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| **Pastoral Staff****Fr. Raymond LaFontaine E.V.****Parochial Administrator****Parish Wardens****James Potter****514-733-7016** | Holy Cross Parish**1960 Jolicoeur street****Montreal, Quebec H4E 1X5****TEL.: 514-769-2717; FAX: 514-769-8852****Email:** **holycross.montreal60@gmail.com****Parish Office Hours****Wednesdays** | **Parish Wardens****Norlita Galdones** **514-733-7016****Teresa Gomes** **514-291-2591****Ruby Johnson****514-761-3242** |
| **“HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL PARISHIONERS”****The month of January is dedicated to the “Holy Name of Jesus”****The Saint for January 8th, 2023 is Saint Apollinarius The Apologist.** **Today, January 8th, 2023 we celebrate “The Epiphany of The Lord”.** |
| **THOUGHT OF THE DAY:****“It has always been easy to hate and destroy to build and cherish is much more difficult”** **HRM Queen Elizabeth II** |
| **POPE’S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR JANUARY 2023:****FOR EDUCATORS** **“We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.”** |
| **REMINDER: Please note if you have a church support envelope and have not completed a Parish Register Form, an income Tax receipt for 2022 can not be issued. We require your address. Thank you!** |
| **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** |
| **IMPORTANT NOTICE: Please sit in the pews with yellow tape.****Please keep social distance when you are receiving communion.****Please use hand sanitizer on entering and leaving the church.** **Thank you!** |
| **WHAT’S HAPPENING:** **Book sale: THE FRANCISCANS OF MONTREAL****Contact: PIERRE BRUNET****(514)259-2542****January 14th, 2023 and January 15th, 2023****From 9:00AM – 5:00PM****5780 Boul. Rosemont (corner Lacordaire)****Montreal, QC. H1T 2H2** |
| **IMPORTANT REMINDER:** **There will be a meeting of parishioners after the 11:00AM mass next Sunday January 15th, 2023.****A vote for new wardens will take place.** |
|  **SUNDAY COLLECTION** |
| **January 1st, 2023** | **Amount in CAD** |
| **Church Support Envelopes** | **$305.00** |
| **Parish Dues** | **$50.00** |
| **New Year Offering** | **$185.00** |
| **Donations** | **$32.00** |
| **Basket** | **$47.00** |
| **Honorarium** | **(minus) $5.00** |
| **TOTAL** | **$614.00** |
| **Thank you for your generosity!** **Please remember to write your name on your church support envelope.** |

 **Please turn off cell phones.**

 **PLEASE REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL**

**THIS CHURCH MAY BE USED AS A RESTING VISITATION LOCALE FOR YOUR DEARLY**

 **DEPARTED.**

**IF YOU DESIRE THIS SERVICE, PLEASE CALL 514-769-2717**

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

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| **MASS INTENTIONS** |
| **January 8th, 2023****CECILIA RAMOS (FIRST YR ANN OF HER PASSING)****Req’d by The Family****KATHLEEN SENCHEY** **Req’d by Raymond Senchey****ALEX HAINEY SR** **Req’d by Ada Hainey****MARY NOLAN** **Req’d by Phyllis Brady** | **January 15th, 2023****THE PARISHIONERS OF HOLY CROSS** |

**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