

*Pentecost  
Sunday  
June 12,  
2011*



*Weekday Masses: June 13: 7:15 pm; June 14, 15, 16, 17: 8:30 am*

**CONFIRMATIONS 2011:** Congratulations to all the children who were confirmed this weekend. It was a very special occasion for you, your families, our parish and the whole church! We hope that you will always remember the day that you were confirmed – a day in which you chose to receive special graces of the Holy Spirit. As true witnesses of Christ, you are now ready to set out on the road, like the apostles, companions faithful to one another, adventuring for the sake of others. This was Jesus' hope for those disciples, men and women, who journeyed with him on his travels; he hoped to find in them both faithfulness and excitement for the new. Bear much fruit for Jesus as you continue your faith journey and be a light to the world. Remember that your parish community loves you and needs your gifts of time, talent and energy. Have a blessed summer and continue to live and serve God joyfully with the gifts of the Holy Spirit that you've been given.

*Elsa and Corey*

**FAITH FIRST REGISTRATION 2011-2012:**

**Returning families:** please register online at [www.stthomasabecket.org](http://www.stthomasabecket.org)

Next opportunity for book verification will be **June 15, 8-9 pm and June 16, 3-7 pm**. Please note that there will be no book verifications over the summer.

**New families:** please attend an important information meeting **June 15, 7-8 pm**. Registration is available immediately after meeting. You will need a copy of your child's baptism certificate if baptised outside our parish. Registration is offered again on **June 16, from 3-7 pm**.

2011 First Communion photo and DVD pick up: **June 15 & 16**

For any questions about Faith First please call 514-620-4057.

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

(Tongues as of Fire)

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11 (Strong driving Wind)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 (One Body)

Gospel: John 20:19-23 (Receive the Holy Spirit)

**Adults:** When I take an honest look at my life, how do I determine the major fault lines of division that keep me separated from other people and from God?

**Children:** How do I know that everyone belongs to one family, God's family?

**VOCATIONS REFLECTION:** Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your spirit, and we shall be created, and you shall renew the face of the earth! Blow, strong winds of spirit, stir the fire of your love; encourage our response. (Acts 1:15-17, 20-26)

**Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348 [vocationsmtl@hotmail.com](mailto:vocationsmtl@hotmail.com)**

**ST. THOMAS À BECKET PARISH** has a full time position available for a Parish Catechetical Leader with a particular emphasis on implementing and coordinating the adult education programs and activities in the parish, working in conjunction with the Faith First department. Becket is one of the largest and most active parishes in the Diocese of Montreal. We already have a large number of activities and programs designed to awaken and enrich, the faith of our parishioners including Alpha, Bible studies, RCIA, The Marriage Course, and a vast array of CAFÉs up and running in the parish. Working in conjunction with Parish Pastoral Council and our Faith First coordinator, we are seeking someone who will be able to promote, coordinate, organize and support these activities, all with the goal of being able to enliven the faith of our parents and young adults. The candidate should have an eagerness to share the faith, along with strong organizational skills. Some theological background would be useful as would adult education experience.



**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: JUNE 11 TO JUNE 19**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 11</b>	<b>PENTECOST</b>	
4:30 pm.	Tony Di Grappa		Fr. Mike Shaw
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 12</b>		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Elio, Luigi & Franco Genio		Chiara Genio
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>June 13</b>		
7:15 pm	Muriel Gale		Madeline Obregon
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>June 14</b>		
8:30 am	Des McNally		Gisele & Jack Harper
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>June 15</b>		
8:30 am	Mark Julius Coelho		Pat & Donny Coelho
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>June 16</b>		
8:30 am	Erika Guensch & Pete Federoff		Denise Imperiale
<b>Friday</b>	<b>June 17</b>		
8:30 am	Gianfranco Perri		Maria & Franco Perri
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 18</b>	<b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b>	
4:30 pm.	Jason Muise		Mary & Guy Taillon
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 19</b>		
9:00 am	Our parishioners		
11:00 am	Frank & Grace Mossa & family		Rina Della Rocca

*Readings for June 13 to June 17:*

<b>Mon.</b>	<b>June 13</b>	2 Cor 6: 1-10	Mt 5: 38-42
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>June 14</b>	2 Cor 8: 1-9	Mt 5: 43-48
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>June 15</b>	2 Cor 9: 6-11	Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>June 16</b>	2 Cor 11:1-11	Mt 6: 7-15
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>June 17</b>	2 Cor 11: 18, 21-30	Mt 6: 19-23

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP: Week of June 12:** Reginald Henry, requested by Cecile & Louis Trepanier.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:** Shirley at 514-626-4002. **June 14** will be our closing luncheon/garden party at Yucca's. Please book a.s.a.p.

