

Mass Intentions from July 2-8, 2022

Sat. Jul 2/4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Baird, Shanahan, Ryan, Scott, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa Baird

Sun. Jul 3 26/11:00 a.m. Nick Baird -Teresa Baird
John Pinto - Parishioners
Anne Vermette - Samia Cassar & family
Eileen Shanahan - Shanahan & Scott families
Rosa & Antonio Pistilli - Giuseppe & Angela Palmarella
Francesco Nardi & Francesco Andreacchi - Elisabetta Nardi
Lucia I. Liaganor & Ricardo T. Liganor Sr. - Wah Keung & Lilian

Wed. Jul 6/10:00 a.m. Nick Baird - Teresa Baird

Thu. Jul 7/10:00 a.m. Francesco Nardi & Francesco Andreacchi - Elisabetta Nardi

Fri. Jul 8/10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa Baird

14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C)



First Reading (Isaiah 66.10-14) I will extend prosperity to her like a river.

Second Reading (Galatians 6.14-18)

I carry the marks of Jesus branded on my body.

Gospel (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20) Your peace will rest upon them.

Reflection

The call to, and the joy of, discipleship seem to play center stage in our readings today. The passage from Isaiah speaks of the joy that comes from a relationship with God. The Responsorial Psalm continues the theme of rejoicing as one contemplates the great things that the Lord has done for, and through, the Chosen Ones of God. In the selection from his letter to the Galatians, St. Paul writes of boasting in the cross of the Lord Jesus as he mentions that he has been crucified to the world and the world to him as he continues his ministry. In the Gospel, Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples on their missionary journey.

The Whole Gospel of Jesus Christ, our Master-Teacher, calls us to be other-centered. We must seek the Good of other people, even when it means that we have to give up something we treasure.

The fact that we are called to be united with the suffering and death and resurrection of Jesus and thus part of His saving work is what makes being His disciples so special. It should cause us to rejoice and be glad. We have been invited to be in relationship with the Master-Teacher and His loving and nurturing **Abba** through the presence of their Holy Spirit in our lives.

May you respond to the Lord Jesus' call and follow Him in loving service of others.

MASS TIMINGS

Saturday Mass: 4:30 p.m. (St. Patrick's Sq)

Sunday Mass: 11:00 a.m. (St. Richard's Parish)

**Sacrament of Reconciliation can be heard every Sunday
15 minutes before and after mass.**

Weekday morning masses:

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Rosary begins at 9:30 a.m. followed by mass at 10:00 a.m.

DEVOTION TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Every Wednesday after the 10:00 a.m. mass.

EXPOSITION & HOLY HOUR: Every Friday 9:00 to 10:00 am

Sunday Offerings or Donations can be made through our website or through e-transfer. For E-transfer follow the steps below:

Name : St Richards Parish

Email to : stnichard@videotron.ca (No security question is required)

In the message box write your envelope box number (if you have one)

YOU'RE DONE! We are set up for Automatic E-Transfer.

MASS INTENTIONS...

You are kindly requested to submit your written mass request 30 days prior to the date of your request.
Each mass or Sanctuary Lamp offering is \$15.00. Thank you!

**The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week
For Special Intentions for Kristina Shanahan.**

By - Teresa Baird

Keeping Your Parish Financially Healthy

Yearly parish dues are due and your parish needs your help financially. **We leave your contribution at your discretion.**

It is important to remember that a parish is non-profit and to keep it functioning depends on its loyal parishioners.

If all our ENVELOPE USERS and our OTHER PARISHIONERS, who do not use envelope, give their dues, these donations will help reverse your parish deficit.

A special envelope in your box is provided for this purpose.

For those who do not use envelopes, please feel free to use a blank with your name and address for tax purposes. Please mark "Annual Dues."

Your Pastor, Fr. George Joseph and the Wardens, are doing their very best to serve the parish

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.



FOR PASTORAL HOME CARE SERVICES

We have elderly and shut in persons in our parish, who reside in their own homes, and the two geriatric hospitals in Cote Saint-Luc.

We need volunteers to visit them, take them communion, if required.

The visits will be coordinated; the frequency of the visit will be based on the availability of the volunteer.

(Once a week or once in two weeks or once a month).

A short training will be given.

Please contact the parish office – (514) 488 0778 or Deacon Nathan - (514) 770 0628

Your help is greatly appreciated!

Sick and Shut-Ins

If you have a family member or know of a friend who is shut-in and wish to receive Holy Communion or a visit from our pastoral home care team please call the parish office.

We are here to serve you.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Newly arrived refugees: local appeal

Dear brothers and sisters in faith,

I urge you to read below the message received from Ms. Alessandra Santopadre of the cultural communities and [Le Pont](http://LePont.org), regarding welcoming and providing temporary housing for refugees. It indicates the nature of the assistance required for these refugees. We ask you to reflect on how we can alleviate the suffering of vulnerable people. If you believe you can accommodate refugees, please contact Alessandra via email: ASantopadre@diocesemontreal.org to let her know you want to help, and how you can do so.

God bless,

Fr. Raymond Lafontaine, E.V.

Episcopal Vicar for the English-speaking Faithful

Director, Office for English Pastoral Services

Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Montreal