

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 18, 2013



Weekday Mass Schedule:

Mass is celebrated at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday to Friday

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: AUGUST 17 TO AUGUST 25

Saturday	Aug. 17	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 pm	Richard Findlay	Wendy Findlay
Sunday	Aug. 18	
9:00 am	Our Parishioners	
11:00 am	Terry De Wolfe	Mack & Weller families
Monday	Aug. 19	
	No Mass	
Tues.	Aug. 20	
8:30 am	Mattieu Frenette	Kathleen, Tom & family
Wed.	Aug. 21	
8:30 am	Margaret Morin	Gain family
Thurs.	Aug. 22	
8:30 am	Mme Mariette Daviault	Gerry & Audrey Poisson
Friday	Aug. 23	
8:30 am	Hilda & Walter Endacott	Bruno & Margaret Seguin
Saturday	Aug. 24	Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 pm	Maureen Scott	Larry & Joyce Fairholm
Sunday	Aug. 25	
9:00 am	Gerses Makhlof	Mary Makhlof & children
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	

Weekday Readings

Mon Aug.19	Jgs 2: 11-19	Mt 19: 16-22
Tues. Aug.20	Jgs 6: 11-24a	Mt 19: 23-30
Wed. Aug.21	Jgs 9: 6-15	Mt 20: 1-16
Thurs. Aug.22	Jgs 11: 29-39a	Mt 22: 1-14
Fri. Aug.23	Ru 1: 1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22	Mt 22: 34-40

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Week of Aug. 18: Mary Deyninger requested by Sylvia Thaemlitz.

VOCATIONS REFLECTION: Following Jesus sometimes means being rejected by others. Speak an encouraging word this week to someone you know who is trying to follow Jesus through the fire. Say a prayer for those who are discerning a call to priesthood or religious life.

Diocesan Vocations Office: 514-925-4348. vocationsmtl@diocesemontreal.org

TWEET! TWEET!

Follow us on Twitter @stthomasabecket and find out soon why we need LAFs.

For Faith First families: @BecketFF for reminders, news and information about upcoming events and activities.



QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Reading I: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10 (The Rescue of Jeremiah)

Reading II: Hebrews 12:1-4 (Persevere in Running the Race)

Luke 12: 49-53 (Peace or Division)

Adult: When has your taking a strong stand on a moral issue created division rather than healing in the short term?

Child: Is it important to do the right thing even if others are angry as a result? Why or why not?

BECKET PANTRY NEEDS: Stew, tinned fruit, crackers, jello, pudding, tomato juice, cookies, jam, fruit juice, toilet tissue, shampoo. (Only the above items please.)

WORK WANTED: Father of four (including newborn twins) living in Pierrefonds is looking for work - background in inspection and maintenance of machines, industrial and residential cleaning. Please contact the parish office for more information 514-626-4111.

VIA CON DIOS FAREWELL PARTY FOR FR. MICHAEL AUGUST 31, 12 NOON

Tickets for Fr. Michael's farewell BBQ are sold out!

All are welcome to join us
for our dunk the pastor
fundraiser!

2:00 to 3:30 pm
\$2 per ball or 3 for \$5



THANK YOU DEACON RICHARD

After 17 years of service Deacon Richard Boileau has decided to take some time away from active ministry at St. Thomas à Becket. We are very grateful to Deacon Richard for his dedication and commitment and wish him all the best in the future. On a personal note, I will sorely miss his inspiring homilies, which were assiduously well thought out and always spiritually nourishing. I was blessed to serve with him and I thank him for his insight and assistance during my four years here.

~ Fr. Michael Leclerc

PASTORAL HOME CARE VISITOR BASIC FORMATION:

Six Thursday afternoons Sept 12, 19, 26 Oct. 3, 10, 17, 1:00 to 4:00 pm at the Archdiocese of Montreal 2000 Sherbrooke W. Rm 125. This six session formation program will focus on skill development for pastoral accompaniment of the sick and elderly in their own homes. Formation is offered free of charge. Facilitator: Cathie Macaulay To register: 514-925-4354.

PASTORAL HOME CARE RETREAT:

Being a Contemplative in Action in Our Busy World. Facilitator: Sr. Elizabeth Purcell fma, **Friday Sept. 20 9:30 am to 3:00 pm** at St. John Fisher Parish. Coffee and conversation beginning at 9:00 am. To register contact Wendy De Souza 514-931-7311 ext 249 or wdesouza@diocesedemontreal.org or Cathie Macaulay at 514-925-4354 cmacaulay@diocesedemontreal.org

FUNDRAISER FOR LAC MEGANTIC, AUGUST 25

In collaboration with Hurley's Irish Pub, Montreal's Celtic community is holding a benefit fundraiser for the victims of the Lac Megantic rail disaster.

Join us for a fantastic afternoon and evening of traditional music, including:

The Pipes & Drums of The Black Watch (RHR) of Canada

The Black Watch Association Pipes & Drums

Agincourt

The Bernadette Short Irish Dancers

The Montreal Highland Dancing Association

Jeremy Tétrault-Farber (Uilleann Pipes)

Lisa Forget

PLUS: 4 time North American Solo Piping Champion

MICHAEL GREY (Great Highland Bagpipes)

And other very special guests!!

August 25, 3:00 pm at St. Gabriel's Church 2157 rue Centre

Montreal, 514-937-3597. Tickets \$20.00. Like us on

Facebook at SOS Celtique Lac-Megantic.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS:

August 10/11

Offerings: \$ 3959.00

Helping Others: \$ 2365.

SACRED HEART OPEN HOUSE SEPTEMBER 28

Is there a young girl close to you who is interested in a Sacred Heart education?

You are warmly invited to bring her to visit the school on September 28 for Open

House. Join us at 12:30 pm - Meet new friends and come see your future school!

Parents and students can tour the school with teachers and staff available to

answer your questions. We will be featuring new technology (e-beam) and our

Parents Guild will have snacks for everyone. Info: www.sacredheart.qc.ca or call

514-937-2845. Follow us on Face book and on Twitter @TheSHSM

BECKET ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR

The Parish Council is organising an Arts and Crafts Fair to be held

here at Becket on October 19 and 20. Anything created by the

exhibitor, him or herself, can be entered. A modest charge will be

made for small or large tables, and the proceeds from any sale remains

with the exhibitor. Please join us and show off your talents or those of

anyone you know. For more information please call

Darroch 514-626-3648, Dawn 514-694-2984 or Rina 514-695-6995.

Reservations will close on September 30.

