



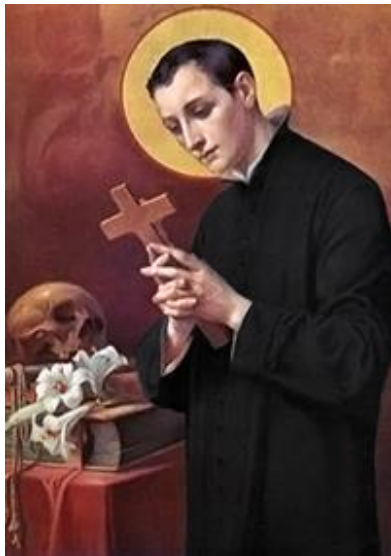
# ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH



**Serving the English Catholic Community in the East End of Montreal since 1908**

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## ST. ALOYSIUS MISSION STATEMENT

*We, as a Christian Community, Inspired by the Holy Spirit,  
Strive to live our Baptismal Promises by using our time, talent  
and treasure to reach out to others **as Jesus did.***

## PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRATOR

FR. JEAN-PIERRE COUTURIER

## EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAYS 9:30AM at STE. LOUISE-DE-MARILLAC CHURCH  
(corner Honoré-Beaugrand & Ste. Claire)

## SECRETARIES

JOANNE TROTTIER

CYNTHIA MARIE PAGINADO

## CONFESSIONS

BY APPOINTMENT

## BAPTISMS

CONTACT OFFICE FOR INFO

## WEDDINGS

CONTACT OFFICE MINIMALLY SIX MONTHS BEFORE MARRIAGE

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EMMA LISI

JOYCE MONTANARO

JOANNE TROTTIER

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## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Blue Mondays: MONDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH CENTRE

(8402 de Marseille St., Montreal)

Cancelled until further notice

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

SUNDAYS - 8:00PM

ST. BRENDAN'S HALL

(5740 15<sup>th</sup> Ave., corner Rosemont)

Cancelled until further notice



## MASS INTENTIONS



**For This Week:**

Sunday, November 7

and

**Intentions are for:**

FOR FAVOURS RECEIVED THROUGH  
THE INTERCESSION OF ST. MARTHA

**Healing Intention for:**

PIERS CORSI

**Requested by:**

Lynda Ouimet

Nancy Curran

**For Next Week:**

Sunday, November 14

and

and

**Intentions are for:**

MARINA CHANCEY  
MARGARET GUIMOND

**Healing Intention for:**

PIERS CORSI

**Requested by:**

Her loving mother, Patricia  
Rosemary Kelahear

Nancy Curran

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**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS** for this week go out to:  
Catherine Blais, William Lee (11)

**CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY this week:**  
No anniversaries listed.

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## 32<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### The Widow's Offering

Mark 12:38-44

**Reflection:**

- Honours and titles are hard hit in the Gospels. Seeking after them is at variance with the way of Jesus. Our age, even more than the time of Jesus, is so obsessed with image that it becomes the most important feature for our leaders, even more than their message or vision.
- Jesus proclaims that the woman who put in two small copper coins had given more than all the rich people. In a very real way it is a summary of the whole Gospel, for God looks at the heart and its readiness to give generously. Do I measure my worth by my external success, or am I free to look at my heart and be ready to be generous even in my poverty? I ask God to help me look at myself and at others as he looks at us.
- The poor widow, who would have been despised as such, is in fact the model for a disciple. The widow is humble and self-forgetful. She does not know it, but she is living out the powerful message of the Beatitudes: Blessed are the poor. Blessed are the meek.



