

# January 25, 2015

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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**WELCOME BISHOP THOMAS DOWD!** We offer a warm welcome to Bishop Thomas Dowd as he makes a pastoral visit to our parish from January 24 to February 01. Bishop Tom will be very busy meeting with the ministries, organizations, and individuals at Becket. Welcome Bishop Tom to Becket! We wish you a grace-filled and fruitful visit.

### MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: JANUARY 24 To FEBRUARY 01

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Jan. 24</b>	<b>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
4:30 am	Cyril Rebeiro	Atwell D'Souza & family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Jan. 25</b>	
9:00 am	Our parishioners	
11:00 am	Ghislaine Ilaqua	Alfio & Teresa Sacchetti
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Jan. 26</b>	
8:30 am	Dolly Rush	Kathleen & Tom Heald
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Jan. 27</b>	
8:30 am	Emil Chiz	Eleanor & John Fitzgerald
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Jan. 28</b>	
8:30 am	Emil Chiz	Mary & Guy Taillon
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Jan. 29</b>	
8:30 am	Emil Chiz	The Novosad family
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Jan. 30</b>	
8:30 am	Conjetta Tilli	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Jan. 31</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Feb. 01</b>	
9:00 am	Coney & Joan D'Souza	Atwell D'Souza & family
11:00 am	Andrew Fratino	

**SANCTUARY LAMP** Week of January 25: Emilio De Grazia requested by the Farrells.

**LORD, GRANT MERCY AND LASTING PEACE** to those who died recently, and strength and comfort to those who mourn them:  
*Francesco Vani*, father-in-law of Mattea, *Ivan Melnyk*, husband of the late Bernice Melnyk, father of Melisa.

### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS JAN. 17/18**

Offerings:	\$ 5,456.00
St. Peter the Apostle (Missions):	\$ 1,550.00

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Reading I: 1 Jonah 3. 1-5, 10 (Proclaim the Message)  
Reading II: 1 Corinthians 7. 29-31(The Appointed Time has Grown Short)  
Gospel: Mark 1.14-20 (Repent and Believe in the Good News)

**Adults:** Jesus calls us to give up the “busyness” in our life and follow him. What will I do today and everyday to respond to Jesus’ call?

**Youth:** When Simon and Andrew responded to Jesus’ call to follow him, they were two fishermen casting their nets into the sea. What a change that call and their response to it made in their lives. Jesus calls all of us. Are you listening?

**Children:** How can I remember to put God first in my life today and every day?

## FAITH FIRST

Upcoming Gatherings:

\*\*\*Spring 2015 First Communion Parent Info Meeting: **Wed. January 28, 7pm**

\*\*\*Spring 2015 Confirmation Parent Info Meeting: **Wed. January 28, 8pm**

Confirmation Gathering #4: **Tuesday, Feb. 3, 2015**

Level 1 Gathering #2: **Friday, February 6, 2015**

**THE PARENTING TEENS COURSE** is for any parents, step-parents, or guardians of children aged 11 – 18 years. Why do the course? Parenting teenagers is harder than ever for most parents today. No role we undertake in life is more important than parenting. We are the main influence on our teenagers’ future. Discovering we are not alone in the challenges we face and picking up ideas from other parents can make a huge difference. Meeting our teenagers’ deepest needs, setting healthy boundaries, helping to develop their emotional health and teaching them how to make good choices takes skill and dedication. Taking time to reflect on our end goal can help us to build our relationship with our teenagers. Join us Thursday Feb. 5th, 2015 -7:00 PM - Cahill Hall  
Info: Steve Barillaro (514) 808-0634 [steve\\_barillaro@ryder.com](mailto:steve_barillaro@ryder.com)

## UPCOMING LAFS:



**Wed. Feb. 11, 7:00 pm** - Sow Much Love: Small family farmers feed the world. facilitated by Yvonne Bourque  
D&P is answering Pope Francis' call to end hunger. Learn how you and your family can make a difference.

**Wed. Feb. 25, 10:00am** - "Chocolate" for Lent with Elsa Rivera

Indulge the cravings of your soul with a creative approach to your Lenten journey. The joy of chocolate meets the spiritual challenge of growth and transformation into the risen Christ. Pamper yourself by creating space for deeper insights into a smooth spiritual blend of scripture, social awareness, service, community, prayer, integrity, love and what it means to be a follower of Christ. Chocolate and Johnny Depp, a great combination!

## POPE FRANCIS’ TEN TIPS FOR A HAPPIER LIFE – TIP #3

“Live and let Live”. Everyone should be guided by this principle, he said, which has a similar expression in Rome with the saying, “Move forward and let others do the same.”

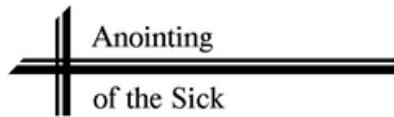
**ECUMENICAL WORSHIP SERVICE:** Please join us **Sunday January 25, at 4pm** at St. Barnabas Church, 12301 Colin, Pierrefonds as we celebrate the closing of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. In keeping with the theme of water, taken from the Gospel passage appointed for the service (John 4: 1—42), we will incorporate in the liturgy a ceremony around a common basin of water. After the opening hymn & Call to Worship, each representative will pour water from their container into the common basin, to symbolize our coming together in unity. At that point, all in the congregation will be invited to come forward (two-by-two) to bless each other with water from this common basin. At the end of the service, the representative from each church will place some water from this common basin back into their respective containers, to take back to each congregation as a visible reminder of our unity. For more information please contact the parish office or visit [www.st-barnabas.qc.ca](http://www.st-barnabas.qc.ca)

**BECKET PANTRY NEEDS:** Jam, jello, juice, coffee. Thank you for your generosity.

**WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT** – Wednesday, February 18 at Villa Saint-Martin, 9451 Gouin Blvd. W., Pierrefonds. Registration: 9:15 a.m. Presentations by Sr. Pat O'Neill, SNJM; music; quiet time for personal reflection and prayer; Eucharistic celebration; sharing for those who wish to participate. ALL women welcome. Please bring a lunch. Coffee and tea provided. Suggested donation: \$15. Contact: (514) 684-1290.

**BLESSING OF THROATS** will be celebrated after Morning Mass on **February 03**. All those with throats ailments are invited for this special blessing. The Church has traditionally blessed throats on this day recalling the event when St. Blaise cured a boy who was choking on a fish bone, and as a traditional sign of the struggle against illness in the life of the Christian.

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK** will be



celebrated on **February 11**, after morning Mass. The Church teaches that this sacrament is meant to strengthen, in body and soul, those who are seriously ill, and "in

danger of death" from sickness or old age. Most serious illnesses and any surgery that requires general anesthetic put us "in danger of death."

Pastoral Home Care visitors are also available to bring Holy Communion to the Sick. Please see the Pastoral Home visit cards available at the back of the church. Our priests are also available to visit the sick at home. Please contact Fr. Marco at 514-626-4111 ext 225 or Fr. Tijo George at 514-626-411 ext 232.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

during weekend Masses or by appointment

**Anointing of the Sick:** by appointment

**Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration:**

First Friday of the month

**Benediction:** Fridays after morning Mass

**Baptism:** Please contact the office

**Marriage:** Please contact the office one year in advance

**Vocations:** Please contact our Priests or Deacon for more information.

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