



COMMUNIQUÉ:

Five deacons soon to be ordained

Montreal, October 27, 2020 – We are pleased to announce the diaconal ordination of:

1) Mr. François Gobeille

Ordination: October 30 at 7:30 p.m.

Notre Dame de la Consolata Parish

To follow the celebration online: <https://www.facebook.com/consolatamontreal/>

2) Mr. Anthony Rettino (Cathie)

Ordination: November 6 at 7:30 p.m.

St. Luke Parish

To follow the celebration online: <https://youtu.be/dR3vItFfa18>

3) Mr. Jean-Job Casimir (Catheryne)

Ordination: November 27 at 7:30 p.m.

St-Ferdinand à Laval Parish

To follow the celebration online:

<https://www.facebook.com/Unit%C3%A9-Pastorale-Fabreville-109551117605296>

4) Mr. Daniel Joseph Duong (Cecilia)

Ordination: December 11 at 7:30 p.m.

St-Esprit de Rosemont Parish



To follow the celebration, you have three options:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1TXez7OusT4&feature=youtu.be>

<https://www.stespritderosemont.ca/>

<https://fr-ca.facebook.com/stespritderosemont/>

5) Mr. Quinton Zorzes (Margaret)

Ordination: December 18 at 7:30 p.m.

St. Kevin Parish

To follow the celebration online: <https://www.facebook.com/STKmtl/>

As in previous years, a time for praying together will precede the ordination. This year, **Archbishop Christian Lépine of the Montreal Diocese will preside at a Thanksgiving Mass at St-Ferdinand Church, which will be broadcast tonight, October 28, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.** Due to the pandemic, the entire celebration will appear on : <https://www.facebook.com/Unit%C3%A9-Pastorale-Fabreville-109551117605296>

Following Christ's example, the permanent deacon serves the Church in three distinct ways:

Service of the Word: proclaiming the Gospel and commentaries during the Mass;

Service of the Liturgy: assisting the priest, celebrating certain sacraments;

Service of Charity: performance of good works in the service of the Christian community and of society.

The deacon may be a married man and may have children and full-time or part-time work in society.

Because of the nature of his vocation to the Church's service, the permanent deacon is chosen and ordained by the bishop of his diocese. Following his ordination, the deacon receives an appointment (assignment) authorizing him to serve in a particular Christian community.



Let our prayer of Thanksgiving go with them as candidates and with their wives, their children and families, as well as the greater diaconal family of Montreal!

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