

28<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
in  
Ordinary Time  
October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2008



*May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart, that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.*

**Weekday Masses:** Oct. 13: 7:15 p.m., Oct. 14, 15, 16, 17: 8:30 a.m.

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*Congratulations & best wishes to Fr. Stephen Otvos on the occasion of his 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood. Fr. Stephen was assistant at Becket from 2001 to 2003. God bless you Fr. Stephen in all you do!*

**FAITH FIRST:**

- **CHILDREN'S GATHERING:** Levels 2&3: **Wed. Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>, 4-5 pm.**
- **Q&A #1 Why Can't Priests Get Married** Presenter: Fr. Robert Clark  
**Wed. October 15<sup>th</sup>, 5-6 pm.**
- **CHILDREN'S GATHERING:** First Communion: **Wed Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>, 4:30 or 6:15 pm**
- **CHILDREN'S GATHERING:** Level 1: **Fri. Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 or 6:15 pm**

*I followed Jesus this week by...*

Helping my mom with our garden. *Thomas K.*

Praying for my sick cousin. *Emily D.*

Taking care of my friend when he was hurt. *Dylan B.*

Helping my mother with the groceries because she hurt her back. *Gabrielle M.*

Helping at my school library. *Ashley B.*

Playing with a friend who was alone. *Ariel P.*

Thanking God for my parents because they helped me with my homework and they love me. *Shawn M.*

I ♥ Jesus. *Justice*

\*\*\* Please note that the Faith First office is closed Mondays and Fridays \*\*\*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FAITH FIRST CHILDREN:** All parishioners are invited to pick out the name of a Faith First child from the basket near the holy water font. The basket contains the names of *all* 622 children enrolled in our Faith First program this year. Pick a name (or two!) and pray for that child throughout the year. Thank you & God bless.

**VOCATION VIEWS REFLECTION:** The Lord is the shepherd who calls. Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

**Reading I: Isaiah 25:6-10a (The Feast of the Lord)**

**Reading II: Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 (Strengthened by God)**

**Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14 (The Parable of the Wedding Feast)**

**Adults:** What "garment" do I need to clean or iron this week to better prepare to participate in the banquet of God, the Eucharist?

**Children:** How do I prepare myself for the Sunday Mass?

**ARE YOU BETWEEN THE AGES OF 12-15?** Do you like free pizza, having fun, and meeting new people who also come to Becket? Come join us after the 11:00 Mass in Cahill Hall on Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> for our very first Youth Group get together. Please give us a call to let us know you are coming since we don't want to run out of pizza! Alexander Kovac 514-624-0908, Damian Rivera 514-696-9432, Nicolas Weller 514-696-4167.

**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 donation of \$20.00. 514-626-4111.

**Week of Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>: Special Intention.**

**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS – OCT. 11<sup>TH</sup> TO OCT. 19<sup>TH</sup>**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 11</b>	<b>28<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
4:30 pm	Terry Laporte	her family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 12</b>	
9:00 am	Dusan Medvescek	his wife and family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>October 13</b>	Canorient
7:15 pm	Alichia Vanderlowen	Christian Association
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>October 14</b>	Audrey & Ernie
8:30 am	Terry Laporte	Cassidy
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>October 15</b>	
8:30 am	Mark Julius Coelho	Pat & Donny Coelho
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>October 16</b>	
8:30 am	Myrna Ray	Rina Reda
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>October 17</b>	
8:30 am	Lola Hunt	Pat & Bill
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 18</b>	<b>29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
4:30 pm	Violet Vautier	Mercedes Mateo
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 19</b>	
9:00 am	Thanksgiving Mass	C. & M. Marolly & family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	

Weekday Readings for October 13<sup>th</sup> to October 17<sup>th</sup>:

<b>Monday Oct. 13</b>	Gal 4: 22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1	Lk 11: 29-39
<b>Tuesday Oct. 14</b>	Gal 5: 1-6	Lk 11: 37-41
<b>Wednesday Oct. 15</b>	Gal 5: 18-25	Lk 11: 42-46
<b>Thursday Oct. 16</b>	Eph 1: 3-10	Lk 11: 47-54
<b>Friday Oct. 17</b>	Eph 1: 11-14	Lk 12: 1-7

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL AGM AND ELECTIONS** will be held on **October 19<sup>th</sup> after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.** The Pastoral Council plays a consultative role and functions as an advisory board to the Pastor to help him identify aspects of parish life that need attention (worship, education, evangelization, stewardship, etc.) The Pastoral Council seeks to follow and be guided by our mission: “*Reaching out to build a loving community of faith*”. We pray and work together to discern the will of God on how best to serve the parish. Elected PPC members serve three-year terms. Three positions must be filled at the AGM on **October 19<sup>th</sup>**. The nomination period is now closed and we thank all candidates who have put forward their names. A list of candidates has been posted on the church doors and bulletin boards. All parishioners are encouraged join us October 19<sup>th</sup> for the AGM and election. See you there.

