



## ST PATRICK OF THE ISLAND

### WEEK OF FEBRUARY 23, 2020

#### MASSES

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 22, 2020  
5 pm Priest's Intention

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23, 2020

9 am Intention of the Parishioners  
11 am Salvatore & Michelina Polumbo  
From Teresa

'ASH WEDNESDAY' FEBRUARY 26, 2020  
7:30 pm Priest's Intention

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2020

9 am For Family – Special Request

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 29, 2020

5 pm Gerald Levesque from Family

SUNDAY MARCH 1, 2020

9 am Justin Atkinson (living) from  
Karen Williston  
11 am Maria Verrecchia from Anna &  
Family

#### SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS FOR:

This week: Anthony Morahan  
Next week: Esmirna Lopez

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5 pm: Gerry  
9 am: Anne & Tony  
11 am: Mary & Erin

#### ALTAR SOCIETY

Mar 4 – Erin & Sue  
Mar 18 – Anne, Mary & Diane

#### COLLECTION

Collection for February 16<sup>th</sup> was \$1461.  
We thank you for your continued  
support.

#### FAITH EDUCATION

This Sunday is Class Mass and our  
special participants are Miss Anita's  
Level 2 Class.

Please note, due to spring break there  
are no Classes March 1 and 8.

#### ADORATION CHAPEL

Are you aware that we have a Chapel  
that is open every day except  
Monday? For information or to  
volunteer as an adorer or spare, call  
Audrey 514-453-5409

#### LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Maria Linck, Bob Forest, Helen McEvoy,  
Heather Coulter, Anthony Hulse, Paule,  
Theresa Hannan, Noah & Bailey Santos,  
Jean Clifford, Gordon Hincks, Teresa  
Polumbo, Kayla Cordeiro, Helen Lalonde,  
Helene Larose Pullin, Allison Latham,  
Caron Rothwell, Caiti Dore, Andria  
MacDonald, Karen Descoeurs, Mary &  
Marian Lapchak, Betty, Gerry & Mary Guy,  
Elaine Kerr, Claude Bourbonnais, Catherine  
Shea, John Battaglia, Frank McCluskey,  
Virginia Camus, Antanas, Nadia Lombardi,  
Cathy Good, Molly Gillette, Michel Leclerc,  
Ralph Jenkins, Kathleen Guy



## PARISH BULLETIN

### SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### ENTERING INTO LENT

This Wednesday is the beginning of Lent.  
Mass will be at 7:30pm. As a reminder, on  
Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, we fast.  
Fasting means that we do not eat between  
meals, and meals are smaller. It is also a  
day of abstinence which means we do not  
eat meat.

#### LENTEN PROJECT

For the season of Lent, we will publish  
the readings for the following Sunday in  
hopes that everyone will have an  
opportunity to read and reflect on the  
Word of God.

Next Sunday's readings are:  
Gen 2:7-9, 16-18, 25; 3:1-7  
Rom 5:12-19  
Matt 4:1-11

#### CLEANING OUT THE CUPBOARDS

We will be cleaning out the kitchen  
cupboards in the coming week. If you  
have any items in the kitchen, please take  
them. If you would like to help with the  
cleanout, please contact Mary Martin at  
514-453-3329.

#### 2019 DONATION RECEIPTS

Tax time is here – please remember to  
pick up your 2019 Donation Receipts,  
available at the entrance of the church.  
*Please pick them up and save your church  
the cost of mailing.*



#### LENTEN REFLECTION

Many of us will receive ashes this week.  
The ashes remind us of two vitally  
important facts.

One: We are mortal.

Two: Jesus is our savior.

We live differently when we accept our  
mortality and shortcomings. By  
accepting these things about ourselves  
without shame or self-condemnation, we  
can also accept our sisters and brothers  
just as they are.

To hear the word that we are dust and  
to dust we shall return frees us from the  
prison of perfection. Lent invites us to  
graciously accept and acknowledge our  
manifold sins and weaknesses, to be  
nakedly honest before our Maker. When  
we are honest before God, we begin to  
experience and understand more deeply  
the salvation Jesus offers us with his love.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent, there will be Stations of  
the Cross Friday evenings at 7:00pm.  
All are welcome to join us.