



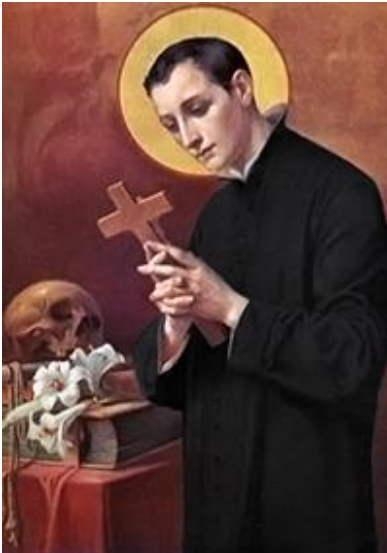
# ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH



**S**erving 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

REV. PAUL POMKOSKI

## EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

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

## SECRETARIES

JOANNE TROTTIER

CYNTHIA MARIE PAGINADO

## CONFESSIONS

THIRTY MINUTES PRIOR TO ALL MASSES, OR BY APPOINTMENT

## BAPTISMS

CONTACT OFFICE FOR INFO

## WEDDINGS

CONTACT OFFICE MINIMALLY SIX MONTHS BEFORE MARRIAGE

## ST. ALOYSIUS & ST. BRENDAN'S COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER

DOROTHY LETANG

## CATECHETICAL PROGRAM

LINDA POMKOSKI

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## H.O.P.E.

CYNTHIA HANSEN

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MANON LEGAULT

## ST. ALOYSIUS & ST. BRENDAN'S PASTORAL COUNCIL

(ST. ALOYSIUS MEMBER)

CYNTHIA MARIE PAGINADO

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE

EMMA LISI

JOYCE MONTANARO

JOANNE TROTTIER

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Blue Mondays: MONDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH CENTRE

(8402 de Marseille St., Montreal)

## WARDENS

TONY SECONDO

ALEX BELLISARIO-GIGLIO

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CYNTHIA HANSEN

JAMES PIERRE GUIMOND

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ROSEMARY KELAHEAR

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JOHN HENRY

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

SUNDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. BRENDAN'S HALL

(5740 15<sup>th</sup> Ave., corner Rosemont)



## MASS INTENTIONS



**For This Week:**

Sunday, August 23

**Intentions are for:**

GAËTAN LACOMBE

**Requested by:**

The H.O.P.E. Committee

Tuesday, August 25

MARILYN HENRY

The H.O.P.E. Committee

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**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS** for this week go out to:

Joan Hayden, Bobby Squires (28),  
Angela Lapierre (29)

**CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY** this week:

No anniversaries listed.

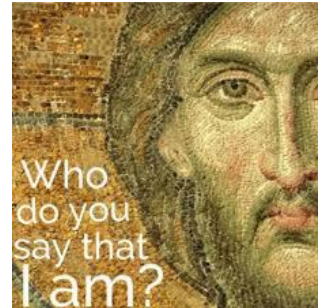
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## 21<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Reflection:**

“And you,” Jesus goes on, “who do you say I am?” It was a moment of truth, a very special moment in his disciples’ relationship with their Master. Simon speaks up: “You are the Messiah, the Christ, the Son of the living God.” It is a huge step forward for Peter and his companions. As we shall see, it is not yet a total recognition of his identity or mission but is an exciting moment in their relationship with him.

- The focus shifts immediately to Simon. He is praised for his insight but Jesus makes it clear that it comes from divine inspiration. Am I open to divine inspiration as I go about my day or now in my prayer time? Who is Jesus for me?



Jesus asks about what others say, but it is what Peter says that is important to him. Behind the words Jesus was not, for Peter, another great or admirable figure but was the one who could change his life.

- Lord, I linger with this question: what are you to me?  
I give witness to who Jesus is in my life, not only about what I say but by how I let Jesus change and reconfigure my priorities.

Jesus could trust Peter to be honest – he would say what was on his mind and in his heart.

- As Jesus asks me the same question, I answer honestly, knowing that nothing I say will alienate Jesus. If I am uncertain about what to say, I invite Jesus to look at my life and to see how I give witness.

