



Ordinary Time

October 18, 2015 ♦ Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday

OCTOBER 19

*Sts. John de Brébeuf
and Isaac Jogues,
Priests, and Companions,
Martyrs*

Rom 4:20–25

Lk 12:13–21

Tuesday

OCTOBER 20

Weekday

Rom 5:12, 15b,

17–19, 20b–21

Lk 12:35–38

Wednesday

OCTOBER 21

Weekday

Rom 6:12–18

Lk 12:39–48

Thursday

OCTOBER 22

Weekday

Rom 6:19–23

Lk 12:49–53

Friday

OCTOBER 23

Weekday

Rom 7:18–25a

Lk 12:54–59

Saturday

OCTOBER 24

Weekday

Rom 8:1–11

Lk 13:1–9

Sunday

OCTOBER 25

*Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

Jer 31:7–9

Heb 5:1–6

Mk 10:46–52



We might forgive James and John for their ambition. They had, after all, been with Jesus since the beginning. They had seen him heal the ill, cast out demons, and preach about repentance for the forgiveness of sins. Surely Jesus had a power that no one else had. And surely he would give it away to those who asked for it. James and John make a mistake. They thought power and greatness have to do with position.

We are so like them. We often think that people are great if they have abundant wealth or prestigious titles. We consider them powerful if they have higher or several degrees or if the world judges them to be attractive. And the world tells us this is so. But Jesus has a different message. Greatness has nothing to do with wealth or education. Sitting at the right and left hand of Jesus does not depend on appearance, position, or accomplishments. Rather, greatness comes from being willing to empty yourself for the sake of others. Our power lies in being the least among our neighbors.

Jesus challenges us in this reading. He dares us to let go of our ideas of greatness and to become servants of all. He invites us to “do the lesser things” with no strings attached or expectation of reward. (The word “ministry” comes from the Latin *minus/minor* and Greek *meion*, meaning “less, smaller.”) We must serve in love out of love for him. This week, look for little things you can do for others, giving thanks to God for this invitation.

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Today's Readings

Is 53:10–11

Heb 4:14–16

Mk 10:35–45

or 10:42–45

Salvadoran Archbishop Oscar Romero (pictured in this 1979 photo) was beatified in San Salvador May 23, and has become a symbol of Latin American church leaders' efforts to protect their flocks from the abuses of military dictatorships. (CNS photo/EPA)



29th Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 18, 2015



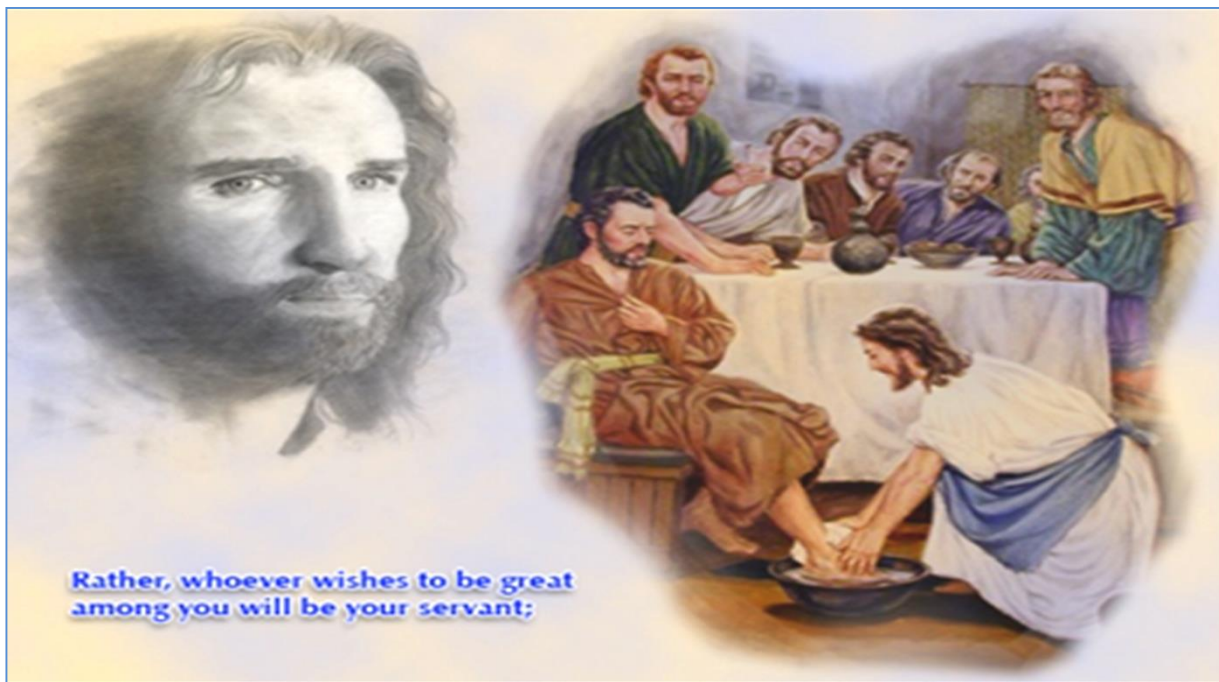
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Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant;

