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September 8, 2024 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sunday Masses

Saturday: 17h00

Sunday: (Rosary at 9h30) 10h00

Sunday: 15h00 * in Tagalog and English

Reconciliation: On request & also Saturdays from 4:30 pm, Sundays from 9:30 am.

Weekday Masses

Tuesday:	19h00		
(Rosary at 18h30, and ending with a devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help)			
Wednesday:	9h00		
Thursday:	9h00		
Friday:	9h00		
(followed by Adoration)			
First Saturday:	9h00		
(Rosary at 8h30 & followed by Adoration)			

Welcome to our Parish

We hope our community will be a place where your life and faith can be nourished. Your talents, prayers, time and presence are all very welcome.

Jesus proclaimed the good news of the kingdom and cured every sickness among the people. – Matthew 4: 23

We must speak to [slaves] with our hands by giving, before we try to speak to them with our lips. – Saint Peter Claver

It is simply impossible to lead a virtuous life without the aid of prayer. – St. John Chrysostom

A suggestion for something to do in honour of Mary on her birthday (Sunday, September 8): Start researching and planning a Mary Garden, or to include in your garden a special plant or flower for each feast day of Mary. This can be for next spring, but if some bulbs are to be included, this is the time to plant them!

A gentle maiden having lodged a God in her womb, asks as its price, peace for the world, salvation for those who are lost, and life for the dead. – Saint Peter Chrysologus

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

FIRST Sat. 9 am	September 7 † Jonathan Potts & souls in purgatory †	(Potts family)
Saturday 5 pm	September 7 For A. Kakuk	(Andy Csisztu)
Sunday 10 am 3 pm (in E	September 8 TWENTY-THIRD ORD For the intentions of the people of the parish inglish & Tagalog)	INARY (PRO POPULO)
Tuesday 7 pm	September 10 † souls in purgatory †	(Mildenberger family)
Wed. 9 am	September 11 In thanksgiving and for peace for Fr. Stephen D	iraviam
Thursday 9 am	September 12 The conversion of Jean's children & grand-child	lren (a relative)
Friday 9 am	September 13 † Jonathan Pots & souls in purgatory †	(Potts family)

SANCTUARY LIGHT – For the week of September 8:

Health and peace to Kiana

(Johanne)

PAPAL INTENTIONS for SEPTEMBER 2024 – For the Cry of the Earth: Let us pray that each of us listens with our hearts to the cry of the Earth and of the victims of environmental disasters and the climate crisis, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit.

Please pray for those who are sick and for those who suffer, for those who have died and for those who mourn, and ask special blessings for: John Bogdanski; Fr. Robert Clark; Charles (Chuck) Colomb; Fr. Bob Cornell; William Cosgrove; Michael & Pierre Dagher; Kiana Dyson; Emmanuelle; Steve, Diane & Elijah Farley; Nilda Hufana; Brenna Labbe; Adrian MacDonald; Karen McLeod Wilson; Olive Moss; Carl Olynyk; Fr. Paul Pomkoski; Carmela Rinaldi; Catherine Sadorski and the Branco family; Ed Sears; Antonio & Flor de Liza Serafini; Maria Teresa Villarreal; Margaret Ward; Karen Wheeler; Jo Anne Hilton Wilkin; Alyssa Wilson +Fr.Robert Assaly; +Deacon Marcel Aubé; +Jane Orion Bau; †Diane Claire Lafave Bissegger; †Annie "Nannette Ma" Birchenough; †Leopoldo Bacalla; †Fr. Robert Brennon; †Charles Campbell; †Charles (Chuck) Casey; †Penelope (Penny) Ann Casey; †Veronica Cosgrove; †Domenic D'Alesio; †Heidi Dallenbach; †Margo Donovan; †Gene Gauzer; † Nancy Louisa Gomes; †Megan Joncas; †Pierre Joncas; †Lily Kemp; †Caroline Labrosse; †Michael Manning; †Virginia Martinez Hidalgo-Gato de Aponte; †Régine Ntirumera; †Thérence Rutuku; †Abbé Pierre Senez; †Fr Mike Shaw; †Michael Soles; †Logan Stretton; †Anna Vicente-Lebaut To add the name of someone for whom you would like prayers, please contact the Parish Office at 514-450-3896 or office @corpuschristiparish.ca

PARISH LIFF

Bring something to share at the last of the casual pot-luck Summer Coffee Sundays in the Hall after 10am Mass this Sunday, September 7.

