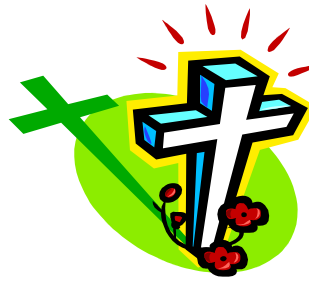


# 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time November 11, 2007



**Weekday Masses:** Nov 12: 7:15 pm  
Nov. 13, 14, 15, & 16: 8:30 am

Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead; glory and kingship be his for ever and ever.

## FAITH FIRST

*I put my faith into action like **Zacchaeus** when...*

I made my sister breakfast. **Jenna D.**

I forgave a girl who bullied me through the week. **Gabrielle M.**

I helped my sister get dressed. **Deanna T.**

Helped my mom prepare for my great-grandfather's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. **Anthony D.**

When I did not want to do what my parents asked, I asked God to help me listen anyway. **Dylan B.**

My friend pushed me and I forgave him and still played with him.

**Giancarlo B.**

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:** Parent Gathering #2 **November 15, 7- 9 pm.**

Parent Day Café **November 16, 9:30 -11:00 am.**



Reading I: 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14 (Raised to Live Forever)

Reading II: 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 (The Lord is Faithful)

Gospel: Luke 20:27-38 (God of the Living)

**Adults:** How are my priorities revealed by how I choose to spend my time? Is there anything I might need to change about this?

**Children:** What one thing can I do this week that will bring a smile to someone's face?

**VOCATION VIEWS REFLECTION:** Let us pray that the Word of the Lord will make progress. Let us pray for an increase in vocations to priesthood and religious life.

**CWL:** There will be a Mass **November 13<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm** for all deceased members of the CWL. Business meeting and refreshments to follow.

**SENIORS:** There will be a Mass **November 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm** for the deceased members of Becket Seniors.

**LECTORS:** please pick up important information sheets in the Narthex. Thanks!

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** The Sanctuary lamp signals the presence of the Lord Jesus in the Tabernacle and burns for seven days. We invite you to have the sanctuary lamp memorialized in the name of a sick person, a deceased love one, or a special intention, for a weekly donation of \$20.00 The sanctuary lamp burns this week for the intention of Terry Laporte, requested by her all her many friends at Becket. All proceeds will go towards the purchase of an electric vigil lamp stand. Please call the office to arrange a memorial for the sanctuary lamp. 514-626-4111.



**THANK YOU TO ALL PARISHIONERS AND GROUPS** who have generously supported our "Sponsor a Bible Project". Most of our Bibles have already been "sponsored". The remaining bibles will be available again after all Masses for \$12.00 each. Bookplates are placed in each Bible and inscribed with the name of the group, family or individual who has donated the Bible. Special thanks to Social Club #2 for sponsoring 3 Bibles!

**FABRIQUE & H. O. COMMITTEE ELECTIONS DEC. 2, 2007:**

All parishioners are invited to the election of Churchwardens and Helping Others Committee on **December 2<sup>nd</sup> after the 11:00 a.m. Mass**. All parishioners of full age (18), of the Roman Catholic Faith, and who live within the parish boundaries are entitled to nominate, be nominated, and vote at the Meeting of Parishioners (*Act respecting Fabriques*). There are six churchwarden positions. The term of office of churchwardens is three years. Two three-year positions must be filled during this election. There are 4 elected Helping Others Committee members. The term of office for H.O. Committee is two years – two two-year terms must be filled during this election. Churchwardens assist the pastor in the administration of the parish. H.O. Committee members manage our charitable outreach programs under the authority of the Fabrique. 514-626-4111.

**CHURCH & HALL BOOKINGS:** All groups, choirs, etc., please make sure to check your bookings online periodically at [www.stthomasabecket.org](http://www.stthomasabecket.org) to ensure that the dates and times for your activities are up to date and correct. Thank you!

**WE ARE LOOKING** for an architect to help us with the roof project. Please leave your name at the parish office. 514-626-4111.

**BECKET’S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** have postponed their next “family breakfast” until December 16. Everyone is invited to a special **Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 16 after the 11 am Mass**. This event will be a combined effort of Becket’s K. of C. and the 11o’clock choir. All welcome! Stay tuned for details.

**BECKET’S ANNUAL NEW YEAR’S EVE DINNER-DANCE:** Will be held **Monday Dec 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm** in the parish hall. The evening will include a delicious Chinese buffet, and great music & dancing! Come dance the night away with us! BYOB (alcoholic or non) Reserved seating is available. Tickets: \$25 each. Call Gerry 514-694-2984.

