



Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 16, 2014

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: NOVEMBER 15 TO NOVEMBER 23

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Saturday	Nov. 15	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Ponciana Domingo Jipos	her family	
Sunday	Nov. 16		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Maria & Rudolf Markic	family	
Monday	Nov. 17		
8:30 am	Ponciana Jipos	Lourdes Jipos	
Tues.	Nov. 18		
8:30 am	Jean Curran	Kathleen & Tom Heald	
Wed.	Nov. 19		
8:30 am	Mark Julius Coelho	Pat & Donny	
Thurs.	Nov. 20		
8:30 am	Conjetta Tilli	family	
Friday	Nov. 21		
8:30 a.m.	Mary Carroll	Pat Carroll & family	
Saturday	Nov. 22	Christ the King	
4:30 pm	Vito, Caterina & Cecilia & families	Rina Della Rocca & family	
Sunday	Nov. 23		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Angelina Alvaro Armeni	Rose & Pietro Rascella	

SANCTUARY LAMP: Week of November: Mary Carroll requested by Pat Carroll and family.

WEEKDAY READINGS:

Mon	Nov. 17	Rv1: 1-4; 2: 1-5	Lk 18: 35-43
Tues.	Nov. 18	Rv 3: 1-6, 14-22	Lk 19: 1-10
Wed.	Nov. 19	Rv 4: 1-11	Lk 19: 11-28
Thurs.	Nov. 20	Rv 5: 1-10	Lk 19: 41-44
Fri.	Nov. 21	Rv 10: 8-10	Lk 19: 45-48

LORD, GRANT MERCY AND LASTING PEACE to those who died recently, and strength and comfort to those who mourn them: Gary Terrio, brother of Sandra Terrio, Marie McNeil Leclair, Steven Williams, brother of Diane Flavelle, Henry Redmond, brother of Ron Redmond, Salome Kong Ire, sister of Juliana Kong Ire, William Earle Armstrong, father of Norma Cook, Mary McMahon.

ALTAR GUILD MEETING: Dec 08 after morning Mass.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 09/10:

Offerings: \$ 5419.00
Helping Others: \$ 2667.00

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

First Reading: Proverbs 31:10–13, 19–20, 30–31 (Praise Her)

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1–6 (People of Light)

Gospel: Matthew 25:14–30 (Be Faithful)

Adults: What sacrifice am I willing to make to serve poor and needy?

Youth: Do I recognize that God calls each of us to a vocation? Do I take time to discern how God wants me to share my talents?

Children: How can I use my “talents” to help people in need?

PASTORAL COUNCIL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND ELECTIONS

will be held on **November 30, at 12 noon**. Three three-year positions and one one-year position must be filled at the AGM on Nov.30. All members of the parish are invited run for a position on the pastoral council and/or vote for the persons you feel would best represent you. The pastoral council functions a consultative body within the parish to assist the pastoral team in developing and implementing our pastoral project. Nomination forms are available at the back of the church for anyone who is interested.

CELEBRATE BECKET’S 50TH ANNIVERSARY! Saint Thomas à Becket Parish will be 50 years old on October 11, 2016! We are looking for volunteers to help us plan our 50th Anniversary year-long celebrations. If you would like to be a part of this committee please contact Rina Callard at 514-695-6995 or email mikerinacallard@sympatico.ca

BECKET SENIORS MEETING will take place on November 20 from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm in the parish hall. All parishioners over the age of 50 are invited to join Becket Seniors.

BECKET’S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS are holding a recruiting campaign during the month of November. Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to Catholic men 18 years of age or older. For more information please visit the Knights table in the Narthex after Mass or contact our Grand Knight Lorne Flavelle at 514-620-1156.

BOOK OF THE DEAD: Becket’s Book of the Dead is available throughout the month of November at the back of the church for all parishioners who wish to add the name(s) of their deceased loved ones. Please note that if you have already listed a name you do not have to write it again each year. God bless.

FAITH FIRST - UPCOMING GATHERINGS:

Eucharist Gathering #3: Tuesday, November 25th, 2014

Level 1 Gathering #1: Friday, November 28th, 2014

SACRED HEART CHRISTMAS FAIR & I MUSICI BENEFIT CONCERT

Start your Christmas shopping with The Sacred Heart School of Montreal annual Christmas Fair on Saturday, November 29 from 10 am until 4 pm. At 7 pm, a benefit concert will be held, featuring the I Musici de Montréal professional orchestra and several members of the school's Concert Band, who will perform Christmas classic repertoire under the direction of Jean-Michel Malouf. For tickets or information call 514-937-2845 or visit www.sacredheart.qc.ca

ANNUAL NATIVITY PLAY CASTING CALL: Calling all St. Thomas à Becket 'church mice' actors and singers! It's time to start rehearsing for our annual Nativity Play. Every year, we present a short Nativity Play just before Annual Becket Christmas Concert. This evening is a highlight at our parish during the Advent season. Please email Cathy Cerisano at cathcerisano@hotmail.com or call at 514-624-1562 if you are interested in being in the play.

Rehearsal Schedule:

Sunday November 23: church 2:30-4:00 pm* Note new time

Sunday November 30: Cahill hall 2:30-4:00 pm* Note new time

Saturday December 6: church 12:30-3:00

Sunday December 14: 1:30-4:00 (after Santa's breakfast) in church hall

Saturday December 20: 12:30-4pm Dress rehearsal in church followed by family pizza dinner in the hall.

Sunday, December 21: 5:30 Nativity Play.



WORLD YOUTH DAY - KRAKÓW 2016

All youth aged 18-35 are invited to World Youth Day in Kraków, Poland, July 25 – August 1, 2016.

Visit: <http://worldyouthday.com/> for more information. All those interested please contact Fr. Marco at 514-626-411 ext 225.

THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA (Montreal City Council) will be holding their Annual Bake & Craft Sale on Saturday, November 29 (following the 5.00 p.m. Mass) and on Sunday, November 30 (following the 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m. Masses) in the Green Room of St. Patrick's Basilica. On sale will be home-made baked goods, Christmas crafts, books and a White Elephant Table. Bargains for everyone!

CHRISTMAS BASKETS: This year, we will be partnering with a sister parish for our Christmas Baskets Project. Beginning the weekend of November 22/23, we will begin to collect non-perishables and children's toys for the St. Vincent de Paul Society of the Parish of The Resurrection of Our Lord in Lachine.

Please look for the big donation box November 22/23 in the Narthex. Items most needed: Tinned meats, peanut butter, cereals, tinned stews, granola bars, legumes (chickpeas, kidney beans), 100% fruit juice, apple sauce, rice, tinned fruit.

In the past we had to close our pantry during the month of December to prepare baskets. Teaming up with Resurrection of Our Lord parish during the Christmas season allows us to keep our pantry open so that we can offer help to families in need in throughout December.