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| **The saint for November 5th, 2023 is Saint Zachary, Father of John the Baptist.****The month of November is dedicated to the souls in purgatory.****November is traditionally a time in which the catholic community remembers those who have died.**  |
| **THOUGHT OF THE DAY:****“Never give in except to convictions of honor and good sense.”****Winston Churchill** |
| **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 THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2023:****FOR THE POPE:****“We pray for the Holy Father, as He fulfills his mission, may He continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.”**  |
| **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!** |
| **REMINDER:****“CELEBRATE OUR LORD”****Please join us at 8:00PM on Sundays at ST. WILLIBRORD PARISH****351 WILLIBRORD ST****VERDUN, QC.** | **NOTE:****Parish support envelopes for the year 2024-2025 are available at the back of the church.****Thank you!** |
| **WHAT’S HAPPENING:****Conference: Come Forth! The Promise of Jesus’ Greatest Miracle****November 11th from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm (zoom)**[**https://diocesemontreal.org/en/lets-connect/coming-events/come-forth-promise-jesus-greatest-miracle**](https://diocesemontreal.org/en/lets-connect/coming-events/come-forth-promise-jesus-greatest-miracle)**Bazaar and Craft Sale at St. John Brebeuf Nov 10th + 11th** **Please enter by the Parish Hall at 855 Bishop Power, LaSalle on Friday Nov. 10th from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm and Saturday Nov. 11th from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.****Christmas items, handmade crafts, homemade baked goods and preserves, new-to-you table, small appliances, jewellery, books, plants.****There will be raffles with great prizes as well!****Thank you!** |
|  **SUNDAY COLLECTION** |
| **October 29th, 2023** | **Amount in CAD** |
| **TOTAL** | **$ 2 041.75** |
| **Thank you for your generosity!** **Please remember to write your name on your church support envelope.** |

 **PLEASE TURN OFF CELL PHONES**

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**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** |
| **November 5th, 2023****RAYMONDE FOURNIER****Req’d by The Fournier Family****KATHLEEN SENCHEY****Req’d by Raymond Senchey****GERALD POTTER****Req’d by James Potter** | **November 12th, 2023****RAYMONDE FOURNIER****Req’d by The Fournier Family** |

**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