

Calendar

Monday

OCTOBER 10

Weekday

Gal 4:22-24, 26-27

31-5:1

Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday

OCTOBER 11

Weekday

Gal 5:1-6

Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday

OCTOBER 12

Weekday

Gal 5:18-25

Lk 11:42-46

Thursday

OCTOBER 13

Weekday

Eph 1:1-10

Lk 11:47-54

Friday

OCTOBER 14

Weekday

Eph 1:11-14

Lk 12:1-7

Saturday

OCTOBER 15

St. Teresa of Jesus,

Virgin and

Doctor of the

Church

Eph 1:15-23

Lk 12:8-12

Sunday

OCTOBER 16

Twenty-ninth

Sunday in Ordinary

Time

Ex 17:8-13

2 Tm 3:14-4:2

Lk 18:1-8

Ordinary Time

October 9, 2016 ♦ Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

2 Kgs 5:14-17 ♦ 2 Tm 2:8-13 ♦ Lk 17:11-19

When my daughter was seven, she cut her thumb badly while trying to make a fruit salad. When she cried out for me, I quickly dressed her younger sister and we went to the hospital for stitches. She was in pain and crying when the doctor injected the anesthetic into the hand to numb the pain. With a firm, but quiet voice he looked at her and said, "Katy, does it still hurt?" She stopped all at once and said with a voice of wonder, "No." He proceeded to stitch up the thumb and congratulated her on being brave. She thanked him and then talked about him for the rest of the day. I still remember the surprised look when she finally realized her thumb no longer hurt. She didn't know that the anesthetic had taken effect because she expected to still be in pain.

The ten lepers who met Jesus knew they couldn't approach anyone and they had undoubtedly called out

to others to help them. When Jesus told them to show themselves to the priests, they went their way not expecting to be cured and still deep in their isolation. Some inner voice made one leper suddenly aware that he had been made clean. He stopped, full of wonder. The priest would still have to inspect him before he could return to his community, but his desire to look at Jesus one more time and give thanks for his mercy had to come first. We don't know what made him so mindful of his healing, but his response inspires us. How has Jesus touched and healed you? How will you thank him, and who will you tell?

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A Word From Pope Francis

"These things that Jesus did, healing, teaching and speaking out against hypocrisy, were only a sign of something greater that Jesus was doing: he was forgiving sins."

—Morning Meditation,
"The freedom of God's children," July 4, 2013



Twenty Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 09, 2016



St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

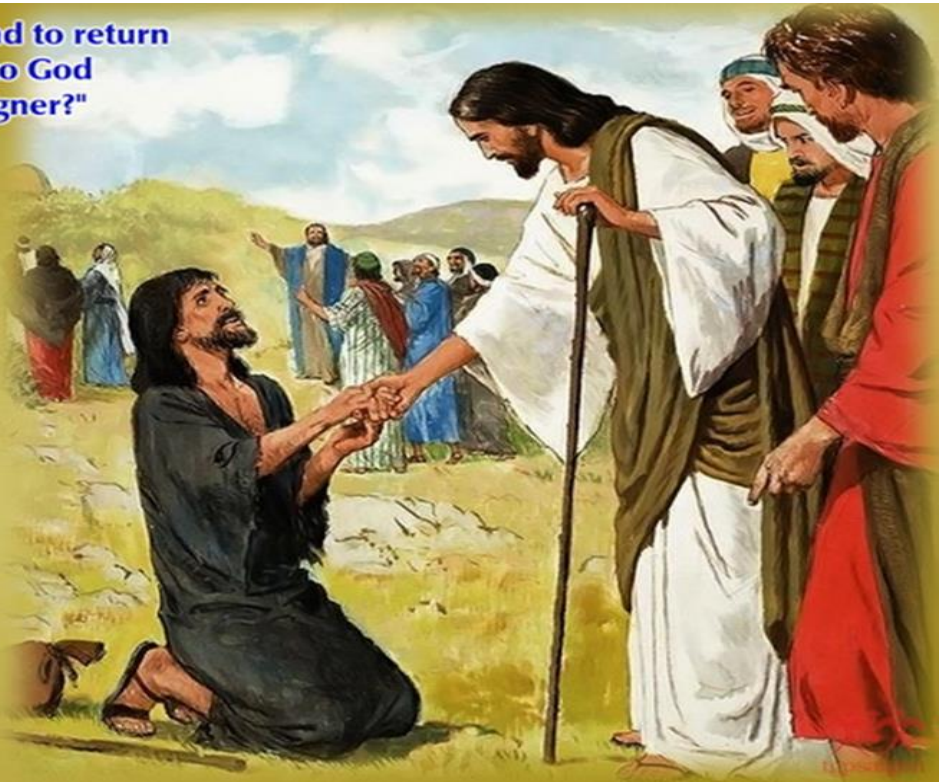
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**Was no one found to return
and give praise to God
except this foreigner?"**



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 +George Brignac
Sun 10am Our Parish Family

Mon 8 am +Gregory West
Tue 8 am +George Brignac
Wed 6pm benefactors
Thu 8am +Fr Pete
Fri 8am benefactors

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

"Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine?"