**BECKET PANTRY NEEDS:** Kraft Dinner, sugar (2kg size), cereal (oatmeal), cookies, canned salmon, teabags, shampoo. **Thank you!**



**BECKET PANTRY CHRISTMAS BASKET MEETING Nov. 14, 7:30** - Many “elves” are needed to help us make our Christmas Basket project a success. We need help with preparation of baskets, receiving perishables on delivery day, loading cars, making deliveries, and in dozens of other ways. Help us make Christmas special for those less fortunate. This is a great project for families to do together, and can be a wonderful gift to the Christ Child. See you there!

**BECKET HAPPENINGS AT GLANCE**

Tues.	Nov.13	CWL Mass	1:00 pm
		Knights of Columbus meeting	7:00 pm
Wed.	Nov.14	Christmas Basket Meeting	7:30 pm
Thurs.	Nov.15	Parent Gathering #2	7:00 pm
Fri.	Nov.16	Day Café	9:30 am
Sun	Nov.18	Farewell reception for Fr. Michael Tauro	after 11 am Mass
Tues.	Nov.20	Natural Family Planning	7:30 pm

**FR. MICHAEL TAURO** will return to Becket next Sunday Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> to preside and preach at the 11 a.m. Mass. Please join us after Mass for a wine and cheese farewell reception for Fr. Michael. A donation basket will available for cards and gifts.



Get your grocery, gas, clothing, hardware and gifts at your preferred store using Fundscrip certificates. Help raise funds for Becket pilgrims for World Youth Day 2008.



~ MASS SCHEDULE: NOVEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> TO NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup> ~

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Nov. 10</b>	<b>32<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
4:30 pm	Alfonso Mio	His family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Nov. 11</b>	
9:00 am	Merwyn De Sousa	
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>Nov. 12</b>	
7:15 pm	John McDonald	Mary & Guy Taillon
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>Nov. 13</b>	
8:30 am	James Graham	Pat Fahey
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>Nov. 14</b>	
8:30 am	Luba Compeau	Laurane & Vincent
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>Nov. 15</b>	
8:30 am	Giuseppe Di Lalla	Johanna & Tony
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Nov. 16</b>	
8:30 am	Barbara Wawak	Parish Staff
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Nov. 17</b>	<b>33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
4:30 pm	Debbie Patry	Gabriella Komel
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Nov. 18</b>	
9:00 am	Our Parishioners	
11:00 am	Tony Fahey	Pat Fahey

*Weekday Readings for November 12<sup>th</sup> to November 16<sup>th</sup>*

<b>Monday Nov. 12</b>	Wis 1: 1-7	Lk 17: 1-6
<b>Tuesday Nov. 13</b>	Wis 2: 23-- 3:9	Lk 17: 7-10
<b>Wednesday Nov. 14</b>	Wis 6:1-11	Lk 17: 11-19
<b>Thursday Nov. 15</b>	Wis 7: 22b--8:1	Lk 17: 20-25
<b>Friday Nov. 16</b>	Wis 13: 1-9	Lk 17: 26-37

**ST. THOMAS À BECKET TALENT SHOW 2007** to support our WYD 2008 pilgrims! All parishioners are invited to a night of fun and entertainment for a good cause! The Talent show is on **Saturday November 17, at 7:30** in the



parish hall. Come and see the talent with which God has graced our parish! Goodies will also be sold during the show. Tickets at the door: \$7 for adults, \$5 students, max \$20 for a family of 4. For more information contact Sonia at 514-678-6404.

**COME AND SEE EVENINGS:** For men, 18 to 54 years old, who may be discerning a call to the priesthood. The Diocesan Vocation office is offering informal get-togethers from **5:30 to 9:00 pm** at **St.**



**Ignatius of Loyola on the following Fridays in 2007 – 2008** to provide fellowship and support for those who are considering following Jesus as a priest: **Nov. 16, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, Mar. 28,**

**Apr. 25.** Info: Fr. Robert Clark 514-925-4348 or [vocationsmtl@hotmail.com](mailto:vocationsmtl@hotmail.com)

**THE SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEES** of Montreal and St. Edmund of Canterbury parish invite you to an evening with Javier de Leon on Friday, Nov. 16th at 7:30pm at St. Edmund's parish hall corner of Beaconsfield Blvd. and St. Charles Rd. Mr. de Leon is an indigenous Mayan from Guatemala and will speak of his people's struggle against a Canadian-owned gold and silver mine in their community. For further information, please call Margo at 514-933-6797.

**ADVENT DAY OF RECOLLECTION:** Saturday November 24, 9:30 - 2:45 St. John Fisher Parish, 120 Summerhill, Pointe-Claire. Topic: 8<sup>th</sup> Centenary of the birth of St. Elizabeth of Hungary. Presenters will include Father Andre Comtois ofm, Margaret Million ofs, Deacon Richard Boileau ofs, Eric Lasota ofs. Bring your Shorter Christian Prayer. Shared lunch at 12 noon. (Please bring something to share). Information: Clayton Marolly 514-421-4437.