

Fourth & Fifth Sundays of Easter

May 8 & May 15, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: MAY 7 TO MAY 22

(L) indicates living intention

Saturday	May 7	
4:30 pm	Gabriela Giovanni Ambrosio	The Family
Sunday	May 8	Fourth Sunday of Easter
9:00 am	Our Parishioners	
11:00 am	Stanley Szuszkowski	Linda & family
Monday	May 9	
8:30 am	Mark Julius Coelho and Julius Coelho	Pat & Donny
Tuesday	May 10	
8:30 am	Luigi Trozzo & Rosina Gaudio	
Wednesday	May 11	
8:30 am	Anna & Tony	The Family
Thursday	May 12	
8:30 am	Antonio Annoia	The St. Anthony Association
Friday	May 13	
8:30 am	James & Jennifer Peloso (L)	Michael Gund
Saturday	May 14	
4:30 pm	Our Parishioners	
Sunday	May 15	Fifth Sunday of Easter
9:00 am	Stylianos & Calliopi Constantinos	Steven
11:00 am	The deceased members of the Villegas & Panambo families	
Monday	May 16	
8:30 am	The Trozzo Family	Maria Caputo
Tuesday	May 17	
8:30 am	Pedro Sampana	Lucy & Ryan
Wednesday	May 18	
8:30 am	Patti McCrory (L)	McCrory family
Thursday	May 19	
8:30 am	Joan	The Family
Friday	May 20	
8:30 am	Maddalena Nitti Saluzzi	Mary Saluzzi & family
Saturday	May 21	
4:30 pm	Mario Iannuzzi	Rosemary & Joe Furino
Sunday	May 22	Sixth Sunday of Easter
9:00 am	Anna Maria Kapozi	Alex & family
11:00 am	Our Parishioners	

SANCTUARY LAMP (Week)

May 8: Caterina Vacante Calsi, requested by Antonietta & Salvatore Pulizzi

May 15: Mario Iannuzzi, requested by Rosemary & Joe Furino

May 22: Maria Coelho Ribeiro-Amorin, requested by Mary & Victor

May 29 Sylvia Pallotta, requested by Anna Donald

COME AND SEE (Jn.1, 39)

For men interested in learning more about the Permanent Diaconate
May 24 and June 29
Saint Martin Parish, 4080 boul. Saint Martin O. Laval
Info Michel Poirier: MPoirier@diocesemontreal.org



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

Teresa Rivas-Herrera, mother of Teresa Serna.

Alfredo Alfonso, husband of Rebecca, father of Gretchen.

Blessed are those who have died in the Lord; let them rest from their labours for their good deeds go with them. Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

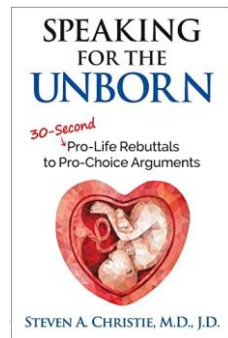
DIAPER & WIPES DRIVE



The Catholic Women's League of St. Thomas à Becket is collecting diapers (Newborn, 3, 4 & 5) & baby wipes (unscented or sensitive skin) for young women who have found themselves unexpectedly pregnant and are raising their babies in a fragile socio-economic situation. You can leave your contribution on the table in the parish hall. Cash donations are

welcome and should be put in an envelope clearly marked "CWL/Options" and left in the donation box just inside the entrance of the church. Cheques should be made out to "Centre Options". Please contact Paula Young for more information (514) 697-2050.

WORTHWHILE READING



Speaking for the Unborn: 30-Second Pro-Life Rebuttals to Pro-Choice Arguments by Steven A. Christie.

The Pro-Life cause is a winning one, and Pro-Life advocates must be able to articulate our powerful and persuasive reasons to anyone who asks. *Speaking for the Unborn: 30-Second Pro-Life Rebuttals to Pro-Choice Arguments* is designed to make sure Pro-Life advocates are fully prepared for this great challenge. It presents the best rebuttals to every Pro-Choice argument made in support of abortion—rebuttals based on science, the law, reason, social justice and morality. This handbook (and its companion

website, SpeakingForTheUnborn.org) is all you will ever need to powerfully and persuasively speak up for those who have no voice of their own. Dr. Steven Christie is a physician specializing in oncologic radiology and body imaging. He is also an attorney and member of the Florida Bar. Aside from his medical and legal work, Dr. Christie also lectures regularly on Catholic social issues, particularly marriage, family, and the dignity of life. He and his wife, Dr. Grazie Christie, live in the Miami area and are the proud parents of five children.

