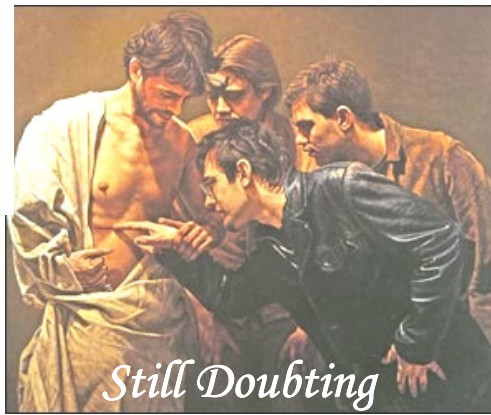


# Second Sunday of Easter

April 7,  
2013



*Still Doubting*

### Weekday Masses:

April 8: no Mass, April 9, 10, 11, 12: 8:30 a.m.

### MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: APRIL 06 TO APRIL 14

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Apr. 06</b>	<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
4:30 pm		Our Parishioners	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Apr. 07</b>		
9:00 am		In thanksgiving	Leonora Bascao
11:00 am		Italo Falcone	Adamo, Sabrina & Daniele
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Apr. 08</b>	No Mass	
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>Apr. 09</b>		
8:30 am		Mathieu Frenette	Rina Reda
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>Apr. 10</b>		
8:30 am		Austin Wilson	Ailsa Lee Loy
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>Apr. 11</b>		
8:30 am		Clara & Frenette family	Rina Reda
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Apr. 12</b>		
8:30 am		Karl Medvescek	Rina Reda
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Apr. 13</b>	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
4:30 pm		Cyril & Austin Lee Loy	Ailsa Lee Loy
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Apr. 14</b>		
9:00 am		Jennie Gortler	family
11:00 am		Our Parishioners	

#### Weekday Readings:

<b>Mon. Apr. 08</b>	Is 7: 10-14; 8:10 / Heb 10:4-10	Lk 1: 26-38
<b>Tues. Apr. 09</b>	Acts 4: 32-37	Jn 3: 7b-15
<b>Wed. Apr. 10</b>	Acts 5: 17-26	Jn 3: 16-21
<b>Thurs. Apr. 11</b>	Acts 5: 27-33	Jn 3: 31-36
<b>Fri. Apr. 12</b>	Acts 5: 34-42	Jn 6: 1-15

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** Week of April 07: Alberta Fiori, requested by the Gafoor family.

### Question of the Week

Reading I: Acts 5:12-16 (The Ministry of the Apostles)

Reading II: Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 (Do Not Be Afraid)

Gospel: John 20:19-31 (Peace Be With You)

**Adult:** When has your faith in the living Christ helped you overcome fear?

**Child:** What could you do this Easter season to help someone feel less afraid?

**FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP CERTIFICATES:** Please remember that Family Discipleship Certificates are required in order to register for Faith First next year.

**UPCOMING FAITH FIRST GATHERINGS:**

**Sun. April 14:** High School gathering  
**Fri. April 19:** Level 1 (last gathering)  
**Tues. April 30:** Level 4 (last gathering)

**FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL AND RETREAT: Sat. April 13**  
please refer to your info package for assigned time.

**CONFIRMATION HOLY SPIRIT DAY: April 7, 2-4 pm** at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral. Please meet in front entrance of the Cathedral at 1:30 pm. All confirmands must be accompanied by an adult, preferably their sponsor.

**CONFIRMATION RECONCILIATION: April 20.** Reminder: all children must be accompanied by an adult, preferably their sponsor. Please refer to your info package for your assigned time.

**ALL DAY CONFIRMATION RETREAT: May 4.**

**CAFES 2013**

The Catholic Adult Faith Enrichment Series are offered to all our parishioners as a means of deepening their life of prayer and learning more about our faith.

**Fridays 7-8 pm** *Breaking Open the Word* – prepare for Sunday worship by reviewing and reflecting on the readings. No meeting will be held on Good Friday, we will resume on April 5.

**April 9, 7-9 pm** *Catholicism Series with Robert Barron: Prayer and the Life of the Spirit.*

**April 11, 7-9 pm** *Discovering God's Plan for Love and Life.* A talk for parents on how to give your young person tools for living in a hypersexual culture. Presenter: Isabel Correa, Director of Youth Ministry Office, Diocese of Montreal.

