

February 28, 2010 Second Sunday in Lent

Saturday, February 27	5:00 p.m.	Samy and Maher Sydhom by the Bishara Family
Sunday, February 28	9:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
	11:00 a.m.	Catherine and David Herron by Brenda Demers
Monday, March 1	9:00 a.m.	Maurice Delorme by the Delorme Family
Tuesday, March 2	9:00 a.m.	Pauline Coss by Her Daughter Patricia
Wednesday, March 3	9:00 a.m.	Charles McHale by the McHale Family
Thursday, March 4	9:00 a.m.	Nicola and Irma D'Alessandro by Mary and Piero
Friday, March 5	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday, March 6	5:00 p.m.	Frank Sanders by Victor and Louise Daigle
Sunday, March 7	9:00 a.m.	Carmen Turnbull by Her Son Richard
	11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish

The offerings made in support of the Parish last weekend amounted to \$3,203.80. Thank you for your continued support.

Lent is a time for fasting but also a season for joyous feasting! During Lent, the Church calls on us to fast from certain things and feast on others such as:

Fast from judging others ... feast on Christ dwelling in them.

Fast from thoughts of illness ... feast on God's healing power.

Fast from words that pollute ... feast on phrases that purify.

Fast from discontent ... feast on gratitude.

Fast from anger ... feast on patience.

Fast from pessimism ... feast on optimism.

Fast from worry ... feast on divine order.

Fast from complaining ... feast on appreciation.

Fast from bitterness ... feast on forgiveness.

Fast from self-concern ... feast on compassion for others.

Fast from suspicion ... feast on trust.

Fast from discouragement ... feast on hope.

Fast from facts that depress ... feast on truths that up-lift.

Fast from thoughts that weaken ... feast on promises that inspire.

Fast from shadows of sorrow ... feast on sunlight of serenity.

Fast from idle gossip ... feast on purposeful silence.

Vocation Angel

The following parishioners will be taking home the Vocation Angel and Prayer Card for the coming week:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass*

The Page Family

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Mass*

The Marsolais Family

Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass

The Kimora Family

Daily Reflections for Lent

Daily reflections for Lent will be sold for \$2.00
after all weekend Masses or weekdays at the Rectory office.

Let Us Pray for Those Who Are Sick

Those in need of our prayers: Brock Barrett, Kevin Batty, Theresa Beaver, Margaret Chappell, Monica Connor, Adam Coules, H el ene Daoust, Alban deSouza, Christopher Elliot, Joan Farley, Laly Fernando, David Ferraro, Harry Fischer, Father Donald Flynn, Nicholas & Steve Francis, Barbara Friemann, Gabrielle, Duilio Guaiani, Sheena Hinch, Therese Le Blanc, Pauline Lalancette, Frances Lalonde, Little Lenny, Frank Mancuso, Rafael Manrique, Michael Manuk, John Masella, Dan McColgan, Cathy McDonald, Daniel Mitchell, Margaret and Jean Morgan, Hugh Morrison, Elizabeth O'Brien-Walker, Kathleen O'Conner, Julie Ouelette, Sheila O'Shaughnessy, Margaret Poulin, Ethel Salvador, Linda and Mike Shovlain, Ross Smith, Suzanne Timm, Robert Ward.

Development and Peace Share Lent Campaign

This year the theme of Development and Peace is *Food Sovereignty, the right of small-scale farmers to provide food for their families*. To help bring this theme to fruition, Development and Peace follows two courses of action. The first being the Fall postcard campaign requesting the Prime Minister to raise the question of Food Sovereignty at the up-coming G8 meeting. The second is financially supporting small-scale farmers in countries such as Haiti, Indonesia, Madagascar and Sudan. This Lent let us partner with Development and Peace to work for the Reign of God. Read the Development and Peace material available at the back of the church.

Helping Others Collection for March

The *Helping Others Collection* next weekend will be for Development and Peace in order to continue their vital work. Development and Peace is counting on our continuing support. Please make Development and Peace a priority this Lenten season.

Friends of Kinkora Benefit Concert

There will be a concert benefiting Diocesan Camping Association camps, (Youth in Action, Diocesan Family Camp, Diocesan Liturgy Camp, Visions) featuring Kinkora alumni Shayne Murphy, Nathan Aswell, and the Kinkora Youth Choir on *Saturday, March 20*, held at the Eric McLean Auditorium, Loyola High School. Tickets are \$5.00 or 5/\$20.00. You will be eligible to win the grand door prize - four round-trip Air Canada tickets to anywhere in Canada or the U.S. (except Hawaii). For information, please call Christina Forest at 514-630-6661. Tickets are on sale after all Masses this weekend.

Income tax receipts for 2009 donations are available in the sacristy.

What's Going on in March

Cubs	Parish Hall	Mondays	6:30 p.m.
Coffee Klatch	Parish Hall	Tuesdays	9:30 a.m.
H.O.P.E.	Parish Hall	Thursdays	10:00 a.m.
Al-Anon	Beverley Rm.	Thursdays	8:00 p.m.
Knights of Columbus	Beverley Rm.	Wednesday March 3	7:30 p.m.
Baptism Meeting / Parents	Rectory	Wednesday, March 10	7:30 p.m.
Faith First Reconciliation Retreat	Parish Hall	Saturday, March 13	1:00 p.m.
Extreme Youth	Parish Hall	Saturday, March 20	7:00 p.m.
Faith First - Retreat Level V1	Parish Hall	Saturday, March 21	1:00 p.m.
Sacrament of Baptism	Church	Sunday, March 21	2:00 p.m.

Catholic Retreat for Youth Next Weekend

A Challenge Weekend is a retreat that offers all youth (18-25) a chance to learn more about Christ and themselves. If you are interested in exploring the Catholic faith with an open mind, whether you are a participating believer or seldom go to church, Challenge will provide you with an opportunity to learn, to share, and to grow in faith. The weekend retreat is this coming Friday, March 5 at 7:00 p.m. to Sunday at 5:00 p.m. For more information, please go to www.challenge.adventures.org, or call Aaron at 514-265-1718, e-mail: mtlchallenge@hotmail.com. We can support those on the Challenge Weekend with our prayers. There are sign-up sheets at the back of the church and in the chapel if you would like to offer a particular hour of prayer for our youth.

Faith First News

The Level 2 Reconciliation Retreat on Saturday, March 13 has been moved from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. so that Father Tom can join us.

Please take note of the time change. Thank you.



Rosary For Teenagers and Young Adults

We are all invited to join a new group meeting each Monday, 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel to pray for teenagers and young adults. Fellowship follows in the Beverley Room. For more information, please contact Teresa at 697-3006.

Queen of Angels Academy in Dorval

Are you looking for a great high school for your daughter or granddaughter? QAA offers outstanding academics, a caring environment, energetic teachers and award-winning activities. For application information, call 636-0900 ext. 268. Spring Open House will be held on March 31 from 3:00 - 8:00 p.m.

World Day of Prayer

This Friday, at 1:30 p.m. at the Anglican Church of the Resurrection.

The theme is from Cameroon, Africa.

For more information, call 683-5341.