"I warmly recommend *Speaking for the Unborn* to anyone who is involved in the Pro-Life fight. In a concise, persuasive, and rational way, it counters all of the standard Pro-Choice arguments. It will prove enormously helpful in addressing the most pressing moral issue of our time." (Bishop Robert Barron)

SAINT CHARLES DE FOUCAULD



On Sunday, May 15, in Rome, Brother Charles of Jesus will be canonized. He was born in 1858. He served as a French Army officer in Algeria from 1881, and prepared a historic mapping of oases in Morocco, winning a Geographic Society gold medal, and living a dissolute life. He describes the beginnings of a desperate search: "I began to go to church, without believing, finding myself well only there and passing long hours repeating this strange prayer: 'My God, if you exist, make me know you.'" In 1886 he underwent a religious conversion, and

within a few years joined a Trappist monastery, but found the life too easy, and so left to become a hermit in Palestine. In 1901 he was ordained a priest and went to Algeria, where he eventually settled at Tamanrasset and there lived the life of a missionary priest, but he was not able to attract even one permanent follower due to the rigor of his way of life. He was killed in an anti-French uprising on December 1, 1916. Within 20 years, inspired by his life, groups of dedicated Christians were formed in Algeria known as the Little Brothers of Jesus and the Little Sisters of Jesus. They supported themselves by doing the same work as their neighbours, and made no explicit attempt to convert them or to debate them, but simply to live among them as Christians. Today there are 11 religious congregations and 8 associations of spiritual life inspired by Fr. Charles. Some of our Montreal priests belong to the Jesus Caritas Fraternity, a spiritual brotherhood that gathers monthly to pray before the Blessed Sacrament and to encourage each other in their priesthood and ministry. Saint Charles was an apparent failure during his lifetime, but yielded a great harvest after his death. To learn more about him, visit www.charlesdefoucauld.org

Prayer of Abandonment of Saint Charles de Foucauld

Father, I abandon myself into your hands; do with me what you will.

Whatever you may do, I thank you. I am ready for all, I accept all.

Let only your will be done in me, and in all your creatures.

I wish no more than this, O Lord.

Into your hands I commend my soul; I offer it to you with all the love of my heart, for I love you, Lord, and so need to give myself,

to surrender myself into your hands, without reserve,

and with boundless confidence, for you are my Father.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

April 24: Offerings: \$ 4,868.00 Building Fund: \$1,150.00

May 1: Offerings: \$ 4,853.00

Upcoming special collections – May 22: Papal Charities

May 29: Building Fund



SYMPHOLIES VOCALES
présente

Vivaldi Gloria Le Printemps

St Thomas à Becket Parish
May 29, 2022
3 PM

Tickets:
514-903-2601

Presale: \$30
At the door \$35
6-12 yrs: \$10
6 yrs and under free

PARISH INFORMATION

All telephone numbers are in the 514-area code unless otherwise indicated.

PARISH WARDENS

The Fabrique of the parish administers all parish properties and assets, and consists of the Pastor and six wardens elected by parishioners at an Annual General Meeting.

Janet Arts (2024)	620-6643	Cindy Finn	(2024)	624-0546
Peter Cook (2022)	620-2019	Michelle Figueredo	(2023)	694-8879
Norman Cousineau (2023)	624-8753	Michael Sciotto	(2022)	626-9550

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Guild:	Anna Donald	620-2258
Altar Servers:	Fr. Peter Sabbath	626-4111
Baptism Preparation Team:	Parish Office	626-4111
Children's Liturgy	Parish Office	626-4111
Eucharistic Ministry Coordinator:	Rosemarie Della Rocca	620-1930
Greeters:	Norma Cook	620-2019
Ushers:	Joe Ojeda	941-7914
Lectors:	Tobias Koikaran	693-5514
Liturgy Team:	Rosemarie Della Rocca	620-1930
Head Sacristan:	Anna Donald	620-2258
Music Ministry Coordinator:	Lino Viegas	626-0750
Choir Director	Brendan Kelly	944-7220

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Sycamore	Elsa Rivera	626-4111 Ext. 222.
Angels of Mercy	Sarah Sajedi	827-6408
Catholic Women's League:	Catherine Lee Jude	463-5991
Couples for Christ:	Francis & Aurora Apgao	630-6586
Healing Ministry	Elsa Rivera	626-4111 Ext. 222
Helping Others/Community Outreach:	Parish Office	626-4111
Knights of Columbus:	Joe Ojeda	941-7914
Marriage Course:	John & Nathalie Bondyra	695-7896
Pastoral Home Care:	Ailsa Lee Loy	626-7265
Prayer Line:	Christine Charron	694-3958
Social Club:	Rina Callard	695-6995

RESOURCES AND SERVICES

A.A.	376-9230
Al-Anon (Families of Alcoholics)	866-9803
Archdiocese, Marriage Tribunal, English Pastoral Services	931-7311
Episcopal Vicar - Fr. Raymond Lafontaine	931-7311
Quebec Life Coalition: Pregnant? Worried?	344-2686
Tel Aide (listening line)	935-1101
Violence S.O.S. Hotline	1-800-363-9010
West Island Women's Shelter	620-4845

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Confession) before all Masses or by request.

Anointing of the Sick: upon request

Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration: First Friday of the month

Benediction: Fridays after morning Mass

Baptism: Please contact the office.

Marriage: Please contact the office well in advance.

Vocations: Please contact Fr. Peter Sabbath or Fr. Tibu Fernandez

R.C.I.A.: Fr. Peter Sabbath