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Friday Adoration from 8:30 a.m.
to 9:30 a.m

SACRAMENT OF

RECONCILIATION

Both Before Mass and by Appointment.

Mass Schedule for this Week

Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule

Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family

St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat 5:00 pm Our Parish Family

Sun 9:00am +Harvis Cuevas

Mon 8:00 am spec int (Bootz)

Tues 8:00 am spec int (Betty Pierce)

Wed 6:00 pm Mr & Mrs J Pierce, II

Thu 8:00 am +Terry Cox

Fri 8:00 am spec int (Betty Pierce)

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Being the servant of all is addressed many times by Jesus in the gospels. This theme I find conflicting with many religious proclamations and views of our day. Phrases like the gospel of prosperity or wealth being a sign of God's blessing ring contrary to the message of Christ.

The Lord certainly desires our well-being and security in life but anything too excessive can become an obstacle to grace. Even being a servant to all can become an obstacle to grace.

St. Paul says that even if we possess the greatest gifts of the Spirit but do not have love we are a clanging gong and a noisy cymbal. Love is patient, love is kind, love does not hold grudges, love does not judge. Becoming the servant of all must be accomplished in and through Jesus Christ. It is through him that we receive the Love of God and are able to bear fruit in a service of love at home, in the workplace and throughout our community.

This weekend is **World Mission Sunday**. It's a day when Catholics worldwide recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice. There will be a special collection for the Propagation of the Faith that provides support for the Church's missionary work and ongoing monetary help for the pastoral and evangelizing programs in poor Dioceses of our world. Have a great week!

Have a great week! May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

Parish Council: Meet this Saturday Oct 17.

Church Cleaning: Thank you Beverly Saucier for cleaning the church. David and Joretta Bass will clean the church on Oct 25 and Nov 1. Please call Ellen West at 341-0279 to sign up.

This weekend is "**World Mission Sunday**." The offerings that will be collected are destined for a common fund of solidarity distributed in the Pope's name, by the Society for the Propagation of the Faith among the missions and missionaries of the world. Please give generously.

All Souls Novena

Especially in the month of November, the dead are remembered in prayer. We will have a Novena Mass at St. Ann and OLC to remember our loved ones. The Novena will begin on Nov 2nd and end on Nov 10th. Envelopes will be available in the vestibule of the church. ***Please print the names clearly*** so that we can record them in the *Frame for the Intention of the Dead* which will be placed at the foot of the altar during the Novena.

Garage Sale: this Saturday October 17. Please contact **Beverly and Loretta**. Thank you.

In observance of All Saints Day, Riemann Family Funeral Homes would like to offer **FREE** mums to be placed on your loved one's gravesites. They will be distributing them following the **9:00 pm** Mass on **October 25th at St Ann**. It will be first come, first serve, while supplies last.

