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| **The month of April is dedicated to the Holy Spirit and the Eucharist.****The saint for April 30th, is Saint Pius V, (POPE).****Sunday April 30th, 2023 is the 4th Sunday of Easter, sometimes called Good Shepherd Sunday.** |
| **“The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want...”****PSALM 23****Prayer based on PSALM 23****HEAVENLY FATHER, YOU are my Shepherd, and I am Your beloved sheep,****You guide me through the ups and downs of life, and I trust in Your care.****You provide for me in every way. You quench my thirst with your loving water, and You restore my soul when I am weary.** | **When I am facing difficulties, You provide solutions for me. You bless me and draw me closer to You.****Thank You for Your unfailing love and faithfulness, may I continue to follow You all the days of my life, and may Your name be praised forevermore.****Amen****Young Catholics.com** |
| **THOUGHT OF THE DAY:****“Every day may not be good, but there is something good in every day.”****UNKNOWN** |
| **The Grapevine is a good informative weekly Newsletter to keep you up to date on what is happening within and around our communities.****thegrapevine@diocesemontreal.org** |
| **POPE’S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR APRIL 2023:****FOR A CULTURE OF PEACE AND NONVIOLENCE****“We pray for the spread of peace and nonviolence, by decreasing the use of weapons by state and citizens”** |
| **IMPORTANT NOTICE:** **Please sit in the pews with blue tape.****Please keep social distance when you are receiving communion.****Please use hand sanitizer on entering and leaving the church. Thank you!** |
| **NOTE:****The Notre-Dame-des-Neiges cemetery will be closed for the next few days.****Cleanup from ice storm is taking place.****INFO: 514-841-7990** |
| **REMINDER:** **“CELEBRATE OUR LORD”****Please join us at 8:00PM on Sundays at****ST. WILLIBRORD PARISH****351 WILLIBRORD ST****VERDUN, QC.** | **SAVE THE DATE: April 30th, 2023 / World Day of Prayer for vocations****FAMILY & LIFE WEEK:****May 7th – 14th 2023****MORE INFO: Karolina Bozelko****(514) 925-4300 #206****CentreDMVF@diocesemontreal.org** |
| **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:****We are searching for someone to takeover the input of our parish bulletin. Please contact the office.****Thank you** |
|  **SUNDAY COLLECTION** |
| **April 23th, 2023** | **Amount in CAD** |
| **TOTAL** | **$924.35** |
| **Thank you for your generosity!** **Please remember to write your name on your church support envelope.** |

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**“Prayer makes us understand our vulnerability”, but the Lord “gives us strength and closeness”**

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| **MASS INTENTIONS** |
| **April 30th, 2023****KATHLEEN SENCHEY****Req’d by The Senchey Family****RAYMONDE FOURNIER****Req’d by Francine Forget and Andrew Gorham****RAYMONDE FOURNIER****Req’d by Susie Raciot****WILFREDO ORPILLA****Req’d by Jose Rillera and Family****Sr. IMELDA STRACHAN****Req’d by Ada Hainey** | **May 7th, 2023****JEANNETTE BLOTSKY****Req’d by Jim and Vera Blotsky** |
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**Pope Francis**

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“The cross stands before us in these days as an eloquent symbol of God’s love for humanity.”

John Paul II

\*9am mass is cancelled until further notice