

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 9,
2010

Weekday Masses:
May 10: 7:15 pm;
May 11, 12, 13, 14 8:30 am

Peace
be with
you

FAITH FIRST 2009-2010

ON-LINE REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE for all returning children & their siblings. New families to Faith First are invited to an information meeting and to register their children on **June 16, 7:00 pm**. Registration will take place again on **June 17, 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm**.

FIRST COMMUNIONS: All children making their First Communion on **May 15** must arrive at the Church by **12:30 pm**.

IMPORTANT!!! Completion certificates are required in order to register. Those who have not received their completion certificates will not be allowed to proceed with registration. If you have recently had your book verified, please allow 48 hours for your records to be updated. Book verification will be available on **May 12, 7 - 8pm, June 16, 7 - 9pm and June 17, 3 - 7pm**. There will be no book verification during the summer.

SECOND-HAND First Communion dresses available. Call Elsa 514-620-4057.

I cast my net this week by...

feeding my fish. *Matthew D.*

I let my sister play with me. *Olivia Marie C.*

helping my teacher in the class and helping kindergarten. *Ashley W.*

helping my dad get an umbrella when he was caught in the rain. *Chloé G.*

praying. *Arturo C.*

helping my brother. *Frankie C.*

playing with my brothers. *Brianna D.*

I helped my mom cook. *Emily M.*



QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Reading I: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 (Paul and Barnabas)

Reading II: Revelations 21:10-14, 22-23 (The Holy City from Heaven)

Gospel: John 14:23-29 (Peace Be with You)

Adults: How have I observed the action of the Holy Spirit in the Church?

Children: When has the Holy Spirit guided me to follow Jesus way of love?



CAFÉS: *Everyone* interested in exploring the Catholic faith or deepening their prayer life is invited to our Catholic Adult Faith Education sessions:

EVENING CAFÉS:

Wed. May 12, 7-9 pm: "Called to Love": A talk on Vocations with Fr. Robert Clark

Sat. May 22, 7 pm: Becket Film Fest presents: *God Grew Tired of Us*

VOCATIONS REFLECTION: *Those who love me will be true to my word. My father will love them and we will come to them.* How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to priesthood or religious life? **Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348 or vocationsmtl@hotmail.com**

CHILDREN'S LITURGY has ended for this year. Registration for the next Children's Liturgy session will take place in September. We wish everyone a blessed summer and extend heartfelt thanks to all those who helped to make this year's program a success. We are always in need of coordinators, teachers, and helpers. If you feel called to this form of discipleship, please contact Wanda at 514-626-4619.

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: MAY 08 TO MAY 16

Saturday	May 08	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
4:30 pm	Stanley Szuszkowski	Kunz Family
Sunday	May 09	
9:00 am	Margaret Kertesz	her loving family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
Mon.	May 10	
7:15 pm	Giuseppe Lo Dico	family
Tues.	May 11	
8:30 am	Tony Buccongello	Carl & Fran Jorgensen
Wed.	May 12	
8:30 am	Teresita Martinez Lee	The Demers family
Thursday	May 13	
8:30 am	Tony Buccongello	Gisele & Jack Harper
Friday	May 14	
8:30 am	Jean Christie	The Wells family
Saturday	May 15	ASCENSION OF THE LORD
4:30 pm	Carol Clark	Knights of Columbus
Sunday	May 16	
9:00 am	Dusan Medvescek	Maria Medvescek
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	

Readings for May 10 to May 14

Mon.	May 10	Acts 16:11-15	Jn 15:26-27, 16:1-4
Tues.	May 11	Acts 16:22-34	Jn 16:5-11
Wed.	May 12	Acts 17:15, 22-34, 18:1	Jn 16:12-15
Thurs.	May 13	Acts 18:1-8	Jn 16:16-20
Fri.	May 14	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26	Jn 15:9-17

SANCTUARY LAMP: Alfonso Mio, requested by Luigia Mio.

BECKET HAPPENINGS AT A GLANCE

for CAFÉS see previous page

Tues.	May 11	CWL meeting	1:30 pm
		Knights of Columbus meeting	7:00 pm
Thurs.	May 13	Diaconal Come and See	7:30 pm
Fri.	May 14	Healing Mass	7:30 pm
Sat.	May 15	First Communion celebrations	1:00 pm
Sat.	May 29	First Communion celebrations	1:00 pm
Sat.	May 30	Fr. Dowd Home seniors visit	11:00 (Mass)

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - May 11, 1:30 pm: General Meeting in Cahill hall. Come help us plan the Dowd Home senior's visit. Everyone welcome.



