



CATHÉDRALE
CHRIST CHURCH
MONTRÉAL

Daily Intercessions

Week of Feb 4, 2024

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, John, Peter, Jay, Gregory, Loïc, Toni, Doug, Karen

Continued Support:

Norma, Madeline, Riley, Rosemary-Jane, Anás

Year's Mind: week commencing Sunday February 4th

Alison Arundel Evans, Hienda Klaehn, Pippa Shaddick, Gwen Cornwall

Recently Died: Andreas Vassalos

Collect for the week beginning February 4th

Merciful Lord,
grant to your faithful people pardon and peace,
that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve you with a quiet mind;
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 built Christ Church Cathedral
as an enduring 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

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 04** The Anglican Church of South America
Brian Williams, Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of South America and Bishop of Argentina
- St John the Evangelist
Honorary Assistants: Wendy Telfer, Susan Searle, Richard Cawley
- Mon 05** Cameroon – The Church of the Province of West Africa
Dibo Thomas-Babyngton Elango
- St Matthias, Westmount - Patrick Wheeler
Honorary Assistants: Patricia G. Kirkpatrick, Gwenda Wells
- Tues 06** El Camino Real – The Episcopal Church
Lucinda Ashby
- Église de la Nativité - St James Rosemère
Victor-David Mbuyi Bipungu, Jhon Steecker St-Clair (Deacon)
- Wed 07** Canberra and Goulburn – The Anglican Church of Australia
Mark Short
- St Hilda's - Josée Lemoine
- Thur 08** Canterbury –The Church of England - Justin Welby
Bishop in Canterbury and Bishop of Dover - Rose Hudson-Wilkin
Suffragan Bishops:
Rob Munro (Ebbsfleet), Norman Banks (Richborough)
- The Archdeaconry of Bedford and the Richelieu - Tim Smart
The Eastern Townships Regional Ministry
Tim Smart, Ministry Team Leader, Tyson Rosberg, Associate Priest
- Fri 09** Cape Coast – The Church of the Province of West Africa
Victor Atta-Baffoe
- All Saints, Dunham
- Sat 10** Cape Town – The Church of the Province of West Africa
Thabo Makgoba
Suffragan Bishop, Joshua Louw
- The Ascension, West Brome

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.