> Women of all ages, are welcome for a time of connection, laughter, and sharing at our next buffet-brunch, next Saturday, September 14, 10 am, in the Parish Hall. Invite a friend, come for a cup, a chat and enjoy fellowship. RSVP at office@corpuschristiparish.ca

Baptisms

WOMEN'S

Please keep baby Saya May Kianki Satiada, her parents, Mauritz Satiada and Ivana Kianki, their family and friends, in your prayers, as they prepare for her baptism here next Sunday, September 15, at 10am Mass.

Pray also for Luna Rametta, her parents, Andrew Rametta and Giannina Webber, their family and friends,

in anticipation of her baptism here at Corpus Christi next Sunday, September 15, at 12-noon.

Family Mass & Blessing of the School bags (for all ages)

Our first Family Mass for this catechetical year is at 10 am, next Sunday, **Sept. 15**. As September is also the beginning of the academic school year, Father Stephen will bless all the children, and students of any age, their school bags and books during Mass.

After Mass, you are invited in the hall for coffee/tea/juice and treats hosted by the children in our Confirmation Preparation Level.

Children and Youth Choir

Any children or youth interested in singing with the choir, please contact Dan Wheeler at 514-999-9000 (dangwheeler@gmail.com).

WEEKLY SUNDAY COLLECTIONS INFORMATION

The collections, including weekly and monthly pre-authorized Direct Deposit transfers, for the week ending Sunday, September 1: \$ 2525.30 The average amount needed each week for running the parish is: \$ 2900.00







Youth Group and Young Adult Groups

Our Youth Group for teens up to 18 years of age and Young Adult Groups are starting up again after the summer hiatus, meeting in the Parish Hall after 5pm Saturday Mass.

The **Youth Group** meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month. Come join for prayer, games, food, fun activities, friendships. The <u>first meeting is</u> **next Saturday, Sept. 14**.

The Young Adult Conversation Group is on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month. Conversations about our faith help strengthen our relationship with Jesus and navigating our daily lives. Come meet Catholic peers. Invite a friend. The <u>first meeting is Saturday, September 21</u>.

Info: Isabelle (isabelle.henri2003@gmail.com) to confirm your presence.



PARISH PRAYER GROUPS – All prayer requests are welcome. **†** Recitation of the Rosary, Sunday morning before Mass, 9:30am

† Rosary & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Tuesday Evening, 6:30 - 7 pm, at Church before Mass & ZOOM

- † Men's Prayer Group, Last Wednesday of the month, 8 pm
- † Online Rosary, Wednesday evenings, 7 pm, via ZOOM Prayer ZOOM meetings: <u>https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2524950337</u>? Meeting ID= 252 495 0337 Passcode: 082853
- † <u>Online Chaplet of Divine Mercy</u>, **Thursday evenings**, **7 pm** Contact the Parish Office to be added to the private ZOOM link
- † <u>Saturday Online Rosary</u>, Saturday evenings, 7:30pm, via ZOOM <u>https://us04web.zoom.us/i/73141692808?pwd=8dNdD8RoOCAQssBA4h0b4hWdOxo6kk.1</u>

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Religious Heritage Days this weekend, September 6-8

With 180 sites and circuits to discover, from Témiscamingue to Sept-Îles, passing through the Magdalen Islands, the experiences on offer will surely know how to pique your curiosity! Info: <u>www.journeesdupatrimoinereligieux.ca</u>

Men's Recollections

Monthly recollections are a spiritual break in an overloaded daily life. Preached by a priest of the Opus Dei Prelature, these evenings are geared to help you refresh your spirit and strengthen your resolve to transform all your activities into opportunities to love God and your Neighbour. The next meeting will be **Tuesday, September 10, 7:30pm.**

(JESUS LIGHT OF THE WORLD PARISH, 11075 Gouin West, Pierrefonds-Roxboro)

Free Screening of "Food, Inc. 2" – ZOOM

As the name suggests, Magnolia Pictures' Food, Inc. 2, is the 2024 sequel to the 2008 Oscar®-nominated film Food, Inc. the original groundbreaking documentary ignited a conversation about the multinational corporations

that control food systems at enormous cost to our planet, workforce, and health. Food, Inc. 2 comes "back for seconds" to reveal how corporate consolidation has yet gone unchecked by our government. An efficient, yet shockingly vulnerable food system now exists, dedicated only to increasing profits. This consolidated power leads to exploited

laborers, a degraded environment, less healthy food, and a dysfunctional supply chain.

