740 15th Ave., corner Rosemont)

Cancelled until further notice



MASS INTENTIONS



For This Week:

Sunday, October 24
and

and

For Next Week:

Sunday, October 31
and

and

Intentions are for:

MARGARET GUIMOND
ALBERT MAROCCO ON THE SECOND
ANNIVERSARY OF HIS PASSING

Healing Intention for:

PIERS CORSI

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MARGARET GUIMOND

Healing Intention for:

PIERS CORSI

Requested by:

Jacques Beaulieu

His loving daughter, Gina and
grandchildren, Sofia and Sandro

Nancy Curran

Requested by:

Eileen Lankey

Nancy Curran

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS for this week go out to:
Mary Bardo, Jason Jandron (29), Lynda Ouimet (30)

CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY this week:
No anniversaries listed.

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Healing of Blind Bartimaeus

Mark 10:46-52

Reflection:

- Bartimaeus was an irritation to the crowd; they asked him to keep quiet, they were embarrassed by the attention he was drawing. The fickle crowd encouraged Bartimaeus once they heard Jesus call him forward. I pray for the courage I need to recognize what is important to Jesus and to bring it to life.
- Without his cloak the blind man could be even more lost - he would lose protection from the elements. It was one of his most essential possessions. In going to Jesus, he let it go. In prayer there is much letting go. We hand over disappointments, hurts and grief as best we can. We hand them over to the one who loves us and gives much more in return.

Prayer:

***O Jesus Christ, teacher and healer,
You heard the cry of the blind beggar
when others would have silenced him.***

***Teach us to be attentive to the voices others ignore,
that we might respond through the power of the Spirit
to heal the afflicted and to welcome the abandoned***

for your sake and the sake of the gospel. We ask this in Christ's name, Amen.



*Healing of the Blind Man, by Carl Bloch,
c. 1871, Wikimedia Commons*

[Source](#)



ST. ALOYSIUS' NEWS

THE H.O.P.E. COMMITTEE: PREPARATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER

Plans are underway for our annual Christmas Basket and Adopt-a-Child Campaign. As with last year, H.O.P.E. will be taking care of providing gift cards from *President's Choice*®, *Toys'R'Us*® and *Walmart*® to less fortunate families in our community. We have contacted two local schools and are awaiting a list of families in need. In addition to young families, we also provide for adults who are in need.

Once again, we are turning to you, our parishioners and friends, for your help.

Last year we provided food gift cards for approximately 30 families and gift cards for presents for up to 70 children. In total we raised \$7,473.00. Without your generosity, this would have been an impossible endeavor.

Proceeds from H.O.P.E.'s weekly collections will go towards funding our Christmas Baskets outreach project. Once the number of children on our list is confirmed, we will launch our Adopt-A-Child campaign. We will be collecting cash donations only - \$25.00 per child. We will purchase the gift cards on your behalf.

Our goal is to deliver Christmas greeting cards with these gift cards enclosed, no later than **Saturday, December 11**, in order for families to have time to use them for their Christmas shopping.

We are truly grateful for the support of our St. Aloysius family, without whom none of this is possible. We look to you again this year to help us bring cheer to these deserving families.

**- Members of the
H.O.P.E. Committee**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 2021

Today is *World Mission Sunday*, "celebrated in every Catholic community in the world. It's a moment of grace to express solidarity with our brothers and sisters in Christ who are living in situations of poverty, violence and oppression. Every parish, school and community is invited to join this special event, and every penny, pound and prayer you give helps missionaries everywhere continue their work."

– Missio
(Papal charity for world mission)

"The theme of this year's World Mission Day – 'We cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard' (Acts 4:20), is a summons to each of us to 'own' and to bring to others what we bear in our hearts... Let us remember especially all those who resolutely set out, leaving home and family behind, to bring the Gospel to all those places and people athirst for its saving message."

– Pope Francis' message
for WMS 2021

Donations for this special collection are greatly appreciated. For those who use the boxed set of collection envelopes, your offering may be submitted through the green envelopes dedicated for this day labelled "**Propagation of the Faith**". Thank you for your generosity in helping missionary works around the world.

DIGITAL COMMITTEE : MASS ONLINE

A reminder that our Eucharistic celebrations are livestreamed 9:30 a.m. Sundays, from Ste-Louise-de-Marillac Church. You may follow Mass online via the parish Facebook page here :

[St. Aloysius Facebook page](#)

MASS INTENTIONS

Please call the office if you would like to request a mass intention be offered for the Repose of the Soul of a Faithful departed, or as a Spiritual Gift for Healing.

COMMUNITY NEWS

ST. PATRICK'S BASILICA: ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS FOR DECEASED PRIESTS OF OUR DIOCESE

The 12:10 p.m. mass on **Wednesday, November 3**, will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Basilica (460 René-Lévesque Blvd. West, Montreal, H2Z 1A7) as a memorial for the deceased priests of our Archdiocese. All are invited to attend. Please consult our website for full details on health safety measures and Covid restrictions implemented during mass attendance:
<http://www.stpatricksmtl.ca/>

MONTREAL DIRECTED RETREATS: PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE ONLINE

Our weekday prayer sessions continue weekly, **Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, from 10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m.**

Welcome to all who desire to deepen your relationship with God. Come join us, and learn how to pray with scripture in the way of St. Ignatius of Loyola.

[Montreal Directed Retreats \(MDR\)](#), supported by the [English Speaking Catholic Council \(ESCC\)](#), offers weekday morning online sessions, free and accessible to all via the cloud platform [Zoom](#). If you wish to join us, please register online [HERE](#). If you have any questions, please email us: Montreal.Directed.Retreats@gmail.com

Blessings on your week, thank you for your stewardship, and stay healthy and well.

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