

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday, February 3

The Loss of Spouse Support Group will meet on *Zoom* from 7:00-8:30 p.m. If you would like to add your name to our mailing list, please contact Cathie at cmacaulay@diocesemontreal.org

Wednesday, January 22

Friends of Mercy Prayer Time at 3:00 p.m. online. Theme: *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*.

Here is the link :

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84827931454?pwd=COYTXfmGx5tMlmsi81oymKuRGYcbTp.1>

Meeting ID: 848 2793 1454
Password: 497421

All are welcome!

To register as a *Friend of Mercy* (prayer ministry), email: misericorde.mercysasmad@gmail.com

Saturday, February 8

World Day of the Sick

at St. Isaac-Jogues Parish

- 9:30 a.m.: Welcome
- 9:45 a.m.: Prayers, Rosary, Anointing, Adoration
- 12:00 p.m.: Mass with Archbishop Christian Lepine
- 1:00 p.m.: Soup and Fellowship



World Day of the Sick 2025

Saturday, February 8th

World Day of the Sick Celebration,

9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at St. Isaac-Jogues Parish (1335 Chabanel St. East).

- A day dedicated to praying the Rosary, Anointing of the Sick, Reconciliation, and Adoration.
- Mass will begin at 12:00 p.m. with Archbishop Lépine as celebrant.
- A light lunch with André's famous soup to follow.
- Shuttle bus available from Sauvé metro. To reserve your spot on the shuttle, call 514-272-4441.



Helping Hands

If you plan to attend the *World Day of the Sick* celebration and would like to participate in the ceremony in some way, please contact **Cathie**.



St. Edmund of Canterbury Parish

Congratulations to **Myrna Monzer** and **Marlynne Danaher** who were missioned into SASMAD ministry at St. Edmund of Canterbury on January 19th. They will join **Vivian Hudson** and **Louise Baird** in ministry in Beaconsfield.

World Day of the Sick Cards are back!

The *World Day of the Sick* cards with the theme "**Hope does not disappoint**" will be available for distribution soon. Parish teams or individual volunteers who would like to reserve cards for distribution to the people they visit or other members of the community can contact **Cathie** to arrange pick up.

Basic Formation ONLINE

The basic formation course being offered will end on January 29th with 21 new volunteers and six volunteers who joined to complete their certificate.

We had a generous response from St. John Brébeuf Parish where 13 people are currently being trained to serve that community where we have had great need.

Prayer Intentions

Do you have people you would like to pray for as part of *World Day of the Sick*? An intentions basket will be available at the celebration and if you are unable to attend you can submit your prayer requests to **Cathie** via email and they will be brought up as part of the Offertory procession.

Pastoral Home Care – SASMAD English sector

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