Jesus had worked a miracle of healing for ten people afflicted with leprosy. They had cried out for him to have pity on them, and he did. But only one member of this group took the time to return to Jesus, fall at his feet, and thank him. Why? Perhaps some were so busy rejoicing that they forgot to give thanks. Perhaps others thought they deserved to be healed and thus did not think in terms of gratitude for the miracle. Maybe some in the group weren't sure that the healing was going to last. Or, possibly, some of them were just selfish and lazy.

Whatever the case, Jesus affirms the one man who does the right thing: "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." Jesus thus establishes this Samaritan man as our example. We too are to glorify "God in a loud voice" for all that he has done for us. So, what exactly has God done for us? What are the miracles in our lives that we have failed to notice, to believe, or to appreciate? Undoubtedly the answers will be different for everyone, with one main exception: we are all called to give thanks for the gift of life, of course. This is the first miracle God worked on our behalf! Bringing us into existence to live and love is a gift we might tend to take for granted. But surely, we can be thankful for more. We would all do well to reflect on the multitude of God's gifts in our lives. Sometimes we have to pause long enough to think and recognize those things we should be grateful for. But a little effort in this regard is well worth it to avoid being like the

ungrateful lepers. Instead, may we be the ones who give thanks where thanks is due.

Gathering each Sunday for the celebration of the Eucharist with our fellow believers is a powerful and necessary way of saying "Thank you" to God. At the same time it is a call to each of us to reach out to others and help them to experience the healing compassion of God in their lives.

May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

Next 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.

Altar Society: meets this Sunday.

Parish Council: meet next Saturday.

Garage Sale: is Saturday October 15 from 7am to 7pm. Please contact **Beverly and **Loretta**. Thank you.**

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

Bible Study: We study **Gospel of Luke: the gospel of Mercy. Please join us. Classes are on **Tues at 9am and Wed at 6:30pm.** For more information, please contact **Ruth** and **Henrietta.****

Church Cleaning: Thank you the Knights of Columbus for cleaning the church on Sept 24 and Oct 2. Marlow and Valerie will clean the church on Oct 8 and 15. Thank you.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat Oct 08 5pm	Mike West	W C King, Lenell King, Doris Snowden	Austin Scarengoas	August, Doug	Helen O'Neal & Gloria Armand
Oct 09 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Oct 09 9am	Valerie Ladner	Marlow Ladner, Lester Palmer, Kim Wood	Conner Carson	Will Burke, Garland M.	Marie Nance
Sat Oct 15 5pm	Henrietta	Mike Mays , Diane Mays , Sharon Ladner	Austin Scarengoas	Doug David	Patricia Lizana
Oct 16 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Oct 16 9am	Kathyn Ladner	Robin Peterson , Susan Peleaz , Will Burke	Will Nick	Lester, Pat	Pat & Robin Peterson Family

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:**

57Identifiable: \$1,421.00; Loose: \$760.00;

Total: \$2,185.00; Children: \$19.00;

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**Identifiable: \$380.00; Loose: \$189.0; Total:
\$569.00**

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

Thank you for your generosity.

The Word Among Us Reflections for this month is available at the Church entrance.

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 info: one's own parish clergy are expected to supervise your Catholic prenuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding.

Bereavement Committee: Please contact **Sharon Leimer** at 539-9928. Lasagna, green salad, rolls, and deserts will be provided for the funeral reception upon request. Thank you.

CCD: Please contact Robert Lizana.

RCIA: For more info, please contact **Henrietta.**

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.

Catholic Students of our parish to receive subsidy are: Sarah Thomas, Kennedy + Car + Keegan Leverette, Jacob Estrada, Tucker + Ella Enroth, C. + C. + L Broom, Austin Scarengoas, Will Dreher, L & V Jeanfreau, and Nick Quintini. Please contact me this week if your children/grandchildren are not on the list.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:

Leslie Cuevas, William DeMello, Dcn Jack Hunter, Lee James, Darlene Billingsley, Victoria Moran, Jerry Malley, Vivian Clifford, Ezekiel Rutherford, John Moran, Jerry Rutland, Regina Franke, Dalwin Cuevas, Colby Cagle, Debbie Bowen, Larry Shruoff, Andrew Fillengame, Melissa Peterson, Madison Phelps, Breanna Ladner, Curtis (Cubby) Ladner, Gerald Barrilleaux, Hollis Moran, Robert Taylor.

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.