**THROUGH THE NEW HORIZONS FOR SENIORS PROGRAM** we are putting together a cookbook/information book for Becket's Seniors and their families and we need your help. We are looking for recipes and helpful tips that would be beneficial to Becket's seniors. Please drop off all submissions at the parish office to the attention of Rina Callard or email mikerinacallard@sympatico.ca Deadline June 30. For info call 514-695-6995.

**NEW WORDS, DEEPER MEANING, SAME MASS:** Please note that the date for the last catechetical session on The New Roman Missal has been changed to **June 15 from 9 – 10:30 am** in Cahill hall. All welcome.

**ALTAR SERVERS AWARD:** We are pleased to announce that on **Sunday, June 19**, at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral, Christopher Hamelin, Brianna Mac Neil, and Tyler Drayton will receive the *Bishop's Altar Server Award for Service*. Altar Servers from parishes throughout the diocese are selected based on their dedication, sense of responsibility, and display of leadership in the performance of their duties. Becket is truly grateful to all of its altar servers for their participation at the celebration of the Eucharist and ceremonies throughout the year. The Altar Servers award program is sponsored by the Serra Club of Montreal, a Catholic lay organization which promotes vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, and affirms the vocations and spiritual development of its members.

**DIOCESAN LITURGY CAMP July 24-30. D.L.C.**, a week-long sleep away camp for children aged 6 to 15. Located in the Laurentians with a private sandy beach, heated cabins, and on-site permanent staff. Indoor and outdoors games, & prayer time. [www.campdlc.com](http://www.campdlc.com) For info call Fiona at 514-626-3648.

**CAMP CARITAS FOR BOYS:** An exciting sports camp with a difference – for boys aged 11-17. **August 1-15** in the heart of the beautiful Laurentians, Lac Labelle, Qc. Contact us at Holy Family Parish 7335 Lajeunesse Street, 514-272-1056. Visit our website: [campcaritas.ca](http://campcaritas.ca)

**BLESSING OF THE PETS** All pets and their humans are asked to come to the apron on **July 3, at 1:30 p.m.**, for our annual blessing of the pets.



#### YOUTH EVENTS

**CALLING ALL TEENS** with a *Special Invitation to Confirmation children:* On **Friday June 17 at 6 pm** we'll be having an End of the School Year BBQ/games evening led by some of the staff of DLC (Diocesan Liturgy Camp). Come and join us to celebrate the end of the school year and the beginning of summer. We'll have plenty of food, games and good times!!! Feel free to bring your friends. Please RSVP by contacting Corey at 514-626-4111 ext 222.

**CORPUS CHRISTI:** On **Wednesday June 22** we will be celebrating the Feast Day of Corpus Christi. Come and join us for pizza and catechesis with Bishop Cyr of the Diocese of Valleyfield at 5:30pm at Notre Dame Basilica, Mass, procession and benediction. This year's theme is "True food, true drink" (John 6 51:55). This beautiful celebration accentuates and honours the source and summit of our faith: The Eucharist. For information please contact Corey at the office.

**WONDERING WHAT TO GET FOR DAD** this year for Father's Day? The youth have a very special gift idea which they promise will bring a big smile to Dad's face! **After every Mass on June 18 and 19**, this unique item will be on sale and can be given by Moms and kids alike. Mark it on your calendars, folks, it will be worth the \$5.00. What Dad would not want to see his garage cleaned or to be treated to a breakfast in bed?!

**JOURNEY TO THE FATHER** A weekend-long Catholic youth conference for high school students, **July 15-17** in St. Raphael, Ontario. Enjoy music, inspiring talks, & sports. Contact Corey to see promo DVD or visit [www.journeytothefather.ca](http://www.journeytothefather.ca) Faith is an adventure! Come and find out where it can take you.

**WYD PILGRIMS RECEIVE CARDINAL'S BLESSING:** About 200 young adults heading to World Youth Day in Madrid, Spain, this August received a special blessing from Jean-Claude Cardinal Turcotte, May 31, during the annual feast-day Mass. Please pray for our pilgrims!

**FEAST DAY OF SAINT JOSÉMARIA ESCRIVA**, founder of Opus Dei. Solemn Mass will be celebrated on June 17, 7:30 pm by Mgr. André Gazaille at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral.