



# Mass Intentions for the Week

**Saturday, May 26 - 4:00pm**

*Maria Lavigne - requested by her grandchildren*

**Sunday, May 27**

**The Most Holy Trinity**

**7:00am**

*For the living and deceased Veterans from our parish*

**10:30am**

*Tanny George & John Valliere - requested by Ginny George*

**Monday, May 28 - 8:30am**

*Bertrand Gagnon, anniversary of death - requested by his wife*

**Tuesday, May 29 - 8:30am**

*Paul Cody - requested by Pauline Gagnon*

**Wednesday, May 30**

*No Mass*

**Thursday, May 31 - 8:30am**

*For the intentions of Reggie Brunelle*

**Friday, June 1 - 8:30am**

*Colette de Repentigny - requested by Corine & Irene de Repentigny*

**Saturday, June 2**

**10:00am**

*Mass for Vocations*

**4:00pm**

*Lauretta Demers - requested by Maurice & Pauline Lavigne*

**Sunday, June 3**

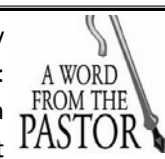
**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ**

**7:00am**

*Jean Labore - requested by Lorraine & Larry Labore*

**10:30am**

*Marcel Larochelle, wedding anniversary remembrance - requested by his wife*



A little first grade girl came home after school one day and told her mother she didn't understand the Trinity: three persons in one God! They were studying it in school and were going to have a test and she couldn't figure it out. Mother tried to talk to her little daughter about faith but the girl wasn't convinced. She said, "I'm going to look it up on the Internet." I know there's a lot on the Internet, but if you can find the Trinity explained, would you let me know! We are dealing with a mystery, yet a mystery that God has revealed to us through Jesus and the Holy Spirit. The mystery is that although we know God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, three separate persons, they still enjoy deep unity as One God! Sometimes people feel bad for God wondering if He must be "lonely," because in today's world so many ignore God. So many do not take time to stop to pray. But if you stop and think about it, God can never be lonely, because God is in constant community as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. And the beautiful gift to us is that their unity is so powerfully built on Divine Love, that it spills over to us humans. When we strive to live in unity as they do, through practicing the virtues of love and forgiveness, our unity will become "Comm-unity." That is, we develop a bond of love and affection just like the Trinity which brings each person all the fruits of the Spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Though we can experience this unity all the time, we usually are so busy and pre-occupied with our own lives that we forget we are never alone, never living away from God's community. We need to be reminded what Jesus promised in today's Gospel from Matthew: "And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." If Jesus is with us always, that means the Father and Holy Spirit are with us always too – because they are a Comm-unity. Sometimes we need special events or anniversaries to remind us of our place in the life of the Trinity. Last week I had such an experience when the parish all came together and surprised me with a beautiful celebration of my anniversary to the priesthood. It was a very special and holy moment for me, as I felt the presence of the Holy Trinity so powerfully present in my life. May you be blessed with many experiences of the Trinity's love and care for you always! ~ Fr. John

"God needs people who bring His forgiveness and His mercy into the world." ~ Pope Francis

**STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:**

**May 19 & 20, 2018**

**Weekend Offertory**

Envelopes \$2,672.31  
 Loose \$ 900.57  
 Electronic Offering \$ 252.00  
**Total Offertory: \$3,824.88**

**General Parish Fund**

Candles: \$88.00  
 Adoration Chapel: \$28.00

**Organ Donations:**

- in memory of L. Dubisz: \$500.00  
 - in memory of Mr. and Mrs. William Madden \$50

**Outreach Fund**

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$37.80  
 Food Pantry: \$10.00  
 - in memory of P. Cody: \$100.00

*Thank you for your continued support of our Parish and our Outreach Programs.*



**Let us pray for these special intentions:** For all our parishioners that are homebound and in nursing homes; for all our parishioners, family and friends that are struggling with illness or recovering from surgeries; and for Virginia Clark, Maurice Allard, Joe Bennett, Larry Green, Jackie Theodorou, Paul Allard, Richard Tanguay, RFG, Acilda Dachowski, Arnold Wright, John Moro, Roger Mustone, Richard Joyce, Joan Bick, Norma Lemire, Rita Marshall, Claire Dachowski, Fr. Joe Gallagher, Mary Sylvain, Ginny George, John Young, Stephen P. Gilmartin, Bob & Linda Tetreault, Nancy Lohnes, Arthur Proulx, Aiden Weeds, Bev Dionne, Tim Fisk, Doris Cote, Ginny Gallien, Linda Tajieux, Don Wark Claire Dionne, Al Nettel & Don Boucher.

