

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 24, 2021

The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad indeed.— *Psalm 126:3*

RECOGNIZING JESUS

The star of today's Gospel is a panhandler. Bartimaeus is blind, yes, but he is probably also homeless and filthy, a real nuisance to respectable citizens. Even so, it is Bartimaeus who recognizes Jesus as the Messiah, places all his faith in him, throws aside everything he has (his cloak), begs him for mercy, receives new vision, and follows Jesus on the way to suffering and death in Jerusalem. How desperate will we have to get before we can do the same? Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will lead the people to brooks of water, on a level road, so that none shall stumble (Jeremiah 31:7-9).

Psalm — The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy (Psalm 126).

Second Reading — It was not Christ who glorified himself, but rather the one who said to him: You are my son: this day I have begotten you (Hebrews 5:1-6).

Gospel — Immediately the blind man received his sight and followed Jesus on the way (Mark 10:46-52).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21;

Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21 Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-6; Lk 13:22-30 Thursday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16 Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk

14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-

13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-

28; Mk 12:28b-34

The Sacrament of Penance & Reconciliation is celebrated by making an appointment in the parish office.

The Sound of Communion

The priest receives Holy Communion, and then there is movement, a bustle of activity, as we prepare to join the Communion procession. This holy meal does not happen in silence! Instead, we sing together even as we rise and move forward in procession to the altar. We must change and move to receive the Eucharist, and fittingly so, since the Eucharist is transformative—it demands action of us, internal as well as external. We do not receive the sacrament in silence, but with a dialogue that is also a profession of faith: "The Body of Christ." "Amen." "The Blood of Christ." "Amen." We acknowledge the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist with our "Amen" of faith, but more, our "Amen" is also a prayer that we may become what we receive, the Body of Christ, living and active in the world. We receive him not that he may become a part of us, but that we may become a part of him—part, too, of all the others who receive him, the whole communion of believers. @ J. S. Paluch Co.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK - MISAS DE LA SEMANA Saturday

4:30pm: Jack & Theresa Goncalves+ **6:30pm**/*Spanish*: Theodore Espinoza+

Sunday

8:00am: Alicia Andes+, Allen Spannuth+, Charles Cabral+, Senon & Maria Franco+, All deceased members of the Daughters of Isabella+

10:00am: Tony Mello+, Bill Griffin+, Rosa Silveira+, Manuel de Sousa+, Michael Areia+

11:30am/Spanish: All Souls+

Weekday

9:00am/(M): All Souls+ 9:00am/(T): All Souls+ 9:00am/(W): All Souls+

9:00pm/(Thurs): Benjamin Aquino Sr.+

9:00am/(F): Martin & Paula Pfyl+, Jean Schrift+

"National Vocation Awareness Week will be celebrated in our country November 7-13, 2021. Please ask Our Lord for more dedicated, holy priests, deacons, and consecrated men and women. May they be inspired by Jesus Christ, supported by our faith community, and respond generously to God's gift of vocation."

POSSIBILITIES

All things are possible for one who believes, more to one who hopes, even more to one who loves.—St. Lawrence

New Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:30pm/English 6:30pm/Spanish

Sunday

8:00 & 10:00am/English

11:30am/Spanish

All Saints ~ November 1st.

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00AM & 5:45PM, in English and 7:00PM, in Spanish.

All Souls Day ~ November 2nd.

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00AM & 5:45PM, in English and 7:00PM, in Spanish. A book bearing the names of our beloved dead will be placed on the altar and remain there the entire month of November. To include the names of relatives and friends who have died, please write names on All Souls envelopes provided in the vestibule. You may turn them into the office or in the collection baskets during the offertory.

Parish Gift Shop
We have seasonal
bookmarks for Fall and
pumpkin Prayer
Decorating Craft for kids!
The Gift Shop offers a
large selection of wall
crucifixes and crosses,
religious auto accessories,
holy cards, baptism gifts,
statues, many different rose



holy cards, baptism gifts, statues, many different rosaries, children's books, prayer books, bibles, religious jewelry, medals, holy water fonts, and lots more! Look for our Christmas gift items coming out each week!

This weekend is <u>World Mission Sunday</u>, a day for Catholics worldwide to recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice. The Catholic Church's Missions are growing as new dioceses are formed, new seminaries are opened, and as areas devastated by war, natural disaster, or political suppression are rebuilt. Approximately 1,150 mission dioceses receive regular annual assistance from funds collected through this special appeal.

Trigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 24 de octubre de 2021

Estábamos alegres, pues ha hecho grandes cosas por su pueblo el Señor. — *Salmo 126 (125):3*

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — ¡Vitoreen con alegría! Yavé ha salvado a su pueblo, al resto de Israel. He llegado a ser un padre para Israel (Jeremías 31:7-9).

Salmo — Grandes cosas has hecho por nosotros, Señor (Salmo 126 [125]).

Segunda lectura — Cristo no se atribuyó la dignidad de sumo sacerdote, sino que se la otorgó aquel que dice: "Tú eres mi Hijo, te he dado vida hoy mismo" (Hebreos 5:1-6).

Evangelio — Jesús le concede la vista a Bartimeo cuando con gran fe le suplica: "Maestro, que vea" (Marcos 10:46-52).

RECONOCE A JESÚS

El actor estelar del Evangelio de hoy es un mendigo. Bartimeo es ciego, sí, pero es probable que también fuera alguien sin hogar y estuviera sucio, una verdadera molestia para los ciudadanos respetables. Aún así, Bartimeo es quien reconoce a Jesús como el Mesías, pone toda su fe en él, deja a un lado todo lo que tenía (su capa), le ruega que tenga compasión de él, recibe una nueva visión, y sigue a Jesús en el camino del sufrimiento y muerte en Jerusalén. ¿Qué desesperados tenemos que estar antes de que podamos hacer lo mismo?copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Rom 8:12-17; Sal 68 (67):2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-

21; Lc 13:10-17

Martes: Rom 8:18-25; Sal 126 (125):1b-6; Lc

13:18-21

Miércoles: Rom 8:26-30; Sal 13 (12):4-6; Lc 13:22-30 Jueves: Ef 2:19-22; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Lc 6:12-16

Viernes:Rom 9:1-5; Sal 147:12-15, 19-20; Lc 14:1-6

Sábado: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Sal 94 (93):12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lc 14:1, 7-11

Domingo: Dt 6:2-6; Sal 18 (17):2-4, 47, 51; Heb

7:23-28; Mc 12:28b-34



Noviembre es un mes para recordar a nuestros **Fieles Difuntos** y para enseñarles a nuestros niños acerca de nuestros antepasados. Por favor anoten los nombres de sus seres queridos en los sobres disponibles en las mesas del vestíbulo para que de ahí los anotemos en un libro que estará en el Tabernáculo el Dia de los Muertos y el Padre Miguel orará por ellos. Pueden dejar sus sobres en las canastas de las colectas en las misas o en la oficina de la iglesia cuando esté abierta antes del 2 de noviembre.