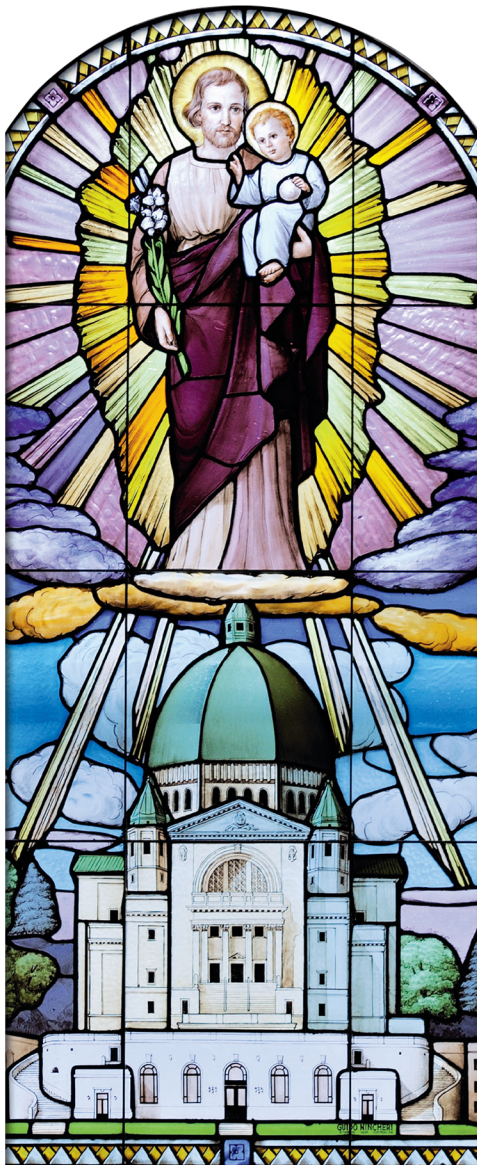


Novena and Feast of Saint Joseph
March 10 to 19, 2024
at Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal

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Detail of the stained glass window "Centre mondial de dévotion à Saint Joseph", Guido Nincheri, 1964. OSJ Collection (2017)

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Good Saint Joseph, Spouse of Mary!

For Jesus, you are
the human face of God the Father.

For Brother André, you are
his friend, confidant, and guide.

For our ancestors, you are
an unparalleled Protector.

We celebrate you
as a companion in our story.

Through and with you,
we thank the Father of all mercy,
from whom comes every perfect gift.

Through and with you,
we magnify your Son Jesus,
the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

With you and your wife Mary,
we recognize that it is
the Spirit of God at work
in the heart of every person
who works for peace, compassion,
solidarity, and justice.

On this fourth centenary
as our patron,
we remember the wonders of God
in the history of our country,
our Church, our families
and in our own lives.

Good Saint Joseph,
companion in our story,
walk with us, help us to live
better in peace and harmony.
Inspire us in the ways of the love
of God and our neighbour
in our daily lives.

Amen!