**Prayer:** *Lord Jesus Christ, use us, like You used Simon Peter, to spread Your Gospel throughout the world and help us to always defend Your Church against attacks from the netherworld. Amen.*

[Source](#)



## ST. ALOYSIUS' NEWS

### VIEWING LIVE-STREAMED MASSES

A reminder that due to recent changes Fr. Paul has made to his privacy settings on Facebook, **public Masses streamed online will be viewable exclusively via Fr. Paul's profile on Facebook Live.** You will need to have a Facebook account and connect with him directly (add him as a friend) in order to access his profile. His username is: [facebook.com/rev.paul.pomkoski](https://www.facebook.com/rev.paul.pomkoski)

### COMMUNITY-WIDE PRAYING OF THE ROSARY AND WEEKLY SCRIPTURE STUDY ONLINE

Fr. Paul invites everyone to join in the next community-wide praying of the rosary on **Wednesday evening, August 26**, at 7 p.m. In addition, Fr. Paul continues to offer a weekly online Scripture Reflection every Thursday. Join him on **August 27**, at 7 p.m.

### ADDENDUM:

**This week's passages are**

[1] Matthew 25:1-13

[2] 2 Thessalonians 3:6-18

Both events are available on Fr. Paul's profile via Facebook Live.

### FOLLOW MASS ONLINE: WEEKDAYS AND SUNDAY MORNING

Sunday Mass will continue to be available online until further notice. Tune in **this morning, Sunday, August 23** and **next Sunday, August 30** at 11 a.m. for our next two weekend celebrations.

**In addition, Fr. Paul celebrates weekday Masses every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 9 a.m.** Follow Fr. Paul via Facebook Live.

### RESUMPTION OF PUBLIC MASSES AT ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH

Thanks to our team of volunteers, weekly public Masses will resume 9:30 a.m. on **Sunday, August 30** at Ste-Louise-de-Marillac Church (7901 Ste-Claire St.) Doors open at 9:15 a.m.

### Safety protocols during the pandemic:

In compliance with required health safety measures, entry to the church will be restricted to the main doors on Honoré-Beaugrand St. (corner Ste-Claire). Mask-wearing is obligatory. Parishioners will be asked to sanitize their hands upon entering the church, and make their way directly to their pew, maintaining a physical distance of at least two metres at all times. Gathering will not be permitted at the back of the church, either before or after Mass. In addition, no one is permitted to use the washrooms unless it is an emergency.

### Distribution of Communion:

To proceed for Communion, please approach the centre aisle in single file, maintaining two metres between the person ahead of you. Once you reach the Minister of Communion, please extend your hands so he/she can gently drop the host into your palm. Do not consume the host until you return to your seat where you can safely and briefly remove your mask. Please use the side aisles to return to your pew.

### Departure:

After Mass, everyone must exit the church by the side doors located on either side of the altar.

We have volunteers in place who will be there to assist and guide you.

### Registration required:

In order to attend Mass, you must first reserve your place. Please register by leaving your name as well as those of any other family members who will be

attending. This will also help facilitate contact-tracing should the need arise. Registration will be accepted **Monday through Thursday prior to each Sunday Mass.** To register, please call the office number at 514-351-3281.

### Following Mass online:

Masses will continue to be live-streamed via Fr. Paul's profile on Facebook Live for those who do not feel comfortable returning to Mass onsite during the pandemic.

### STAYING INFORMED

Please note that Fr. Paul's latest announcements are posted primarily on Facebook and are made live by Fr. Paul at the start of and/or immediately following each of his live sessions, and may not always be available prior to the bulletin "going to press". For this reason, we will make every effort to update our online bulletin throughout the week, as needed, so please check in regularly if you are not connected via his social media but wish to stay informed.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### MONTREAL'S EAST END OFFERS ALPHA ONLINE

Maria Ausiliatrice Mission invites everyone to experience the Alpha program online! **Starts September 18, and runs Friday evenings, 7:30 p.m.-9 p.m.** via the cloud platform Zoom.. You don't have to leave your house to be part of this amazing program. Better yet, ITS FREE! Why does Alpha exist? Learn more [here](#). To register, contact: [Alpha.MaryHelpOfChristians@gmail.com](mailto:Alpha.MaryHelpOfChristians@gmail.com)

**Have a safe and peaceful week everyone, thank you for your stewardship, and stay healthy and well! ☺**

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