

*Fourth Sunday  
of Easter  
April 29, 2007*

I am the good shepherd says the Lord;  
I know my sheep and my sheep know me.

**Weekday Masses:** Apr. 30: 7:15 pm,  
May 1, 2, 3, 4: 8:30 am



**FAITH FIRST REGISTRATION FOR 2007-2008** will take place **JUNE 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**AND JUNE 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm** in the church hall. The June 5<sup>th</sup> date is particularly  
important for newcomers to the program since it is also an information meeting  
at which we will discuss program requirements and updates.  
Please note that a late fee of \$25.00 will be applied to all registrations received  
after June 15<sup>th</sup>. **PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!!**

**FAITH FIRST** is a religious education program for children from  
**kindergarten to high school**. Sacramental preparation for First Communion and  
Confirmation is incorporated into this program. Please share this information with  
friends and family who have school-aged children.

Info: 514-620-4057 [www.stthomasabecket.org](http://www.stthomasabecket.org) click on Faith Education.

**FAITH FIRST PARENT FEEDBACK SHEETS FOR 2006-2007** are available  
at the faith first reflection table. If you did not already fill out the feedback sheet  
please take one (take home if you like), complete and return to the box at the table.

**I LIVED AS A SAINT THIS WEEK BY...**

Being good. **Adriano C.**

Going to church. **Sara C.**

Telling the truth. **Jordan D.**

Helping my friend. **Adam M.**

Helping to get ready for guests from Toronto. **Kathryn M.**

Helping my sister. **Kevin H.**



**CELEBRATE AND CONGRATULATE OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS!**

Many Becket children will receive their First Communion at the 4:30 p.m. Saturday  
Masses during the month of May and the beginning of June. Please join us as we  
celebrate with these children and their families, and greet and congratulate them as  
they take this important step in their faith journey.

**Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52 (Paul and Barnabas)**  
**Reading II: Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 (The Lamb Will Shepherd Them)**  
**Gospel: John 10:27-30 (The Sheep Hear My Voice)**

**Adults:** In what area of my life do I need to see Christ's love for me more clearly?

**Children:** Do I realize that whenever I ask Jesus to help me, he is ready and happy  
to do so?

**VOCATION VIEWS REFLECTION:** On this Good Shepherd Sunday we  
celebrate World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Pray for an increase in vocations to  
the priesthood, diaconate, consecrated, married, and single life, that God will raise up  
good shepherds in our midst.

**CWL:** April 8<sup>th</sup> meeting in Cahill hall 1:30 pm – business & social. Would each  
member please bring a small gift for a patient from the Dowd Home who will be  
coming here to Mass & lunch, May 27<sup>th</sup>.

**SENIOR'S MEETINGS 2007:** 1:30 - 3:30 pm: May 14 & 28.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:** Today, Good Shepherd Sunday, is a special celebration of World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The world-wide Church honours all Christian vocations. We pray that our church may be enriched by our commitment to remain faithful to God's call. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, guides and protects us on our life journey. You are invited to participate in our parish celebration Becket's V.A.N. **WHAT TO WEAR SALE** this Sunday **April 29, 9 am to 3 pm.**



**FANIA: A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL** who so generously donated coin-filled eggs to the FANIA school project. **We collected a total of \$1304.00.** This money will help us save **nine** extremely needy children and give them hope for the future through the Mary Leonard School and nutrition program.

**~ MASS SCHEDULE: APRIL 28 TO MAY 6 ~**

<b>Saturday Apr. 28</b>	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
4:30 pm	Lira D'Souza	Atwell D'Souza
<b>Sunday Apr. 29</b>		
9:00 am	Antonio Fiori	Alberta Fiori
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
<b>Mon. Apr. 30</b>		
7:15 pm	Antonio Cabral	Cizaltina Cabral
<b>Tues. May 1</b>		
8:30 am	Eugenia Flocco	The Martin & Maresca family
<b>Wed. May 2</b>		
8:30 am	Antonio Cabral	Cizaltina Cabral
<b>Thurs. May 3</b>		
8:30 am	Antonio Cabral	Cizaltina Cabral
<b>Fri. May 4</b>		
8:30 am	Mira Mierzwinski	Friend
<b>Saturday May 5</b>	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners	Audrey & Ernie Cassidy
<b>Sunday May 6</b>		
9:00 am	Dusan Medvescek	Maria Medvescek & Family
11:00 am	Lu Chi Te	Marie Sia

Weekday Readings for April 30 to May 4

<b>Monday Apr. 30</b>	Acts 11: 1-18	Jn 10: 1-10
<b>Tuesday May 1</b>	Acts 11:19-26	Jn 10: 22-30
<b>Wednesday May 2</b>	Acts 12: 24 –13: 5a	Jn 12: 44-50
<b>Thursday May 3</b>	1 Cor 15: 1-8	Jn 14: 6-14
<b>Friday May 4</b>	Acts 13: 26-33	Jn 14: 1-6

**FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: May 4th** is the First Friday of the month. After Benediction, you are invited to join us for an hour between 10:00 a.m. and midnight for exposition and adoration of the Holy Eucharist. Please sign up in the book at the back of the church. *“The Eucharist is the supreme proof of the love of Jesus. After this, there is nothing more but Heaven itself.”*  
**St. Peter Julian Eymard**

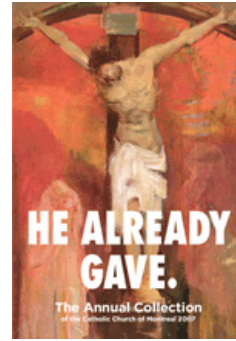
**FAMILY BREAKFAST:** All are invited to join us after the after the 11 am Mass **May 6** for a delicious hot breakfast cooked and served by Becket's Knights of Columbus. All welcome. \$4.00 per person.

**“PINK” BAKE SAE SPONSORED BY BECKET’S ALTAR SERVERS**

**Sunday May 6,** Becket's Altar Servers will sponsor a “Pink” Bake Sale. All donations may be dropped off before the 9am and 11am Masses May 6. All proceeds from the sale will go towards breast cancer research. Thank you.



**THE ANNUAL COLLECTION** of the Archdiocese runs for two more weeks – until May 6. As in past years, the goal is to raise \$2 million, which will be used to support faith education, parishes in need, and aid for the marginalized.



The modern depiction of Christ on the cross titled *The Crucifixion*, is the work of Odilon Redon (1840-1916). The theme and image invite people to reflect upon the generous sacrifice that Christ made for each person so that we may be redeemed and understand the magnitude of God’s love. It also implies the question: How about you? It invites people to consider their own level of generosity. In addition to making a monetary donation, the archdiocese, through its campaign, is also inviting people to give their time and talents. Donations can be made through Becket (see envelopes in pews) or through the diocesan website ([www.diocesemontreal.org](http://www.diocesemontreal.org)). Thank you!

**BECKET HAPPENINGS AT A GLANCE**

Fri.	May 4	Exposition and Adoration of Blessed Sacrament	10am-12 am
Sat.	May 5	Sympholies Vocales – Mozart in May Concert	8 pm
Sun.	May 6	Knights of Columbus family breakfast	after 11am Mass
		Altar Servers “Pink” Bake Sale	after both Masses
Sun	May 13	CWL Raffle & Flower Sale	after Masses

**RELAY FOR LIFE 2007 - June 8<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm to 9 am, June 9<sup>th</sup>.** Once again this year, I am putting together a team of 10 for the cancer relay and your support is crucial. Come join the team, pledge a donation, buy luminaries (candles for loved ones for \$5. each that will be lit and line the relay track), volunteer to help the organizing committee, or ask family, friends, and/or co workers to participate in some way. Stay for an hour and do 2 or 3 laps or 10 hours as you wish and do laps. Picnic and interact with others. PLACE: St. Laurent near the Place Vertu Shopping Center at a high school on Henri Bourassa. **ALL** are invited to join the hundreds who join in solidarity with cancer survivors and their families and/or to celebrate the lives of departed family members and friends. Please help us to help others in the fight against the dreaded disease that causes so much heartbreak. E-mail [c\\_moss2000@hotmail.com](mailto:c_moss2000@hotmail.com) or phone (514) 620-0714 Thank you.

*Carolyn Moss, Team Leader*

**“COME AND SEE” PERMANENT DIACONATE INFO EVENING** for men, 55 years and younger who may be discerning a call to follow Jesus within the Permanent Diaconate. You are invited to this evening (accompanied by your spouse if you are married) on: Tuesday **May 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 pm** at St. Veronica’s Parish, 1300 Carson, Dorval. See Fr. Rob for details or call Richard Saint-Louis, Permanent Deacon, Office for Pastoral Personnel: 514-925-4300 ext 278.

**SYMPHOLIES VOCALES** will present 'Mozart in May' at Becket, **May 5<sup>th</sup> at 8 p.m.** A fifteen piece orchestra will accompany the choir, and Musicologist Lucie Renaud will offer a pre-concert conference at 6:30 p.m. A real treat for Mozart lovers! Tickets: \$20 (\$25 at the door) and can be purchased at 514-685-2895 or through the parish office at 514-626-4111. Half of the tickets sales sold through the parish office will be donated to Becket.

**BERNIE LAVIGNE PRESENTS:** “Earth Day” at Becket. Becket’s buildings sit on 5 acres of earth which all has to be cleaned of debris (rocks& twigs) and raked. Help us make our property beautiful on Sunday May 6, starting at 1 p.m. Bring your rakes, snacks and six packs!



**ENJOY A QUIET WEEKEND IN PEACEFUL SURROUNDINGS...** Silent, personally directed retreat at the Cistercian Abbey in Rougemont. Begins Friday evening, May 11, ends Sunday afternoon. Call 514-626-9462 or 514-697-6684. [www.montrealretreats.org](http://www.montrealretreats.org)