*The Widow's Mite (Le denier de la veuve),  
by James Tissot, c. 1886-1894, Wikimedia*

**Prayer:**

***Jesus, help us to be alert to our selfishness and our judgemental attitudes towards others. We remember St Ignatius' prayer, "Take, O Lord, and receive my entire liberty, my memory, my understanding and my whole will. All that I am and all that I possess you have given me: I surrender it all to you to be disposed of according to your will. Give me only your love and your grace; with these I will be rich enough, and will desire nothing more." In Christ's name, Amen.***

[Source](#)



## ST. ALOYSIUS' NEWS

### LEST WE FORGET: IN REMEMBRANCE



**Nov. 5-11:** As Veterans' Week continues, we take time to honour and remember those who have served our country, past and present, in times of war, military conflict and peace.

This year marks:

- the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Battle of Kapyong, Canada's most significant involvement in the Korean War.
- the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of the Gulf War in which more than 4000 Canadians served.
- the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of Canada's combat mission in Afghanistan, in which more than 40,000 Canadians served – the largest deployment of troops since the Second World War. The conflict lasted more than 12 years – the longest in Canada's history.

***"They shall not grow old,  
as we that are left grow old:  
Age shall not weary them,  
nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun  
and in the morning  
We will remember them."***

— ***For the Fallen*** by Laurence Binyon

*"The poem's fourth verse is used worldwide during services of remembrance and is inscribed on countless war monuments."*

### POPPY CAMPAIGN

The annual Royal Canadian Legion (RCL) Poppy Campaign continues this week. In support of RCL Br. 173 in Montreal East, poppies will be available at St. Aloysius Parish this morning after Mass. Please support our veterans by offering a donation as you pick up a poppy. The poppy is a cherished symbol of remembrance. Let us wear a poppy close to our hearts and remember the sacrifices our brave veterans made in the hopes that many would never have to endure the horrors of war. Lest We Forget.

### THE H.O.P.E. COMMITTEE: PREPARATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER

Plans are underway for our annual Christmas Basket and Adopt-a-Child Campaign. As with last year, H.O.P.E. will be taking care of providing gift cards from *President's Choice*®, *Toys'R'Us*® and *Walmart*® to less fortunate families in our community. We have contacted two local schools and are awaiting a list of families in need. In addition to young families, we also provide for adults who are in need.

Once again, we are turning to you, our parishioners and friends, for your help.

Last year we provided food gift cards for approximately 30 families and gift cards for presents for up to 70 children. In total we raised \$7,473.00. Without your generosity, this would have been an impossible endeavor.

Proceeds from H.O.P.E.'s weekly collections will go towards funding our Christmas Baskets outreach project. Once the number of children on our list is confirmed, we will launch our Adopt-A-Child campaign. We will be collecting cash donations only - \$25.00 per child. We will purchase the gift cards on your behalf.

Our goal is to deliver Christmas greeting cards with these gift cards enclosed, no later than **Saturday, December 11**, in order for families to have time to use them for their Christmas shopping.

We are truly grateful for the support of our St. Aloysius family, without whom none of this is possible. We look to you again this year to help us bring cheer to these deserving families.

**- Members of the  
H.O.P.E. Committee**

### HAPPY NEWS

Our heartfelt congratulations to parishioner **Shirley McArdle**, who recently became a great-grandmother for the eighth time. *Patrick Oliver* was born September 19 last, to proud parents, *Alysia and Clifford*, in Ontario. Abundant blessings and best wishes to all in welcoming the newest member of your family!

### DIGITAL COMMITTEE : MASS ONLINE

A reminder that our Eucharistic celebrations are livestreamed 9:30 a.m. Sundays, from Ste-Louise-de-Marillac Church. You may follow Mass online via the parish Facebook page here :

[St. Aloysius Facebook page](#)

### NOVEMBER: THE MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE

The month of November is the traditional season for Catholics to prayerfully remember all those who have departed from this life.

#### • **Special intentions for Nov. 7**

On this first Sunday of November, today's Mass will be celebrated in commemoration of all our beloved faithful departed.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Please call the office if you would like to request a mass intention be offered for the *Repose of the Soul* of a Faithful departed, or as a *Spiritual Gift for Healing*.

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**Blessings on your week, thank you  
for your stewardship, and stay  
healthy and well.**

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