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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**](mailto: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**](mailto: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