Register to join the Sisters and other Franciscans For Earth, **Tuesday**, **September 10, at 6:30 pm Central.**

https://laudatosiactionplatform.org/events/

Loyola High School Open House

Loyola is a **private co-educational high school** offering a Jesuit, Catholic formation. Interested families with students in Grades 5 and 6 are invited to register for a **one-hour tour of Loyola High School** to explore the facilities and meet with Faculty & Staff, **September 14**. This is a great opportunity to understand how Loyola is committed to the development of

the whole person through a comprehensive educational experience of academic excellence, spiritual and religious formation, and extracurricular involvement. An English Eligibility Certificate is required.







23rd Ordinary

Parish Bazaar & Community Garage Sale Saturday, Sept. 14, 9 am - 5 pm, in the parish hall and parking lot at Saint-Thomas a Becket. Tables available to rent. Donations accepted – drop off on Sept 13 & 14. Contact Eric by email <u>ericchevrier1@gmail.com</u> or 514-246-8525. (ST THOMAS A BECKET, 4320 Ste. Anne, Pierrefonds)

Money & Marriage Workshop

Money is the biggest source of conflict in marriage. Help is available at the <u>Money &</u> <u>Marriage Workshop</u>, a Catholic marriageenrichment workshop led by Indiana-based

Laura Ieraci, a trained financial coach and communications studies graduate of the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome. Make a small investment in your marital and financial future and get on the same page with your finances as a couple. **Saturday, September 21, 8am – 5:30pm**.

<u>https://becket.ca/upload/Money_Marriage_Workshop.pdf</u> (ST THOMAS A BECKET, 4320 Ste. Anne, Pierrefonds)

Listening to Indigenous Voices

This is an in-depth dialogue on justice and right relationship. The 12-session program will increase your knowledge about indigenous peoples of Canada. You will have the opportunity to explore the history, practices, and underlying ideas of colonization as well as exploring concrete pathways towards right relationships, decolonization and re-indigenization.

Wednesday evenings, 7:30 – 9pm, beginning on October 2.

Register: Deacon Gerry Turpin at 514-631-1616 or <u>turpin@cooptel.qc.ca</u> (ST. VERONICA'S PARISH, 1300 Carson Ave., Dorval)

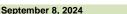
Upcoming Challenge Retreat

The **Montreal Challenge Movement** brings young adults into communion with Christ and His Church through weekend retreats and weekly

Ultreyas. Montreal Challenge will be hosting its 45th retreat on **October 25-27**, co-directed by Mario and Palmina Montanaro. **Calling on all Challengers**, whether active or alumni, to join in making this retreat a memorable one. <u>www.montrealchallenge.ca/</u>,

www.facebook.com/montrealchallengemovement

(ST. LAURENT PARISH, 805 Sainte-Croix Av., Saint-Laurent)





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SUNDAY READINGS:

September 7, 2024

Isaiah 35: 4-8

James 2: 1-5

Mark 7: 31-37

First Reading:

The ears of the deaf shall be unstopped, and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy.

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 146: 1, 6-10 \mathbb{R} : Praise the Lord, O my soul!

Second Reading:

Has not God chosen the poor to be rich in faith, and be heirs of the kingdom?

Gospel:

He makes the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak.

For further reflection on the Readings and Gospel, visit: <u>https://readings.livingwithchrist.ca/</u>

Questions to Ponder (from https://pastoral.center/)

- What does your belief in Jesus mean to you?
- In what ways do you show favoritism or make distinctions among people?

ON THE LITURGICAL CALENDAR

The feast days of the Church are not just the commemoration of historical events; they also look to the present and the future, and give us an insight into our own relationship with God.

September is the month of the Sorrowful Mother.

- **The Season of Creation** continues to October 4, the Feast of St. Francis. Christians around the world dedicat this time to prayer and action to protect our common home.
- Sept. 8 **Nativity of Mary** Mary was born to be the mother of the Savior of the world, the spiritual mother of all men, and the holiest of God's creatures. Because of her Son's infinite merits, she was conceived and born immaculate and full of grace.
- Sept. 9 Saint Peter Claver, Jesuit Priest, known as "Slave of the Slaves", ministered physically and spiritually to slaves, and worked for humane treatment on the plantations, converted a huge number of slaves, organized charitable societies among the Spanish, Patron of African missions, African-Americans, race relations, slaves, Colombia.
- Sept. 10 Saint Nicholas of Tolentino, Augustinian preacher, peacemaker, wonder-worker and healer, received visions, and visited prisoners, had a great devotion to the recently dead, prayed for souls in Purgatory, he told those he helped, "Say nothing of this." Patron of: Holy Souls in Purgatory, animals, babies, boatmen, mariners and sailors, dying people
- Sept. 12 **Most Holy Name of Mary**, God the Father is glorified by the exalted role in salvation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, thus, her name is one of honour, a holy name, a maternal name and a name responsive to the needs of he the church.
- Sept. 13 Saint John Chrysostom, Archbishop of Constantinople, one of the four original <u>Doctors</u> from the Eastern Church, called "Golden-Mouthed" because of his eloquence, Patron of preachers

