

**MASS SCHEDULE**  
**WEEK OF APRIL 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**

4 :30 P.M. Blaise Russaouën

Judith

**SUNDAY APRIL 19TH, 2026-THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

9 :00 A.M. All Parishioners

11 :00A.M. Aurora Sagritalo

Gwen Wilmut

**MONDAY, APRIL 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 21<sup>st</sup>, 2026**

7:00 P.M. Audrey & Nicky Folco

Ernest Folco

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026**

9:15 A.M. Estilita G. & Elpidio dela Cruz Sr.

Erlinda & Stephen

**THURSDAY, APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026**

9:00 A.M. All Parishioners

**FRIDAY, APRIL 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

9:00 A.M. Dec'd members of the Ferrie/Daley Family

The Family

**SATURDAY, APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**

4 :30 P.M. All Parishioners

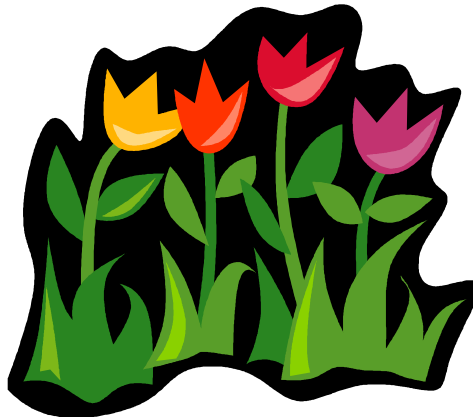
**SUNDAY APRIL 26TH, 2026-FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

9 :00 A.M. Joe Zako

The Maenz Family

11 :00A.M. Aurora Sagritalo

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### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter (A) 19 April 2026

#### “Were Not Our Hearts Burning?” (Luke 24:13–35)

The journey to Emmaus is our journey. Like the two disciples, we often walk with heavy hearts, trying to make sense of loss, confusion, or disappointment. Yet the Risen Lord draws near, even when we initially fail to recognize Him.

Jesus meets these world-weary disciples first in the **Word**—He opens the Scriptures, and reveals how God’s plan unfolds through suffering into glory. As he speaks, their hearts awaken, and begin to burn within them. Then, at table, in the **breaking of the bread**, their eyes are opened. They recognize Him—and He vanishes from their sight.

This pattern is not just a story; it is the rhythm of every Mass. Christ speaks to us in the Liturgy of the Word, stirring our hearts. He makes Himself known in the Eucharist, the breaking of the bread. What happened at Emmaus happens again each time we gather at the Table of the Word and the Table of the Eucharist.

We, too, are then sent forth. The disciples rise immediately and return to Jerusalem to share the Good News. Nourished by Word and Eucharist, we are called to go out into the world, bearing witness: the Lord is truly risen, and He walks with us still.



## Reflection for 3rd Sunday of Easter

Did you ever meet someone while on a journey- in a place, train, or bus, hitchhiking, looking for asylum, a Sunday walk, a queue in a hospital, or the dentist, and you have a personal chat? People in the doctor's waiting room tell all sorts of personal details about themselves and their children. It was the same for the disciples on this Sunday walk. The disciples on the road at a bad time in their lives met a stranger who made some sense of some of their troubles. Jesus made sense of their distress by his presence and his word. A good chat can heal a bad day. A good prayer can do the same.

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**CONFIRMATION PRACTICE & CHALLENGE:** The Confirmation Practice and Challenge (*with the Sponsor*), is taking place in the church next Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup> at 2:30. If the Sponsor is not able to attend then a parent, Godparent or another adult may attend in their place.

**SASMAD:** Are you a good listener with a concern for those who are ill, isolated or elderly? We are currently looking for volunteers who can give of their time (1 hour a week) to visit those who are unable to connect to the community due to immobility or illness. Visits would take place in the person's home or senior residence and can be arranged according to your own schedule, close to where you live.

Intensive Basic Training: Friday April 24<sup>th</sup> 6:30-9PM and Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup> 9AM-3PM at St. John Fisher Parish and Friday May 15<sup>th</sup> 6:30-9PM and Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> 9AM-3PM at St. Veronica's Parish. For more information, contact Cathie Macaulay 514 925-4300 ext.354 or [cmacaulay@diocesemontreal.org](mailto:cmacaulay@diocesemontreal.org)

### **BABETTE'S FEAST: WHERE GRACE AND MERCY MEET!**

Fr. Raymond will be leading a **Video Divina** evening at St. Luke's Parish (48 Westpark, DDO), on Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup> : doors open at 6:00 PM, film begins at 6:30. We will be watching **Babette's Feast**, a delightful parable about the healing power of food, faith, and community, in which an unexpected banquet becomes a source of grace for all who participate in it. Winner of the 1988 Academy Award for best international film, it was the favourite movie of Pope Francis – and is also Fr. Ray's top pick! Stimulating conversation and a delicious snack will follow the viewing. Bring a cushion – and a friend, as all are welcome to the feast! Because space is limited, we invite you to register at <https://stl.breezechms.com/form/babette>. See you at the movies!