Lizana Light Ministry

With Thanksgiving and Christmas quickly approaching, our Parish Charities office is anticipating the need for ***non perishable items*** (food that does not have to be refrigerated) to help make the holidays special for those in need. Please check the expiration date before you donate. We cannot accept food which has an expired date. ***We are asking for donations of the following items:*** *canned sweet potatoes, boxed or bagged stuffing or "dressing" mix, boxed cheesecake/cake mix, marshmallows, sugar, cake icing, canned pumpkin, canned gravy, instant potatoes, rolls and cookie mix.*

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat Oct 17 5pm	Paul McGill	Sharon Ladner, Richard Dunlap, Henrietta Ladner	Boots Moran Katie Ladner	Doug August	Lester Palmer Family
Oct 18 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Tery Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Oct 18 9am	Sharon Leimer	Kim Wood, Dale Babin, Carolyn Brewer	Keegan Rylie Rines	Robert Pat Leimer	Patricia Lizana
Sat Oct 24 5pm	Lisa Cuevas	Sharon Ladner, Ellen West, Lenell King	Boots Moran Katie Ladner	Doug Ira Necaise	Helen O'Neal & Gloria Armand
Oct 25 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Tery Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Oct 25 9am	Jason Necaise	Chantel Crabtree, Helena, Dale Babin	Keegan Rylie Rines	Robert Pat Leimer	Jason & Lisa Necaise Family

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:** 72 Identifiable:

\$1,212.00; Loose: \$1,286.00; Total: \$2,498.00;

Children: **\$28.00; Building Fund: \$180.00;**

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Identifiable: **\$345.00; Loose: \$133.00; Total:**

\$568.00. Building Fund: \$10.00.

****Amount needed weekly \$2,908.84.**

Thank you for your generosity.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION MARRIAGE

Church regulations require at least six months of preparation for a wedding. Our advice is to call well in advance of that time if you wish to reserve a wedding date and receive information: one's own parish clergy are expected to supervise your Catholic pre-nuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding ceremony.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Please keep the parish office informed so we may minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital, or in a nursing facility. For those wishing to receive the Eucharist contact the parish office, 832-2560.

Fr Pete's Memorial: If you have any question, please contact Douglas Ladner.

CYO: meet every other week on Sunday 6:00pm. You can visit St Ann CYO contact **Katelyn Moran** and **Danielle Ladner** or on the website www.facebook.com/stannsizanacyo.

CCD: If you have any questions, please contact Robert Lizana the DRE. Thank you.

Bible Study: We study **the Chosen** This is good for us who want to know more about our faith and when we ask to become the sponsor for Confirmandi. Please join us. Classes are on **Wed 6:30-8 pm, and on Thur from 9-10:30am at the office.** For more information, please contact **Ruth Schonewitz and Henrietta Ladner.**

RCIA: Please contact **Henrietta Ladner.**

Altar Society: meet **2nd Sunday.**

Knights of Columbus: If you have any question, please contact Thomas Moran.

MASS FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS: You can have Masses offered for the deceased as well as for living family and friends. Mass cards and envelopes are available at the office.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:

Leslie Cuevas, William DeMello, Dcn Jack Hunter, Lee James, Darlene Billingsley, Victoria Moran, Michael Gilbert, Jerry Malley, Vivian Clifford, Ezekiel Rutherford, Julia Perronne, John Moran, Jerry Rutland, Pat Leimer, Ricky Crabtree, Austin (Osborne), Carolyn Brewer, August Schonewitz, Elizabeth Necaise, Loretta Ladner, Regina Franke, Ina Brudes, Braxton Moran, and Betty Pierce.

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS † PLEASE FILL OUT A NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM AND SUBMIT TO PARISH OFFICE
FR. KHOA WOULD BE HAPPY TO VISIT WITH YOU AND HELP YOU ASSESS YOUR SPIRITUAL NEEDS.