Visit the parish website for more information [www.stthomasabocket.org](http://www.stthomasabocket.org)

**THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS:**

**April 9, 7 pm:** Diocesan Card Party at Resurrection of Our Lord, Lachine. Play any game, prizes and refreshments included. Best deal in town: \$6.00.

**April 27:** Diocesan Convention at St. Ignatius Loyola Parish. Guest speaker: sister Pat O'Neill. \$20.00, lunch included.

**May 24-26:** Provincial Convention in Quebec City. To register contact Shirley at 514-626-4002.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR MARCH 30/31**

Offerings:	\$ 15,753.00
Building Fund:	\$ 2,211.00
Holy Land: (Good Friday)	\$ 3,394.00

**VOCATIONS REFLECTION:** Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God's call to priesthood or religious life? Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348. [vocationsmtl@diocesemontreal.org](mailto:vocationsmtl@diocesemontreal.org)

**BECKET'S 2013 MARRIAGE JUBILEE:** Is your wedding anniversary this year divisible by 5? Join us at our Annual Marriage Jubilee on **April 26 & 27**. Sign up after all Masses starting next week or call Rina at 514-695-6995.

**KNITPICKERS UPDATE** Thanks to all who so generously donated yarn over the last few weeks. Our biggest problem now is where to store it all! On March 15, we drew our winner's name and congratulations go out to Janice Cunningham! Next meeting is set for **April 12, 2013** – see you then.

~ Elizabeth Barroso

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR EASTER FLOWER OFFERINGS!**

*Dear Lord, grant your abundant blessings to those on whose behalf these offerings were made:*

Sean Richardson, Anna Douglas Waugh, Mary Short,  
Antonia Pantin, Stella & Stanley Szuszkowski, Anneliese  
Del Fabro, Anthony & Grozdana Listes, Oreste Testa,  
Carmela & Antonio Bonta, Alfonso Mio, Adolph & Rose  
Rivet, Vi & Jim Stanton, Gabriela & Giovanni Ambrosio,  
Salvatore Ilaqua, Maddocks & Floreani families, Vilma  
Pereira, Bill Leonhardt, Maria Verdone, Frances & Bill  
Cunningham, Agnes O'Donnell, Jane & Peter Holloran, Anne Marie  
Watkinson, Paul & Gisele Gervais, Rachela Calandra, Mary Hyjek, Mary & Mike  
Saukas, Antonio Cabral, Lee Loy, Wilson and Charles families.



**TODAY IS DIVINE MERCY:** In a series of revelations to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, our Lord called for a special feast day to be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Today, we know that feast as Divine Mercy Sunday, named by Blessed John Paul II at the canonization of St. Faustina on April 30, 2000.

The message of The Divine Mercy is simple. It is that God loves us — all of us. And, he wants us to recognize that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy.

The Divine Mercy message is one we can call to mind simply by remembering ABC:

A - *Ask for His Mercy.* God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

B - *Be merciful.* God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

C - *Completely trust in Jesus.* God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive. Learn more at <http://thedivinemercy.org>

**BECKET FILM FEST SATURDAYS:** From October through June, B.F.F. presents feature films that highlight Gospel values. All Becket families, friends and neighbours are most welcome to join us. All movies start at 7:00 pm.

April 20: Five People you Meet in Heaven

May 25: Grace Card

June 22: What If...

**CWL MEETING:** Tuesday April 9, 1:30 pm

**PARISH OFFICE AMUSEMENT: OLDIES BUT GOODIES**

Following are a few real telephone calls and enquiries that we have received at the parish office over the years. Enjoy.

“Do you sell Free Trade coffee?”

“A priest was supposed to come to bless my house. I can’t remember his name; he is high and has black hair.”

“I would like to speak to a priest about a vocation to the priesthood or other jobs in the church like marriage”.

“Can you issue me a tax receipt for a couple of hundred dollars? I need a tax break this year.”

“Hello”? Could I speak to Thomas à Becket please?

**THANK YOU FROM JEAN MACK:** I wish to extend a special thank you to Fr. Michael and all who helped to make my birthday celebration special.

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