



# ST PATRICK OF THE ISLAND

FEBRUARY 25, 2024

### MASSES

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 24, 2024  
5 pm Priest's Intention

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 25, 2024

9 am Intention of the Parishioners  
11 am Maria & Jose and Francisco Pontes  
from Family  
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WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2023

3:30pm Rosary  
4 pm Priest's Intention  
6 pm Rosary with Nic – outside  
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FRIDAY MARCH 21, 2024

7 pm Way of the Cross with Deacon Nic

SATURDAY MARCH 2, 2024

5 pm Blessed Virgin in Memory of Dick,  
Doris & Holy Souls

SUNDAY MARCH 3, 2024

9 am Intention of the Parishioners  
11 am Gerald Levesque from Family  
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### MINISTERS

Sat Feb 24 5 pm Gerry  
Sun Feb 25 9 am Rebecca  
11 am Erin  
Sat Mar 2 5 pm Heather  
Sun Mar 3 9 am Tony  
11 am Ricardo

### SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS FOR:

Week Feb 24: Charles Evan Collin  
Week Mar 2: Francisco Pontes

### COLLECTIONS

The collections for February 18<sup>th</sup> was \$2252. Thank you for your support.

### 2023 TAX RECEIPTS

The 2023 tax receipts are available for pick up at the entrance of the church. If you would like envelopes, fill out the form or email us at [islandchurch@videotron.ca](mailto:islandchurch@videotron.ca).

### FAITH ED

This Sunday is Class Mass with Miss Yakelin's Level 2 class.

### ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel is open from 8am-8pm daily. Please sign in, even if you only stay for a few minutes, this is so we know if people are visiting the chapel.

### PRAYER LIST

Josefina Rosario, Caiti Dore, Barbara Small, Raymond Brunelle, Christiane Ng, Gaetanne Mercier, Caroline MacDonald, Jean MacDonald, Kate, Alec & Marjorie Patterson, Adam Moss, Sharon LeClair, Adele C., Teresa Palumbo, Wally Eddington, Lucia Macro, Karen Descoeurs, Cynthia B., Thomas Walsh, Pearl, Lyne, Janice Enos, Pam Jordan, Audrey S., Matthew Tapp, Ronnie Laporte

# PARISH BULLETIN

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

### THE WAY OF THE CROSS

During Lent, join Deacon Nic in the church, on Friday evenings at 7pm, for The Way of The Cross.

### SAVE THE DATE

March 16 – Pot Luck & Kareoke  
March 17 – “Irish Coffee” after both Masses  
March 22 – Kareoke  
May 25 – Garage Sale

### FOOD BANK

Thank you to all who continue to support our food bank. At this time, we are running short on rice and 1 litre juice cartons.

### FINANCIAL UPDATE

There is a copy of 2023 Finances available at the back of the church, for anyone who would like a copy.



### ST PAT'S KAREOKE NIGHT

Join us on Friday March 22, from 8-10 pm, for an evening of singing and fun! For more info call Joe Brazeau at 514-453-2753.

### SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

It's time to step out in faith. Let God's love for you overflow into the lives of others.

### SUNDAY REFLECTION

*Philippians 3:13-14. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this is one I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.*

The Apostle Paul reminds us in this passage about the importance of forgetting what is behind and pressing forward. When we hold onto past mistakes, we allow them to define us and determine our present and future. However, as Christians, we must remember that we are new creations in Christ and that our past no longer defines us. Through repentance and forgiveness, we can learn from our mistakes and move forward with a renewed sense of purpose.

When we let go of our past, we create space for God to work. We can fully embrace the present moment and be open to the opportunities God places before us. We can trust in God's plan for our lives and have faith that the Holy Spirit will guide us toward a future full of hope and purpose.

*-Taken from "Forward, Day by Day"*