

PARISH BULLETIN ST. MONICA'S CHURCH

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CHURCH WARDENS:

Ken Saldanha Marline Evoy Ursulene Mora-Farmer Nives Degano Paul Wong Widat Kebede

• WEEKEND MASS SATURDAY 4:00pm

SUNDAY 9:00am & (11:00am)

(Livestreamed)

(No Mass on Mondays)

WEEKDAY MASS -

TUESDAYS TO FRIDAYS - 8:30am – All are Welcome!

EVENING MASS -

THURSDAYS - 7:00pm - All are Welcome!

• Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:30am- 3:30pm - (514) 481-0267 Ext. 221

(*Closed: 12:00pm – 1:00pm*)

Parish Secretary: Gina Yee – Ext. 221 - st-monica@videotron.ca

• Food Pantry: Director - Marcelle Lord - 514-550-0125 stmonicasfoodpantry@gmail.com

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION IS AVAILABLE (30) MINUTES BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS.

Marriages: Contact the Parish Office 6 months in advance (514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221

Baptisms: Telephone: 514) 481-0267 - Ext. 221 or email the Parish Office: <u>st-monica@videotron.ca</u>

Parish Registration: Forms are located at the entrance doors. Please enter <u>ALL</u> your contact information and kindly give it to an Usher or place it in the collection baskets. If you want Donation Envelopes with a Registered Box number, please indicate it on your form and one will be assigned to you after you have been contacted. <u>Year-end Tax Receipts</u> will be either mailed or emailed.

On-Line donations – Please register at: www.stmonica.ca CanadaHelps – Give





L O V E

4TH Sunday of Advent

This fourth week of Advent waiting in Love. God gives us love. That love given is eternal. Give us love when all we see is hate. Give us love when the world seems cold. Love when we see others in need. Give us love when our cup feels empty. Let us share that love with

others. Love that cares for the stranger. Love that restores hope in Christ. Love that longs for God's presence. Emmanuel God's love with us now.

FIRST RECONCILIATION

18 Faith First children celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation this weekend.

Congratulations to:

Liliana Beaupre Celani, Mia Baggio, Teddy Catalano, Alex Davy, Luke Escobia, Tala Espaldon, Daniel Ford, Sebastiano Forlini, George Higden, Lucas Jones, Alessandro Mennillo, Hélèna Navarra, Kirby Edrich Reyes, Kresteven Rombe Gani, Askel Rodriguez Jiménez, Bentley Richard Rooney, Kai Petel Ruiz, and Rory Smith.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE 2022-2023

Christmas & New Year's schedule is on a separate hand-out and is also posted on-line.

CHRISTMAS APPEAL - 2022

Christmas Appeal Letters have recently been sent out, and as we are approaching the end of this year, to ensure tax receipts for your donations are met for 2022, we kindly ask that you please mail back your donations before the end of December. Donations received in January will be issued in 2023. *If you have changed your address, please notify the church*.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

St. Monica's will once again prepare a meal for the **Benedict Labre House homeless shelter** on <u>January 14, 2023</u>. As we will be preparing for 175 meals, we need your support and are reaching out to St. Monica's community! Please help us reach our goal in one of 3 ways:

- 1) Monetary donations
- 2) Kitchen time, helping to prepare the meals Meatloaf, potatoes & carrots.
- 3) Drivers. We will need drivers to pick up the food and take it to the center.

Any questions, please see someone at the back of the church after Mass to answer any questions. Thank you in advance for your geneoristy!

The Office will be closed from December 22nd, 2022 until January 3rd, 2023

MASS INTENTIONS: 17 – 25 DECEMBER 2022

Saturday, 4:00pm – December 17, 2022: Our Lady's Saturday

Angela & Domenico Poliziani by Dora & Mario Poliziani

Giuseppina Fiori from her Children Leonard & Terry Winslade by Bob & Do Parsons

Sunday, 9:00am -December 18, 2022: Fourth Sunday of ADVENT

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Sunday, 11:00am-December 18, 2022: Fourth Sunday of ADVENT

Giuseppina Lucci by Giuseppina Pendenza & Family

Lionello Paoli from Pietrina Turini Pasquale Coccia from his Family

Angelo D'Amico from Caterina D'Amico

Tuesday, 8:30am – December 20, 2022: Weekday

Mario Matta from Olga & Sons

All the Forgotten Souls in Purgatory from the Salvati Family

Wednesday, 8:30am – December 21, 2022: Saint Peter Canisius

Ilario & Stellina Maiolo from the Family

Adelaide Fazi Francescangeli & Family

Thursday, 8:30am – December 22, 2022: Weekday

Angelo Supino by Michelle Supino

Thursday, 7:00pm – December 22, 2022: Weekday

Angela Polisena & Giovanni De Leto by Carmelina De Leto & Family

Friday, 8:30am – December 23, 2022: Saint John Kanty

Anna & Italo Mariani & Italo Falcone from Luisa & Angelo

Michael Giangaspero from his Wife

Carmela Supino by Joseph & Mary Supino & Family

Saturday, 5:00pm – December 24, 2022: The Nativity of the Lord Children's Mass

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Saturday, 7:30pm – December 24, 2022: The Nativity of the Lord

Livestreamed –For All Parishioners Intentions

Sunday, 9:00am – December 25, 2022: The Nativity of the Lord

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Sunday, 11:00am–December 25, 2022: The Nativity of the Lord

Fr. Adelchi Bertoli & Family from Teri Laberge & Family

Ralito B. Meriales by Drex Meriales & Raquel Galvan
Lorenzo Galvan by Drex Meriales & Raquel Galvan

Angelo Caucci by Teresa & Family