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26th & 27th Sunday of Ordinary
Time

September 27th & October 4th
2015

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ordinaire



Welcoming New Parishioners:

We warmly welcome all new members to our parish family. We would like to get to know and serve you. In order to do so please fill out a registration form available in the church foyer or contact the parish office.

Sunday Masses:

Sat. 5:00 pm English

Sun. 9:00 am English

11:00 am Bilingual

Weekday Liturgies:

Please refer to a recent bulletin for updates for the current week.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat. 4:30 - 4:50 pm

Sun. 8:30 - 8:50 am

10:30 - 10:50 am

or upon appointment

Baptism:

Usually any Sunday of the month at mass.

Call the parish office for more info and registration.

Marriage/Wedding:

Please call the parish office At least SIX months in advance of your chosen date and before any other arrangement is made.

Sacrament of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office. In urgent cases please call a priest.

True wisdom comes from God.

Although most of us can point to a person in our lives whom we consider wise, we are using a human standard to measure wisdom. True wisdom, however, comes from God and enables us to live as intended by our Creator. Jesus teaches us to seek a childlike faith so that we are able to readily accept the truth, which sets us free.

CCODP Emergency Appeal for the Refugee Crisis

The Current refugee crisis that is taking place in Europe requires **global response** and Development and Peace is working with its Caritas partners in Europe to help bring relief to thousands of people who are trapped in limbo as they try to escape war, poverty and repression in their countries of origin.

The Government of Canada has committed 100 million dollars to this crisis and Development and Peace is one of the agencies able to access this fund to support partners and projects working towards sustainable solutions to this crisis.

The government of Canada is matching all funds raised for this appeal until December 31st.

To give now, call 1 888-664-3387. Or mail a cheque to

Development and Peace

1425 Rene-Levesque Blvd. West. 3rd Floor

Montreal QC H3G 1T7

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)

We are currently looking for some members to be on our Parish Council. The Purpose of the Parish Pastoral Council is to bring together lay people and religious who with their pastor will work to build a living Christian community that cares for all the people of God. The Parish Pastoral Council will carefully consider the needs of the faithful and search within the community for the means to response to those needs. It is composed of members of Catholics who are in full communion with the Church, who support the parish, and who have a keen desire to help and the ability to serve, to listen, to reflect and to express themselves with care and charity. They are concerned for the overall good of the parish and bring with them their lived experiences and faith.

Parish Finance Committee (PFC)

We are seeking once again one or two more members. The PFC consists of committed and qualified Laypersons who are practicing their faith in a full and visible communion with the Church. They are chosen to assist the pastor in the administration of the temporal goods of the parish. They advise the pastor on all financial matters of the parish and work inharmonious manner in preparing the budget and yearly parish summary. Their stewardship is a service to Our Lord as a work of faith and love and, as such, contributes directly to the good of the parish. If you know any who can be this kind of blessing for us, please nominate them at the parish office or to Fr. Martin. *Thank you.*

Fr. Martin and Fr. Mario will be away from October 5th till October 9th for the annual priests retreat in the Diocese of St. Paul. There will be no Masses during that week.

There are some **“the Word among us”** reflection booklets at the back of the church. Please feel free to take one home and use it to journey for the month of October.

First Friday Adoration

On the **First Friday of October** we will have a day of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The church will be open between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm and everyone will be able to come for longer or shorter period of time to spend with Eucharistic Jesus. We begin with Mass at 8:30 am, then the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration and prayer till 12:00 pm

There is a **sign up sheet at the back** of the church so that at least 2 people sign for each hour to make sure there is always someone present in the church with Blessed Sacrament exposed.

Needs of the Church in Canada – September 27th

Every year, the Bishops of Canada make an appeal for financial assistance to support its work through the Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. This collection helps support the work of the episcopal conference by providing each diocese the means to make its annual *per capita* contribution to the CCCB is the national assembly of Catholic Bishops in Canada, including the Eastern Catholic Church. Contributing to the collection is an action of collaboration with the Bishops in their ministry to teach, sanctify and govern.

World Tourism Day – September 27th

A World Tourism Day was created in 1979 by the World Tourism Organization. The Church is concerned about tourism in the world, remembering the words of Jesus to his disciples, “Whatever house you enter, first say, “Peace to this house!” And if anyone is there who shares in peace lives there, your peace will rest on that person” (LK 10.5-6).



Children’s Liturgy

If you would like to volunteer or to help with this ministry or just be a helper to the leaders please call Lisa St. Onge 780-939-5185. There will be a meeting for the teachers of the Children’s Liturgy as well as anyone who is interested in teaching or being a helper.



We welcome to God’s family

Alaya Jane Brianna Nault

&

Jordyn Dalia Szmyrko

daughter of Christopher & Micheline

daughter of Kevin & Renee

Baptized on September 20, 2015

&

Marian Bergonia

daughter of Jess Mark & Lianna

Baptized on September 27, 2015



KC Breakfast Next KC Breakfast is today September 27th.

from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm at the Rendez -Vous Centre .



Ministry List

The October – December Ministry List was e-mailed last week there are copies at the back of the church for the Ministers who do not have e-mails.

Thank you A big Thank You to all Parishioners at St. Jean Baptiste Parish for all your prayers.

My recovery has gone well and continues more and more each day, which proves that anything is possible through the Power of Prayer. Thanks again Marge Vervynck.

Masses For The Week

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Sept 26 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Norm Chalifoux – Jeannine, Louise, Jackie	26 th Sunday
Sept 27 Sun - dim	9:00 am	For Parishioners	of Ordinary Time
	11:00 am	RIP Sheldon & Melissa Sundquist – Mom & Dad	
Sept 29 Tues - mar	8:30 am	Souls of Purgatory - Shirley	St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael
Sept 30 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Catherine Bruce – Mina & Family	St. Jerome
	7:00 pm	(Church) RIP Dr. Richard Riep – Alissa & Greg Maries	
Oct 1 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Katherine Bokenfohr – Family	St. Therese Of The Child Jesus 1 st Friday
Oct 2 Fri - ven	8:30 am	RIP Eric Jackson – August & Celina	The Holy Guardian Angels
Oct 3 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Ted – Marge & Family	27 th Sunday
Oct 4 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Marie Vansevenandt - Danny	of Ordinary Time
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	
Oct 6 Tues - mar		NO MASS	
Oct 7 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) Liturgy of the word with Communion (Church) NO MASS	
Oct 8 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) NO MASS	
Oct 9 Fri - ven	8:30 am	NO MASS	
Oct 10 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Roger Vansevenandt (3rd Anniv) – Isabel & Family	28 th Sunday
Oct 11 Sun - dim	9:00 am	For Parishioners	of Ordinary Time
	11:00 am	RIP Lucien Sasseville – Gilberte & Children	

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Kiah Courtney, Irene Dupuis, Louise Dubois, Leo Brochu. All those who are sick or struggling; who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.

COLLECTIONS – QUÊTES

September 13th \$ 1585.00 Restoration \$ 50.00

September 20th \$ 4415.00 Restoration \$ 120.00

THANK YOU! MERCI!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels

- Sept 29th & Oct 5th Monday 8:00 am

- Church