

## Mass Intentions from November 12-18, 2022

### Memorial – St. Josaphat

Sat. Nov 12/4:30 p.m. Ann Dolton - Parishioners

Sun. Nov 13/10:00 a.m. Nick Baird - Teresa Baird  
Vincenzo - Lina, Behrooz & Frank  
John Pinto - Daphne & Yohan  
Joe Giancola & Giuseppe Venanzi - Felicia Venanzi  
Francesco & Liberata Salvati - Paulina & Rosolino Salvati  
Eileen Shanahan - Shanahan & Scott families  
Pasquale, Benedetta & Pasqualina Di-Murro - Velia & family  
Giuseppe Mancini, Lucia & Francesco Santini - Josie, Mena & Domenico Mancini

Wed. Nov 16/10:00 a.m. Caterina Bertucci & Giuseppe Nardi - Elisabetta Nardi

### Memorial- St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Thu. Nov 17/10:00 a.m. John Scott & Maureen Kostner - Teresa Baird

Fri. Oct 18/10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner families - Teresa Baird

## 33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

### World Day of the Poor

**“By your endurance you will gain your souls.”**

**First Reading** (Malachi 4.1-2) The sun of righteousness will rise upon you.

**Second Reading** (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12)

A warning to those who will not contribute in any way to the community but who offer constant criticism to all and sundry instead.

**Gospel** (Luke 21:5-19)

Nothing can compare with the glory of the Son of Man, in this world or the next. Things in heaven and earth may pass away, but the Son of Man coming in glory will gather his own to himself in the end.

### Reflection:

“The end is coming!” These words could describe today’s readings.

What is even more important than the fact that the end is coming?

What is more important is what we do with the time we have until the end.

Malachi speaks the Word of the LORD and announces that the day is coming when all will meet with, and receive, their just “rewards.”

The psalmist announces that the LORD is coming to rule the world with justice. St. Paul cautions the Thessalonians that although it is true that the Lord Jesus is coming, that does not mean that the faithful should sit around and do nothing, but rather they should do their fair share in the work that must be done before Jesus returns. In the Gospel, Jesus predicts the end of Jerusalem and also the end of the world, and He warns His disciples that they may have to suffer, even at the hands of family and friends, in their proclaiming of the Good News. Our earthly existence is limited. The choice is ours. To accept what GOD offers means we have to work at living it out in our lives. We must not be busybodies who sit around and criticize others.

We must do our fair share in spreading the faith, for the Lord Jesus is coming, but may not be here immediately. And the Lord Jesus will confirm our choice when we are judged not only at the moment of our death but at the end of time when our choice will be evident to all.

## New Sunday Missals 2022-2023

New Sunday missals will be available for purchase next Sunday November 20<sup>th</sup>, for **\$5.00 each**.  
The new missal will begin as of November 27<sup>th</sup>.  
The First Sunday of Advent **YEAR ‘A’**.

The men’s association is seeking new members. If you would like to join the group or would like more information please email the parish.

We will be holding our first general assembly meeting on Sunday November 20, after mass the 10 a.m. in the church hall.  
**All are welcome. Coffee and snacks will be served.**

Friday Socials are ongoing. Every Friday evening at 6pm in the parish hall. A meal is served for 12.50\$. Drop off your payment of in an envelope with your name on it at the parish office no later than the Wednesday of each week to reserve your spot.

**NEW & OLD MEMBERS SEE YOU AT OUR GENERAL ASSEMBLY!**



**The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week  
For Special Intentions for Salvati Family.  
By - Paulina & Rosolino Salvati.**

### 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!**

### GIFTS ARE MANY - GRACE IS SAME...

We are blessed with many active ministries at our parish. We need more participation from our parishioners in these ministries.  
**WE NEED NEW CHOIR MEMBERS, CATECHIST AND READERS.**  
If you are interested, please contact the office or see Fr. George.  
**A HEARTFELT THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS!**

### Jesus:

**“So don’t worry in advance  
about how to answer the charges against you,  
for I will give you the right  
Words & Wisdom  
such that none of your opponents  
will be able to reply or refute you!”  
Luke 21:14-15**



**St. Richard’s Annual Christmas Raffle will be held on Sunday, December 11th after the 10:00 am mass.**

**This is a Fundraiser and we need your help more than ever to sell and buy tickets or make a donation.**

**Fabulous prizes to be won!**

**Tickets are \$10. each or 3 for \$20.**

**Please see Teresa Baird if you can help.**

**Thank you for helping your parish.**

## “Life is Wonderful” Christmas Concert:

Hosted by Pillars Trust to mark the end of its 50th Anniversary Year.

**Tuesday, December 6th** in the former **Grand Séminaire de Montréal, 2065 Sherbrooke St. West, Montréal.**

DOORS OPEN: 7:00PM,

CONCERT in the beautiful chapel 7:30 - 9:00PM

Will feature: Choirs from The McGill Newman Centre;

The Sacred Heart School; St. Ignatius

Music Ministry; The Bernadette Short Irish Dancers;

A Wine and Cheese Reception and more.

**Cost: In Person : \$30.00, Students \$20.00, Virtual : \$20.00**

**Tickets : Reserve online at [www.pillarstrust.org](http://www.pillarstrust.org)  
or Purchase at the door.**

For more information call: Carol McCormick (514) 386-8082



<https://www.wfpusa.org/freerice>

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