Sept. 14 - EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS / Triumph of the Cross / Holy Rood Day

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- A. by **cash or cheque** in the offertory basket, by using envelopes or to the office
- B. by **E-Transfer** to <u>waf4corpuschristi@yahoo.com</u>. (Please remember to send the answer to your security question to the same e-mail address.)
- C. by **Direct Deposit** made from your bank to the Church: Pre-Authorised Transfer Payment Form online at our website & arrangements by contacting the office;
- D. online by credit card or PayPal, at <u>www.corpuschristiparish.ca/giving</u>, THANK YOU FOR CONTRIBUTING TO THE SUPPORT OF THE PARISH.

ABOUT PRAYER

We continue to find out about prayer and how it can enrich our spiritual lives, from in the Compendium of the Catholic Church, Section Four, on **Christian Prayer** (#534 – 598)

CHAPTER TWO – The Tradition of Prayer

557. What is the importance of Tradition in regard to prayer?

In the Church it is through living Tradition that the Holy Spirit teaches the children of God how to pray. In fact prayer cannot be reduced to the spontaneous outpouring of an interior impulse; rather it implies contemplation, study and a grasp of the spiritual realities one experiences.

AT THE WELLSPRINGS OF PRAYER

558. What are the sources of Christian prayer?

They are: the Word of God which gives us "the surpassing knowledge" of Christ (Philippians 3:8); the Liturgy of the Church that proclaims, makes present and communicates the mystery of salvation; the theological virtues; and everyday situations because in them we can encounter God.

"I love you, Lord, and the only grace I ask is to love you eternally. ... My God, if my tongue cannot say in every moment that I love you, I want my heart to repeat it to you as often as I draw breath." (The Curé of Ars, Saint John Mary Vianney)

THE WAY OF PRAYER

559. In the Church are there different ways of praying?

In the Church there are various ways of praying that are tied to different historical, social and cultural contexts. The Magisterium of the Church has the task of discerning the fidelity of these ways of praying to the tradition of apostolic faith. It is for pastors and catechists to explain their meaning which is always related to Jesus Christ.

560. What is the way of our prayer?

The way of our prayer is Christ because prayer is directed to God our Father but reaches him only if we pray – at least implicitly – in the name of Jesus. His humanity is in effect the only way by which the Holy Spirit teaches us to pray to our Father. Therefore liturgical prayers conclude with the formula: "Through our Lord Jesus Christ."

561. What is the role of the Holy Spirit in prayer?

Since the Holy Spirit is the interior Master of Christian prayer and "we do not know how to pray as we ought" (Romans 8:26), the Church exhorts us to invoke him and implore him on every occasion: "Come, Holy Spirit!"

562. How is Christian prayer Marian?

Because of her singular cooperation with the action of the Holy Spirit, the Church loves to pray to Mary and with Mary, the perfect 'pray-er', and to "magnify" and invoke the Lord with her. Mary in effect shows us the "Way" who is her Son, the one and only Mediator.

563. How does the Church pray to Mary?

Above all with the Hail Mary, the prayer with which the Church asks the intercession of the Virgin. Other Marian prayers are the Rosary, the Akathistos hymn, the Paraclesis, and the hymns and canticles of diverse Christian traditions.

www.vatican.va/archive/compendium_ccc/documents/archive_2005_compendium_ ccc_en.html#Prayer%20in%20the%20Christian%20Life_

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The Ignatian Spirituality Centre of Montreal	514-481-1064,			
For spiritual accompaniment or direction <u>https://ignatiancentremtl.org/</u>				
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Archdiocese of Montreal	514-931-7311			
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Anointing of the Sick & Pastoral Visits: Upon request, please call the office.

Baptism: Please contact the church office in ample time for the preparation process before the baptism.

Marriage: Those wishing to celebrate a marriage in the parish are asked to contact the rectory eight months in advance of the proposed date of the celebration.

A preparation program, approved by the Pastor, must be taken in advance.

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