

February 16, 2014

The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Do not think that I came
to destroy the Law
or the Prophets.

I did not come
to destroy
But to fulfill.

Matthew 5:17-19



Weekday Mass Schedule:

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

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: FEBRUARY 15 TO FEBRUARY 23

Saturday	Feb. 15	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners		
Sunday	Feb. 16		
9:00 am	Marshal De Souza		Atwell DeSouza & family
11:00 am	Michelina & Andrea Passucci		family
Monday	Feb. 17		
	Rachelle & Luigi Bastone		family
Tues.	Feb. 18		
8:30 am	Carmen Tait		Lise Emsley
Wed.	Feb. 19		
8:30 am	Catherine Tilli		Mary Tilli
Thurs.	Feb. 20		
8:30 am	Etel Varga Radich		Angelo & Rita Lodico
Friday	Feb. 21		
8:30 am	Carman Davidson		The Quebec Society for Disabled Children
Saturday	Feb. 22	Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4:30 pm	Angelo Lodico		family
Sunday	Feb. 23		
9:00 am	Our Parishioners		
11:00 am	Marcel Gagné		Raschella family

Weekday Readings

Mon	Feb. 17	Jas 1:1-11	Mk 8: 11-13
Tues.	Feb. 18	Jas 1: 12-18	Mk 8: 14-21
Wed.	Feb. 19	Jas 1:19-27	Mk 8: 22-26
Thurs.	Feb. 20	Jas 2:1-9	Mk 8: 27-33
Fri.	Feb. 21	Jas 2: 14-24, 26	Mk 8:34-9:1

LAST CHANCE MASS To better serve our Catholic community in Montreal, Mass is celebrated every Sunday evening at 8 pm at Our Lady of Fatima Parish, 875 Marcel-Laurin Blvd, St-Laurent throughout the pastoral year. Presided by Bishop Tom Dowd. This is a perfect opportunity for those coming home from cottages on the weekend, as well as students or others who may have to work on Sundays to attend Mass.

SANCTUARY LAMP: Week of February 09: Frank Duquet, requested by Ailsa Lee Loy.

BECKET PANTRY NEEDS: Thank you for your donations! Drivers and packers are always needed. Call 514-626-4111.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FEB. 01/02

Offerings: \$ 4643.00
Helping Others: \$ 2902.00

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

First Reading: Sirach 15:15-29 (Trust in God)
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:6-10 (God's Wisdom)
Gospel: Matthew 5:17-37 (I have come to Fulfill)

Adults: When in your life have you been able to keep the spirit as well as the letter of God's Law?

Children: When have you taken the first step to make up with someone?

FAITH FIRST NEWS

UPCOMING GATHERINGS:

Level 4 (SP4) Gathering #2: **Thursday, Feb. 20:**

Eucharist Gathering #6: **Wednesday, March 5:**

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS 7:30PM ONLY in the church
(no book verification)**

All SP-Levels Gathering #3: **Wednesday, March 5:**

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS 7:30PM ONLY in the church
(no book verification)**

High School Eucharist Gathering: **Sunday, Feb. 23, 12:45pm**

High School Confirmation Gathering: **March 9, 12:45pm**

Following are some reflections that the children shared with us over the holidays:

I was a disciple of Christ when I...

When I went to church. *Dylan M.*

Helped others to listen to Christ. *Richard E.*

Helped my parents prepare the table. *Anna Maria DiPrimo*

I helped my friend when she got bullied. *Emily B.*

Forgave others. *Bruno C.*

pray *Nikko D.*

when I helped set the table. *Giordano S.*

I helped my baby sister. *Luigi F.*

Was nice to the world. *Tianna P.*

BECKET'S ALTAR GUILD will meet after morning Mass on March 10th in Cahill Hall.



