



CATHÉDRALE  
CHRIST CHURCH  
MONTRÉAL

## Daily Intercessions

### Week of July 7, 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, Robert, Joan, John, Peter, Nancy, Florence, Patrick. Elsie, Al, Lucia, Barbara, Surette, Lisa, Geneviève, Jean

#### **Continued Support:**

Norma, Rosemary-Jane, Anás, Ros

#### **Year's Mind: week commencing Sunday July 7<sup>th</sup>**

Shirley Marcus, Vernon Taitt

#### **Recently Died:**

#### **Collect for the week beginning July 7<sup>th</sup>**

Almighty God,  
your Son Jesus Christ has taught us  
that what we do for the least of your children we do also for him.  
Give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all,  
who gave up his life and died for us,  
but 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 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. Pray for students travelling or doing summer jobs.

##### **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.

## **C The Church**

### **Please pray each day for Mary Bishop of Montreal**

- Sun 07** The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean  
James Richard Wong Yin Song  
Archbishop, Province of Indian Ocean & Bishop of the Seychelles
- Officers of Synod - Laura Prince, Treasurer  
Ben Stuchbery, Clerical Secretary, Valerie Taylor, Lay Secretary
- Mon 08** Rio Grande – The Episcopal Church  
Michael Hunn
- Dr. Richard Virr, Archivist  
Sandra Koukou, Administrative Assistant to the Archives
- Tues 09** Guadalcanal – The Anglican Church of Melanesia  
Nathan Tome
- Diocesan Legal Officers - David M. Eramian, Chancellor,  
Michael Patry, Vice-Chancellor, Tim Leonard, Notary
- Wed 10** Guatemala – Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America  
Armando Guerra Soria
- Joint Synod Office and Cathedral Staff  
Ardyth Robinson, Office Verger,  
David Burnstun, Information and Reception
- Thur 11** Guildford – The Church of England  
Andrew John Watson, Bishop  
Paul Davies, Suffragan Bishop
- Accounting Department - Stephen Tam, Manager – Financial Services  
Jennifer James-Phillips, Assistant Controller
- Fri 12** Guinea – The Church of the Province of West Africa  
Jacques Boston
- Sophie Bertrand, Human Resources and Assistant to the Bishop  
Nicki Hronjak, Programme Administrator, Editor of Anglican Montreal
- Sat 13** Gujarat – The Church of North India (United) - Silvans Christian  
Neil Mancor, Congregational Development Coordinator  
Lee-Ann Matthews, MTL Youth Project & Web and Social Media Coordinator

## **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.