“COME & SEE” – SESSION III: St. Thomas à Becket Parish will host an information evening for prospective candidates to the Permanent Diaconate and their wives, on **May 13, 7:30 pm**. For further information contact Deacon Richard Saint-Louis at 514-925-4300 ext. 278, or rsaint-louis@diocesemontreal.org

HEALING EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION AT ST. THOMAS À BECKET:

Initiated by the Bible Study groups in our parish, please join Fr. Mike Shaw on **Friday May 14, at 7 p.m.** as together we gather to ask for the healing of our sick. There will be song, witness talks from several who have recovered from serious illnesses, celebration of the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, and a small reception to follow. Please invite sick family members and friends to join us for this call upon God's love for us all.

WHO'S YOUR MOMMA? We invite all high school-aged youth to join us for our next youth gathering on **Friday, May 14 at 7pm**, in the parish hall. Because Catholics honour Mary during the month of May, and because it's Mother's Day week (all mothers would agree) we will be learning about the special role that Jesus' mother plays in our lives. We'll top off the evening with a visit to La Dolce Vita cr merie (please bring at least 5 dollars). So join us to learn about the best mother around and enjoy some delicious home-made gelato.

THE QUEST FOR THE APOSTLES CUP: We are looking for youth between 12-20 years old who would like to represent St. Thomas à Becket parish in a ball hockey tournament that will take place on **Saturday, June 5**. For more information please contact Corey Jolly at the parish office.

FR. DOWD HOME SENIORS will visit Becket on **May 30, at 11 am** to celebrate Mass with us. Becket & CWL will host a luncheon afterwards, for the seniors, in the parish hall. To make this event a success, we need lots of people to help us accompany the seniors on and off the bus. We also need donations of soup, sandwiches, & dessert squares. If you can help in any way please contact Kathleen 514-695-7230 or Elinor 514-620-0951.

MARRIAGE JUBILEE: Are you celebrating milestone Wedding Anniversary this year, divisible by 5? Join us at our Marriage Jubilee Celebration **June 18 (rehearsal) and 19 (celebration)**. For more info Rina and Mike Callard 514-695-6995.



WEST ISLAND ROCK 4 CANCER BENEFIT CONCERT JUNE 24: An outdoor fundraising event for the whole family in support of *The Cedars Cancer*

Institute & The West Island Wellness Centre, **June 24, 3:00 pm to midnight** here on the parish grounds. There will be live bands and special guest appearances. Pizza, hotdogs, hamburgers, TCBY, soft drinks & beer. Tickets are \$10.00 in advance or \$15.00 at the entrance. Raffle tickets - \$5.00 (\$7,500.00 in prizes to be won.) For tickets, please email tickets@westislandrock-4cancer.com or come to our booth after Mass on Sunday.

THE ANNUAL NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE is taking place in Ottawa on **Thursday May 13**. This is a peaceful demonstration that brings together tens of thousands from across the country to show support for the Pro-Life cause. The day begins with a Mass, followed by a march through the nation's capital and a gathering on Parliament Hill. This year's theme is 'Abortion – a crime against humanity'. We at St. Thomas à Becket, in conjunction with another local parish, would like to organize a bus leaving in the morning and returning for around 6 pm. Please consider joining Fr. Michael to participate in this important event. Information and a sign-up sheet are available at the back of the Church.

CRIB AND CROSS FRANCISCAN MINISTRIES offers during the Fall-Winter seasons two group workshop series - From Death to New Life: A Christian View of Loss. For persons struggling with a significant loss, such as the death of a loved one, divorce or other difficult change. Practical tools for working through bereavement will be presented in talks, reflections and discussions are centered on the healing power of faith, hope and love. Led by Deacon Richard Boileau, with more than 15 years experience assisting people in grief. **Beginning Sept. 17 and running each Friday until Nov. 26, 2010**. Cost: \$90, includes printed materials.

BECKET PANTRY NEEDS: a refrigerator for a family in need. Call the parish office 514-626-4111.

*God bless all our
godmothers, mothers-
generously stand in as*



*mothers, grandmothers, step-mothers,
in-law, and all those who
mothers for those who have none.*

**Happy
Mother's
Day**