A CELTIC CONCERT BY SERAPHINA: Join us on **Saturday, March 15 at 3:00 p.m.** for a celtic concert featuring Susan Toman, celtic harpist and harpsichordist, along with Dawn Bailey, soprano.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children and are available through the parish office. Visit www.ensembleseraphina.com

LORD, GRANT MERCY AND LASTING PEACE to those who have died recently, and strength and comfort to those who mourn them:

Edward King; Frank Fratino; Edwin George Zentner, father of Cathy Zentner; Paula Correa, aunt of Maria Purisima.

BECKET SENIORS will meet on **Thursday, February 20 at 1:30 p.m.** in the parish hall. All parishioners aged 50 years and over are welcome to join the Becket Seniors.

CONSIDER YOURSELF INVITED: The Knights of Columbus need practicing Catholic men, 18 years + to join our council and help support our parish and Corporal Works of Mercy. Please give serious consideration to joining our team of men and attend our information recruiting session on **Sunday February 23 after the 11 am Mass.** Contact Deputy Grand Knight Guy Taillon at guy@remaxteam.ca or Grand Knight Lorne Flavelle at 514-620-1156 for further information.

A MESSAGE FROM PAROISSE SAINTE-AGNÈS, LAC-MÉGANTIC

(translated from French) The year 2013 has been overwhelming for the people of Lac-Mégantic. The tragedy of July 6th broke lives, families, places of work, the local environment, and homes... Throughout our grieving, which has not yet ended, there has been a tremendous outpouring of solidarity. All the support that we have received has been a great comfort to us.

The parishioners of Sainte-Agnès join me in expressing much gratitude for your support through your financial assistance, letters of comfort and encouragement, and prayers. You have demonstrated to us that love always triumphs, even in the most difficult circumstances. Through your solidarity and friendship we have often recognized Christ resurrected.

Although the effects of this summer's tragedy are still being felt, the Christian community of Sainte-Agnès must continue its mission of accompanying and ministering to those in need. We continue to count on your prayerful support. May God bless you and keep you in His Peace.

Yours in faith, hope and charity,

Steve Lemay, prêtre curé

YOUTH ZONE:

MINI STICKS HOCKEY TOURNAMENT: FEB 23, 1-3 PM: Becket's youth don't only kneel in when they are in church. Play mini sticks with us! For ages 7-12. Sign up on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

JOIN OUR CO-ED INTRAMURAL SOCCER TEAM!

We need youth between the ages of 12-16 to join the BECKET BOMBERS. Email us youth@becket.ca. Come join in the fun.

CAMPUS ALPHA: Where do you go to ask your big questions? Campus Alpha is a seven week course starting February 16 for youth 18+. We meet for dinner and conversation every Sunday evening from 6:30-8:30 in the parish hall. Contact Lucie: 514-626-4111 ext 223 youth@becket.ca

****CHECK OUT OUR YOUTH ZONE AT THE PARISH WEBSITE****

www.becket.ca

LIFE AND FAITH SESSIONS

Does God Tweet?

Join us for this informative talk offered by Bishop Tom Dowd.
Tues., Feb. 18 at 7:00pm

Spiritual Simplicity

A fun and engaging first of 5 DVD presentations by Chip Ingram
led by John Bondyra
Wed., Feb. 19th at 7:00pm

Angels, Our Invisible Friends

Presented by Margaret Million
Thurs., Feb. 20, 5-6pm repeated at 6:45-7:45pm.

Details about these and many other LAFs can be found at: www.becket.ca
submenu Adult Faith Enrichment. Come join for some LAFs! All welcome.

THE FECU: Fr. David is inviting you to a Pasta Luncheon Fundraiser on **Sunday February 23, at 12:15 p.m.** in St. John Fisher Parish Hall. All proceeds will help to provide high school education to underprivileged children in Uganda. The ticket is \$30.00 for adults, \$8.00 for youth 7-15 year old, and free for children under 7. For more info and tickets, please call Fr. David, at 514-426-5593; cell. 514-213-5778.