



PARISH BULLETIN
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WEEKEND MASS SATURDAY 4:00pm SUNDAY 9:00am & (11:00am - (Livestreamed))

- **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) – (No Mass on Mondays)

- **Parish Secretary:** Gina Yee – Ext. 221 - st-monica@videotron.ca
- **Faith First:** Jennie Parsons Armstrong – Ext. 226 – faithfirst@stmonica.ca
- **Food Pantry:** Director - Marcelle Lord – 514-550-0125 stmonicasfoodpantry@gmail.com

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

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



INTERNATIONAL FASHION SHOW, presented by St. Monica's Fundraising Committee on **Saturday, June 28th at 7:30pm** in the church hall. This is a B.Y.O.B. evening - Includes Food, Art, and DJ Music.

Tickets are **\$30 per person** on sale at the back of the church, or by calling the Parish Office (514) 481-0267, x 221.



Honoring all Fathers, Grandfathers, Great-Grandfathers, and Father figures.



15 JUNE 2025

Access - East Side Entrance



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you." (Jn. 16,12-15)

The Father sent His only Son: *"And the Word was made flesh and made his dwelling among us"* (Jn. 1:14). Jesus, the Son of God, shared everything about our human condition with us except sin, helping us to

remember that we are created by God, that we are His children, and that God is our Father. Through His words and His life, He taught us with Truth regarding the Way to return to the Father, who is eternal Life. Thus, Jesus showed us the Father's face: *"Whoever has seen me has seen the Father"* (Jn. 14:9). He reminded us that the way to heaven is open to everyone, that there is no need to be afraid, and that we do not need to be ashamed because God the Father is love, He is faithfulness, He is mercy. Obedient to the Father, Jesus died on the cross for our salvation. On the third day He rose, defeating sin and death, thus opening the way to return to His Father and our Father. Jesus, having ascended into heaven, gave us the *Holy Spirit* on Pentecost. The liturgy invites us to celebrate the Solemnity of the *Holy Trinity*, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The reflection of God in us speaks to us not only of His "grandeur" but also of His "company". God reveals Himself to us as **God-Love**, even more, as **God-Communion**. He is the light on this horizon of "communion" that we are called to embrace as the vocation of every human person. We are above all God's "gift". Therefore, as the one God is Triune, so we have been made to be in relationship with others. For inasmuch as we are in communion with others, we find ourselves. To the extent that we "lose ourselves" for others, we find ourselves, and in the end, we save ourselves, as Jesus told us (see Mk. 8:34ff.).

Jesus told us that the Spirit would be given to us. He is our interior Teacher, our Guide, who knows how to give each person what is necessary according to their own capacity. Understanding and bearing everything does not happen all at once. The Spirit is specifically the One who makes us capable of living a life worthy of God's gift. He does this from within. He leads us to the truth which is Jesus Himself, who teaches us to make ourselves small, poor, so as to learn how to make room for God and for others, to live like God, Trinity-Love-Communion-Fraternity.



FOUNDATIONS FAMILY WEEK – WINE RAFFLE:

FFW is a week-long getaway for low-income families at Camp Kinkora in the Quebec Laurentians. Programming is provided for children, adults, and families. The main goal is to offer a fulfilling camp vacation experience to families that do not have access to such activities due to a lack of funds.

*This includes a week at camp for a family, all meals, all activities, and transport. We fundraise each year to fully sponsor all families, and to offset the cost of materials and operations. Please support this worthy cause by participating in our wine/spirit's raffle. An email confirmation will be sent to you to let you know you are entered. **Draw for 12 bottles of wine will be June 16, 2024.***

- 1 Ticket - \$5.00
- 3 Tickets - \$10.00
- 10 Tickets - \$25.00
- E-Transfer to FFWKINKORA@Gmail.com

Please speak with Mark Boyer for more information – (514) 918-2713

MASS INTENTIONS –June 14 - 20, 2025

Saturday, 4:00pm – June 14, 2025: MOST HOLY TRINITY

Aniello D'Addio
Ignazio Ciampini
George Wong
Bernard Wong

Franca & Children
Ernesta & Children
Family, Pauline, Paul & Stephen
sister, Pauline Wong

Sunday, 9:00am – June 15, 2025: MOST HOLY TRINITY

Michael Giangaspero
Leonardo Ricciardi
Deceased Members Paoli & Turini Families

Wife
Ricciardi Family
Alessandro Paoli & Pietrini Turini

Sunday, 11:00am – June 15, 2025: MOST HOLY TRINITY

Adelaide Fazi Francescangeli
The Cullen Family
Angelo D'Amico
Pasquale Coccia

Gino & Family
Jane Cullen
Wife & Family
Family

Tuesday, 8:30am – June 17, 2025: Weekday

For All Parishioners Intentions

Wednesday, 8:30am – June 18, 2025: Weekday

Mario Matta
Isa, Ivio & Mark Mazzella

Olga Santini Matta & Son
Family

Thursday, 8:30am - June 19, 2025: Saint Romuald

Cosmo Maiolo

Maria Ienco

Thursday, 7:00pm

Thomas Stafford

Lisa

Friday, 8:30am – June 20, 2025: Weekday

Ignazio Mattei

Domenica Mattei & Family