**PARISH LEADERSHIP**

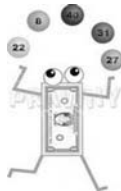
**PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

St. Anthony Food Pantry	
Colleen Hayward	935-9949
My Brother's Keeper Sleeping Bags	
Rosemary McNair	647-2797
Shoes For Kids/General Outreach	
Lisa Siraco	622-5445
St. Anne's Closet (clothing for children)	
Karen McAndrew	464-0331
Parish Elderly Ministry	
Diane Steele	669-8825

**PARISH MINISTRIES**

Adoration Chapel	
Irene de Repentigny	622-7775
Boy/Cub Scouts	
Ron St. Cyr	622-8182
Parish Prayer Line	
Gemma Houde	668-3993
Young Adult Faith Formation/Confirmation	
Dan & Debbie Goulet (Year 1)	623-5354
Sr. Marjorie Lupien (Year 2)	315-7623
Funeral Ministry	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Liturgical Ministers (Eucharist Lectors, Altar Servers)	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Memorial Meals	
Gloria Pilotte	623-8173
Terry Sylvain	669-2582
Prayer Shawl Ministry	
Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan	622-7138
Religious Education (Gr. 1-7)	
Martha & Steve Donohue	627-4868
RCIA	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Secular Franciscan Order	
Nick Cort	224-4605
Social Committee	
Donna Guertin	669-5232
Spirits Alive!	
Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan	622-7138
Youth Group	
Ellen Donohue	867-8881
<b>SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS</b>	
Baptism, Marriage, Sacrament of the Sick	
Fr. John Bucchino, ofm	622-5445
<b>MUSIC MINISTRY</b>	
Music Director & Organist, Adult Choir and Cantors:	
James Butka	540-7638

**300 Club Week 6**



- #59 Gerry Cournoyer
  - #117 Janice Beaudin
  - #179 Collette Hamel
  - #203 Lee & Sue Forest
  - #229 Raymond Labore
- Congratulations!

A new club has begun. Don't miss out on your chance to win. If you don't have a number and would like one, please see/call one of the captains.

Captains: Lisa (in the parish office) 622-5445; Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173, Terry Sylvain 669-2582.

*Upcoming*  
EVENTS

**Monday, May 28 Memorial Day**

- \* Office Closed Today
- \* NO Spirits Alive! today
- \* NO Boy Scouts tonight

**Tuesday, May 29**

- \* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass
- \* Finance Committee Meeting, 6:30pm

**\*Wednesday, May 30**

- \* St. Anne's Closet closed today
- \* Food Pantry, closed today
- \* Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, adoration chapel

**Thursday, May 31**

- \* Cub Scouts, 6pm, hall



The parish office will be closed on Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup> in honor of Memorial Day.

**St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel**

Daily Hours: 7am-7pm

**Open Hours:**

**Wednesdays: 5pm**

**Thursdays: 3pm**

**Fridays: 10am, 12pm, 2pm, 3pm & 5pm**

**Saturdays: 11am & 12pm**



Call Irene de Repentigny, Chapel Coordinator at 622-7775 for more information.

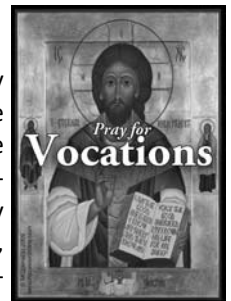
"Day and night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament BECAUSE OF HIS INFINITE LOVE FOR YOU! 'Behold I will be with you always even to the end of the world, because I have loved you with an everlasting love, and constant is My affection for you.'" (Mt 28:20; Jer 31:3) - from *One Lord, One Body, One People*, by Blessed Henry Suson

The Adoration Chapel has 9 Open Hours! We need adorers to help cover temporarily or permanently. Please consider spending 1 hour visiting with Jesus. For more information call Irene, 622-7775.

**Mass for Vocations**

**Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10am**

On the first weekend of June we will be celebrating the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our Christian life, but without priests there is no Eucharist. The Diocese usually sets aside this weekend every year to celebrate the ordination and first Masses of our newly ordained priests, but with the absence of ordinations this year, we feel an urgent need to pray for vocations! The Vocations Action Team would like to ask every parish in the Diocese to set aside time on the first weekend of June for a special time of prayer for vocations to the priesthood in our diocese. Bishop Libasci is enthusiastically supporting this endeavor.



All are welcome to participate at the special **Mass for Vocations on Saturday, June 2nd, at 10:00am. in our church.** The Mass will be followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church from 11:00am - 3:00pm (the Adoration chapel will be closed during this time), which will include prayers, hymns, and the Rosary. Bishop Libasci wants all parishes to pray for vocations, esp. those for priesthood and consecrated life.

**Micah Heroes Award**

We wish to congratulate Maurice and Gloria Pilotte for having won the Micah Award for our parish. Each year we are honored to recognize Micah Heroes who are chosen as exemplifying the spirit of Micah (6:8). People who have a passion for justice, who love mercy and who walk humbly in service to the community. They will be honored by GSOP on June 2nd along with other winners from the community.

*I wish to thank all the parishioners who celebrated my priesthood anniversary last week. I was deeply moved by your affection and the gifts you generously gave to me. I feel strengthened and blessed by all of you!! ~ Fr. John*