

***Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time***  
***Why Worry?***

Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup> For All Parishioners

Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> Deceased members of the Lemay family

***Faith First Questions of the Week***

**Adults:** What signs can I recognize in my family, work, or world which point to God's care for me?

**Children:** Who loves me deeply? What does that love tell about God's love for me?

***Week of Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> Anna Lowe *requested by the Cera-Emard family*

Tuesday, March 8<sup>st</sup> Deceased members of the Makoukji family

**Parish News:** Annual Voluntary Collection 2011 total:  
**\$5693** (17% of our budget).



All parishioners and any visitors are reminded that there is a wooden box marked for any donations (including Annual Voluntary Contributions) located on the back table every Sunday and that envelopes are available to use to ensure tax receipts. New parishioners can leave their contact information to join the parish list.

**Exodus to the Burning Bush** – We invite you to come to an evening of reflection during Lent, on Wednesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm. at St. Mary's Parish, 125 Grove, Greenfield Park (corner Miller and Grove) ... **a reflection on the Exodus through images and narration.**

**St. Raymond's Parish Fundraiser** Celebrate the beginning of spring by dancing the night away to the sounds of the St. Raymond Band. Members of our talented choir will provide the entertainment at this parish fundraiser on Saturday March 26, 2011 at the Centre Romeo V. Patenaude. Doors open at 8:00 PM, a cash bar is available and light refreshments will be provided. Tickets are \$15.00 for adults, \$ 10.00 for students and can be purchased after mass or by contacting Andrea at 514 778 1989.



**2011 World Day of Prayer** bilingual ecumenical celebration will be held **March 4<sup>th</sup> at 3 Halifax, Candiatic** starting at **6:30 pm** with a light supper. This year's service was prepared by women of Chile: "*How Many Loaves Have you?*" All are welcome to attend. For more information contact the parish office.

**CALLING ALL YOUTH:** On **Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>**, there will be a National Evangelization Team (NET) retreat at St. Thomas a Becket parish located at 4320 Ste Anne St., Pierrefonds. NET is a group of Catholic young adults, from all over Canada, who travel the country doing retreats in a very dynamic and youthful way. The retreat will take place from 1:00 – 9:30 pm, which includes supper and Mass. There is a cost of \$10.00 per participant to help cover expenses and supper. For more info or to register, please email Corey Jolly: [youthministry@stthomasabecket.org](mailto:youthministry@stthomasabecket.org)

**St. Patrick's Day Card and Games Party:** St. Francis of Assisi's annual St. Patrick's Day Card and Games Party will be held on **Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup>**, at **12:00 noon at 844 Notre Dame, St. Lambert**. Lunch will be served and the cost is \$10.00 per person. For tickets and information, please call Ellen Howlett at 450-671-5319.

**St. Mary's Annual St. Patrick's Dinner Dance**

St. Mary's, 125 Grove, Greenfield Park will be having their annual St. Patrick's dinner dance on **March 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm**. Tickets are \$15. For more information, please contact the parish office at 450-671-0416.

**ST. PATRICK'S DINNER DANCE** The Good Shepherd Catholic Community is celebrating the return of its annual St. Patrick's Dinner Dance on **Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 pm to 1:00 am at the Brossard Socio-Cultural Center, 7905 San Francisco, Brossard. Tickets are \$25 per person. Music by Greg Innis. Dinner will be served at 7:30 pm. Door Prizes. Call the parish office to reserve your ticket(s) at 450-676-7577.

**ECUMENICAL LENTEN LUNCHEs: in St. Lambert**

12:00 pm to 1:30 pm. \$7.00 donation or more....

(soup, bread, cheese, light dessert, tea & coffee) Simple, healthy and eco-friendly!

**All proceeds to benefit Third World Relief Organizations or charity**

- March 16<sup>th</sup> St. Andrew's Presbyterian Birch/Green
- March 23<sup>rd</sup> St. Francis of Assisi Catholic 844 Notre Dame
- March 30<sup>th</sup> St. Lambert United Mercille/Desaulniers
- April 6<sup>th</sup> Paroisse St. Lambert Catholique 41 Lorne
- April 13<sup>th</sup> St. Barnabas Anglican 95 Lorne

**ECUMENICAL LENTEN LUNCHEs: in St. Bruno**

11:30 am to 1:30 pm. \$5.00 donation (homemade soup, roll, cheese, sweets)

**All proceeds to benefit Third World Relief Organization**

**St. Augustine's: Development and Peace**

- March 2<sup>nd</sup> (pre-Lent) – Paroisse St. Bruno – 1668 Montarville, St. Bruno
- March 16<sup>th</sup> St. Augustine – 105 de Cherbourg, St. Bruno
- March 23<sup>rd</sup> Mount Bruno United – 25 Lakeview, St. Bruno
- April 6<sup>th</sup> Trinity Anglican - 105 de Cherbourg, St. Bruno

**In the Footsteps of St. Paul:** Fr. John Torrance will be guiding a pilgrimage to Turkey, visiting many places that were significant in the life St. Paul such as, Tarsus, his birthplace, Ephesus, and other places. The pilgrimage leaves on **Saturday, October 8th and returns Friday, October 21, 2011.** The cost is \$3,390.00 (based on 2 people per room). If you have any interest whatsoever, please contact Fr. John at, 450-671-0416. Showing interest at this time does not mean you have to make a commitment.

**FundScrip** is a Canadian fundraising program that asks supporters to pay for their everyday purchases (i.e., groceries, gas, gifts and household items) with gift cards bought through the FundScrip program. A percentage of the gift cards is donated back to St. Raymond! This month's total is **\$98.01**. See Brian in the foyer for more information.

**Top 4 Reasons to Support Fundscrip:**

1. You don't have to change your buying habits or buy things you don't need
2. No out-of-pocket donations
3. Continuous contributions
4. Your everyday purchases add up to make a difference very quickly