



Daily Intercessory Prayers:

Week Commencing September 6th

A The World

B The Local Community

Mondays

Urban Services: STM, Fire Department, Police, Industry, Transport, and their workers, management & unions, the unemployed. Government & Judiciary: Mayors & Councillors, MLAs & MPs, the Civil Service, courts, judges & administrators. All who work in health and emergency services, other essential workers.

Tuesdays

Recreation, Leisure and Tourism, those who work in theatre, cinema, music and the arts. For the artists sharing their talents on line For community and government support in the crisis. All who work in health and emergency services, other essential workers

Wednesdays

Education: Schools, School Boards, colleges, universities, that they may be true places of learning where every student is respected. Pray for all students and teachers; pray for children and university students studying at home; pray for teachers creating online courses.

Thursdays

Business, Commerce & Communication and Media (especially Radio Ville Marie) in the downtown core, especially our neighbours in the surrounding offices and shops. Pray for all businesses facing financial difficulty, for all employees who have been laid off. Pray for people returning to work and businesses re-opening. Pray that people stay safe.

Fridays

The downtown churches - their pastors and congregations.
The poor and homeless and all the missions which care for them. Urgence Santé, hospitals, CLSC's, clinics & shelters, RAPSIM.and ARM. Pray for the homeless and refugees and the people caring for their needs. Pray for the people creating emergency shelters and providing food.

C The Church - Please pray each day for Mary Bishop of Montreal

- Sun 06** The Anglican Church of South Africa
Thabo Makgoba, Archbishop of Capetown & Primate of S Africa

The Archdeaconry of St Lawrence – Michelle Eason
The Deanery of Ste-Anne, Pointe-Claire – Sophie Rolland
St Barnabas, Pierrefonds – Dorothy Samuel
- Mon 07** Oru (Nigeria) – Geoffrey Chukwunenye
Canberra & Goulburn (Australia) – Mark Short

St John the Baptist, Pointe-Claire
Lorne Eason & Geert-Jan Boudewisse
- Tues 08** Osaka (Japan) – Andrew Haruhisa Iso
Canterbury (England) – The Most Rev'd & Rt Hon Justin Welby (Primate

All Saints by the Lake – Grace Burson
- Wed 09** Osun (Nigeria) – James Afolabi Popoola
Cape Coast (West Africa) – Victor Atta-Baffoe

St Stephen, Lachine – Shirley Smith, Priest-in-Charge
Mary Pickup – Deacon, Patricia Peacock - Honorary Assistant
- Thurs 10** Osun North (Nigeria) – Abiodun T Olaoye
Cape Town (Southern Africa) – Thabo Makgoba, Primate
Carlisle (England) – James Scobie Newcome

Christ Church Beaurepaire
- Fri 11** Osun North East (Nigeria) – Ebenezer Akorede Okuyelu
Cashel & Ossory (Ireland) – Michel Andrew James Burrows

St Mary, Kirkland
- Sat 12** Ottawa (Canada) – Shane Parker, Bishop Elect
Central Buganda – Michael Lubowa

St George, Ste-Anne-de-Bellevue
Steven Maki

D The Cathedral Community

Mondays – Music and Arts

Music Ministry: Our liturgies and our outreach in difficult times. The choirs & Director of Music, Jonathan White, Assistant Organist Nicholas Capozzoli, Organ Scholar Ethan Hill; members of the choir; the Music Committee

Tuesdays - Education and Spiritual Development

Children's Church – Jean-Daniel, the leaders and the children in their care. The Cathedral outreach to the French community, the French Eucharists & bible studies. The worship and study groups for young people, the LBGTQ+ Group. The daily services and community gatherings offered digitally.

Wednesdays – Social Care

Social Service Society, Ecological and Social Justice Action Group (ESJAG), The Amnesty Writing Circle, Fulford Residence, the ministry of the vergers. Pray for all who enter our building to pray, to light a candle, or to find a place of peace — that their prayers may be heard, and that they may know mercy of God. Pray for the homeless people on our doorstep. Pray for all who struggle to survive, in Montreal and around the world. Pray for all the volunteers reaching out to lonely or isolated people.

Thursdays – Mission

Renewal of commitment to Christian life in our community; our ecumenical fellowship with neighbouring churches and other faith communities. Our witness to the many different communities around us. The cathedral's publicity and communications. For our prayer partner, St Paul's Cathedral, Kamloops and our companion Diocese of Masasi. For our participation in activities of the PWRDF (Primate's World Relief and Development Fund)

Fridays – Administration and Spiritual leadership

Episkopé, the ministry team, Lay Readers - Vivian, Sam, Michel & Jean-Robert, Servers, Greeters, Readers, Intercessors, and Corporation, Cathedral Forum, the other committees and activities of the parish.

PRAYERS THAT HAVE BEEN REQUESTED FOR MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY:

Students of theology

Pray for all students of theology, for Tyson, Geert and Jeffrey newly ordained, for Diocesan College and Ben, Alex, Fresia, Lucas, Noah and Sarah, and all people discerning their vocations and deepening their faith.

In Special Need:

Grace, Steve, Michael, Barbara, Jim, Raymonde, Gino, John, Sam, Roger, Patricia, Margaret, Armando, Bertrand, Marie-Claire, Hugh Almasi and his family, the Ramsahoye family, Alain

Continued Support:

Bob, Gloria, Jan, Norma, Susan, Yannis, Marie-Charlotte, Duncan

Recently died: Walter Ramsahoye, Ted Turville, Wally Sparling

Year's Mind: week commencing Sunday September 6th

Doris Joyce Bedard, Dirk Dressel, Louise Brathwaite Alleyne

Collect for the week beginning September 6th

Stir up, O Lord,
the wills of your faithful people,
that richly bearing the fruit of good works,
we may by you be richly rewarded;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

A Prayer for the cathedral

Eternal and generous God
You have given us Christ Church Cathedral
as a powerful symbol of your presence in Montreal,
a gathering place for Anglicans in our diocese,
and a place of ministry and mission in the heart of the city.
Continue to bless our restoration project, our architects, consultants
and all charged with the intricate and arduous labour involved.
We pray for the fundraising team and all those who have supported us so far.
Renew our vision, creative energy, and generosity,
that we may together bring this project to completion, and glorify your name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom our cathedral is dedicated.