

Prayers Requested for Members of our Community:

Students of theology

We pray for Diocesan College, its staff and students. We pray for Alex, Sarah, Esther, Nat, Morgan-Pierre and for all who are discerning their vocations within and beyond the church. Pray for all of us, that we may deepen in faith and in love. Pray for teachers, preachers & bible study groups.

In Special Need:

Michael, Kyllikki, Sandrine, Marie-Claire, Janet, Robert, Michael, Joan, Marilyn, Rosemary-Jane, John

Continued Support:

Grace, Steve, Norma, Susan, Madeline, Moira, Fredeline, Doug, Karen, Riley, Masa, Normand, Richard, Jeff

Year's Mind: week commencing Sunday September 17th

Gloria Hall

Recently Died:

Nicolas Steinmetz, Bruce Stavert

Collect for the week beginning September 17th

Almighty God,
you call your Church to witness that in Christ we are reconciled to you.
Help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may turn to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives 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 built Christ Church Cathedral
as a powerful symbol of your presence in Montreal,
a gathering place for Anglicans in our diocese,
and a centre of ministry and mission in the heart of the city.
Renew and sustain our vision as a worshipping community.
Grant us the grace to be welcoming and open to all, striving for justice and
working to sustain your world.
Give us your Spirit's creative energy and generosity as we move towards your
future.
May we glorify your name in all that we say and do,
through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen



CATHÉDRALE
CHRIST CHURCH
MONTRÉAL

Daily Intercessions
Week of Sept 17th, 2023

A The World

B The Local Community

Mondays

The downtown churches - their pastors and congregations.
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.

Tuesdays

Recreation, Leisure and Tourism, those who work in theatre, cinema,
music and the arts. For theatres and concert halls. All who work in health
and emergency services, other essential workers

Wednesdays

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
who are unemployed or underemployed. Pray for the greening of our
economy and for the cultivation of business practices which are fair for
employee and employer alike.

Thursdays

Education: Schools, School Boards, colleges, universities, that they may be
true places of learning where every student is respected. Pray for all
students, teachers and administrators; pray for their mental and physical
health, giving thanks for a return to a more normal school life.

Fridays

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. Pray for municipal mayors and councillors.

C The Church

Please pray each day for Mary Bishop of Montreal

- Sun 17** The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean
James Richard Wong Yin Song
Archbishop of the Province & Bishop of the Seychelles

Parish of Vaudreuil
St James, Hudson Heights - Sophie Rolland
- Mon 18** Abyei – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
Michael Deng K Bol

Parish of Vaudreuil
St. Mary's Como - Sophie Rolland
- Tues 19** Accra – The Church of the Province of West Africa
Daniel Sylvanus Mensah Torto

St Stephen with St James, Chambly - Andrew O'Donnell
- Wed 20** Adelaide – The Anglican Church of Australia - Geoffrey Smith
Assistant Bishop of Adelaide - Denise Ferguson
Assistant Bishop & National Aboriginal Bishop - Christopher McLeod
Bishop for Mission and Evangelism - Dr Tim Harris

St Francis, Odanak - Andrew O'Donnell
- Thurs 21** Afikpo – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
Paul A. Udogu

St Paul, Greenfield Park - Trevor Potter
- Fri 22** North Africa – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria
Vacant
Coadjutor Bishop of Egypt and Area Bishop of North Africa
Samy Fawzy

St Joseph of Nazareth, Brossard
Christopher A. Belle, Regional Dean
- Sat 23** Agra – The Church of North India (United)
Prem Prakash Habil

St Margaret's of Antioch, St-Hubert
Christopher A. Belle, Regional Dean

D The Cathedral Community

Mondays – Music and Arts

Music Ministry: Our liturgies and our outreach. Music Director, Nicholas Capozzoli, Assistant Organists Samuel Lee & Rachel Schulz, members of the choir, the Patrick Wedd scholars and the Music Committee.

Tuesdays - Education and Spiritual Development

For the children and youth in our congregation, and for those who care for them. For our ministry with the French-speaking community: the French liturgies and Bible studies, and Pain Partage et Prière. For Queerspace and for all our worship and study groups, offered digitally and in person.

Wednesdays – Social Care

We pray for all the ways we care for people within and beyond the Cathedral Community: For all the volunteers reaching out to lonely or isolated people. For all who participate in and support the end of the month lunch. For the ministry of the vergers and 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 and those for whom they pray may know mercy of God. For the homeless people on our doorstep. For all who struggle to survive, in Montreal and around the world. For the Fair Trade boutique, the Ecological and Social Justice Action Group (ESJAG) and for all who are working to halt human-caused climate change.

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

For Corporation, Forum and Episkope, and for the hospitality, evangelization, pastoral care, formation and outreach that members of the congregation daily undertake.