

*I am
the Bread
of Life*

John 6:35



*Nineteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

August 12, 2012

Weekday Masses:

August 13 no Mass; Aug. 14, 15, 16, 17: 8:30 a.m.

Please note that there will be no Monday evening Masses at Becket during the month of August.

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: AUG. 11 TO AUG. 19

Saturday	Aug. 11	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Chris Kolodnicki	Mike & Rina Callard	
Sunday	Aug. 12		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Luciano Della Rocca & Dorotea Marcario	Rina Della Rocca	
Mon.	Aug. 13	~ NO MASS ~	
Tues.	Aug. 14		
8:30 am	Dr. Leonara Espiritu	Gina & Darroch Robertson	
Wed.	Aug. 15		
8:30 am	Robert Clark Sr.	The Emblem family	
Thursday	Aug. 16		
8:30 am	Robert Clark Sr.	The Demers family	
Friday	Aug. 17		
8:30 am	Antonio Di Grappa	Maria Caputo	
Saturday	Aug. 18	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Luis Alberto Rivera	Rivera family	
Sunday	Aug. 19		
9:00 am	Ida Ramchandran	the family	
11:00 am	Our parishioners		

Weekday Readings:

Mon. Aug. 13	Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c	Mt 17:22-27
Tues. Aug. 14	Ez 2:8-3:4	Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wed. Aug. 15	Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab 1 Cor 15:20-27	Lk 1:39-56
Thurs. Aug. 16	Ez 12: 1-12	Mt 18:21-19:1
Fri. Aug. 17	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63	Mt 19:3-12

SANCTUARY LAMP: Week of Aug. 12: Luis Alberto Rivera requested by the Rivera family.

VOCATIONS REFLECTION: Jesus is the Bread of Life. Our world still hungers. Who will feed the multitude? Consider a life of ministry, or encourage others to do so. Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348. vocationsmtl@diocesemontreal.org

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

(Bread of Life)

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8 (Arise and Eat)

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:30—5:2 (Love like Christ)

Gospel: John 6:41-51 (The Living Bread)

Adults: How am I transformed each time that I receive the Eucharist?

Children: How do I want to be changed by the Eucharist?



FAITH FIRST REGISTRATION for 2012-2013 continues online for new and returning families. Online payment via credit card is offered this year. To register please go to www.stthomasabecket.org Click on Faith First on the menu, then click the link for online registration. Please note that there will be a late fee of \$25.00 for registrations completed after June 24. For more information please call 514-620-4057.



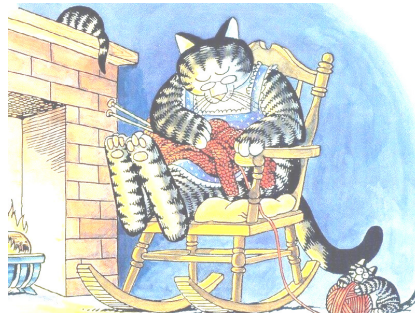
BOOK YOUR PARISH ACTIVITIES NOW! All

parish groups, councils, committees, organizations, choirs, clubs, and ministry

leaders are invited to come to the office to book your activities for the church and Cahill hall. Bookings are made in the master schedule binder and later transferred to the parish web calendar. Please make sure to check your bookings on the parish web calendar at www.stthomasabecket.org in early autumn to ensure all your dates and times are correct. For parish hall (the

big hall) bookings, please contact our Hall Rental Warden, Brian Raymond at 514-992-1059.

KNITPICKERS UPDATE: July 13, 2012 was the Becket Knitpickers' first meeting and what a turnout it was! 10 people came together from our parish and from as far away as St Lazare and Lachute! To make things even better, all of us agreed to meet monthly from now on, as we concentrate on providing our community with much-appreciated chemo-caps, lap blankets and prayer shawls! Many thanks to Susan Leonhardt and Diana David for their generous donations of wool and yarn in support of our efforts in bringing comfort and warm thoughts to those in hospitals and senior residences. Remember that no experience is



necessary – there are plenty of seasoned knitters and crocheters who are more than happy to teach this art. It is my hope that many more members will join after the summer, so that meetings will take place in the Parish Hall rather than Cahill (but then I always think big!) Many thanks to all who have committed to this outreach – we promise to keep everyone in stitches Next meeting is August 17th at 1:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

~ Elizabeth Barroso

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS:

OFFERINGS:

JULY 15/16	\$ 4834.00
JULY 21/22	\$ 4587.00
JULY 28/29	\$ 5163.00
AUG. 04/05	\$ 4864.00



There are now 18 million people in West Africa who are facing food shortages and malnutrition. Development and Peace launched a public appeal in early May to raise funds to respond to this growing crisis. This appeal is being supported by the Catholic bishops of Canada, who are organizing collections in dioceses across the country. Development and Peace is working with local partners of the Caritas Internationalis network, a federation of 165 Catholic development and relief organizations around the world, to put these projects in place. Development and Peace is encouraging the public to continue to donate to its appeal in order to not only support more relief efforts, but to also contribute towards programs to help rebuild communities and allow people to regain their livelihoods. Donations to Development and Peace can be made online at www.devp.org/donate, by telephone (1 888 664-3387), or by cheque made out to Development and Peace (please indicate West Africa – Hunger Crisis) and sending it to:

Development and Peace
1425 René-Lévesque Blvd West, 3rd Floor
Montreal QC H3G 1T7

N.B. From August 7 to September 30, the Canadian Government will match your donation.



A+ SQUARES DANCE CLUB Building a loving community of exercise, friendship and joy for the young at heart. Come try it out. The place where mistakes turn into fun and laughter. Thursday afternoons from 2:30-4:00. No prior square dancing experience required. All welcome! Vita at 514-694-1118.

A yellow flyer with a black border. At the top left, it says 'ARRIVEDERCI BBQ FOR FR. ROB' in bold black letters. To the right is an illustration of a charcoal grill with a flame. Below that, it says 'AUGUST 18 5:30 p.m.' in white. At the bottom, it says 'Fr. Rob will be going to Rome to study for two years. Please join us for a farewell BBQ and thank him for his six years of ministry at Becket.' followed by 'TICKETS: \$5.00 PER PERSON. CHILDREN UNDER 3 FREE. B.Y.O. Beverage' and 'RSVP Rina: 514-695-6995'. At the very bottom, it says 'ST. THOMAS À BECKET PARISH'.