**BECKET PANTRY NEEDS:** Tuna, soup, fruit, cookies, juice, jam, jello, crackers, cookies, sugar (2kg) laundry detergent, toilet tissue, brown paper bags  
Thank you for checking expiration dates on all donations.

## BECKET HAPPENINGS AT A GLANCE

Mon.	Oct. 13	Parish office closed ~ Happy Thanksgiving! ~	
Wed.	Oct. 15	F.F. Gathering Levels 2&3	4:30 pm
		Q&A with Fr. Rob – <i>all welcome</i>	5pm
Sun.	Oct. 19	Pastoral Council AGM & elections	12:30 pm
Wed.	Oct. 22	F.F. Gathering - First Communion	4:30 or 6:15 pm
Fri.	Oct. 24	F.F. Gathering – Level 1	4:30 or 6:15 pm
Sat.	Oct. 25	Halloween Party	6:00 pm



### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - OCTOBER 19<sup>TH</sup> Next

weekend we celebrate World Mission Sunday. The Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith invites Roman Catholics throughout the world to offer prayers and financial support for the missionary work of the Catholic Church. World Mission Sunday (Evangelization of the Nations) is celebrated in every parish in the world! Your offering is not a secondary collection. *It is the unique and only collection next Sunday.* It belongs to the 1100 poorest dioceses of the world that are under the direct responsibility of the Congregation for the evangelization of the people and, consequently, of the Pontifical Missionary Societies. When all these generousities are gathered for the purpose of sharing, some marvels are being accomplished. Thousands of missionaries dedicate their lives to spreading the Gospel in a world where millions have yet to hear the Good News, and where the Church often faces serious threats from materialism, other religious groups, and hostile regimes. As their main luggage, carrying the Word of God, thousands of catechists go and evangelize throughout the world. Bibles are translated into different languages, chapels and churches are being built. Money collected on World Mission Sunday goes towards helping 83,000 priests, 455,000 religious and 1,700,000 catechists, Your donations also support 194,855 schools, 5,246 hospitals, 17,530 dispensaries, 577 leprosy centres, and 80,560 social and charitable institutions. Thank you for your prayers and support.

**THE “ANGELS OF MERCY”** are once again in need of **winter only** clothing for homeless **men**. Blankets, sleeping bags, coats, sweaters, hats, mitts and socks **ONLY** please. Parishioners wishing to donate new or gently used items can do so after all masses on **October 19<sup>th</sup>, October 26<sup>th</sup>, and November 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Please drop them in the box in the church hall marked “Angels of Mercy”. Thank you for your generosity.

### BECKET’S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PASTA NIGHT POSTPONED:

Due to unforeseen circumstances, Becket’s Knights of Columbus must reschedule the Pasta Night they had planned to host. Please see future bulletins for more information.



**BECKET HALLOWEEN PARTY - OCTOBER 25<sup>TH</sup>:** All are invited to join us for spooktacular potluck Halloween party on **Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm**. Entrance fee: one pot-luck dish + \$5.00 per family. We will provide bread, butter, coffee, tea & juice boxes. Games and prizes for the best costumes!

**BECKET’S ANNUAL PARISH BAZAAR** will take place **Saturday November 15<sup>th</sup>, from 9 am to 4 pm and Sunday November 16<sup>th</sup> after Masses**. Come buy books, games, toys, kitchenware, etc. etc. and enjoy a bite at our bake table. Donors may bring articles to the parish hall beginning Wed. Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>. *Please - no major appliances, clothing or shoes.* Thank you! Info: Maggie: 514-626-2015, or Norman Wight: 514-630-5602.

**Happy 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary St. Thomas à Becket  
Parish for Saturday, October 11!**

