

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pray for our sick and shut in: Joseph Clark (healing), John Kinley, Betty, Bevonia, AJ Sneed (knee surgery/recovery), Madelyn Johnson (healing) and all others present and not present today. Please call/text Charo at 6013258853 with list of sick members by Thursday Weekly 6013258853.

The ANNUAL DOCESAN WEDING ANNIVERSARY MASS will take place on Sunday, November 3, 2019 at 2pm at the Nativity V.V.M. Cathedral. Couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70 years of marriage or more are welcome to attend. Registration forms are in the vestibule.

The Knights of Columbus Council 16763 will be selling ribeye plates on November 2, 2019 from 11:00am –4:00pm at the Parish Life Center at Holy Rosary, 900 Dabbs Street. Tickets are available.

Second collection on October 27, 2019 for CEMETARY PERPETUAL CARE. Please be prepared to give generously.

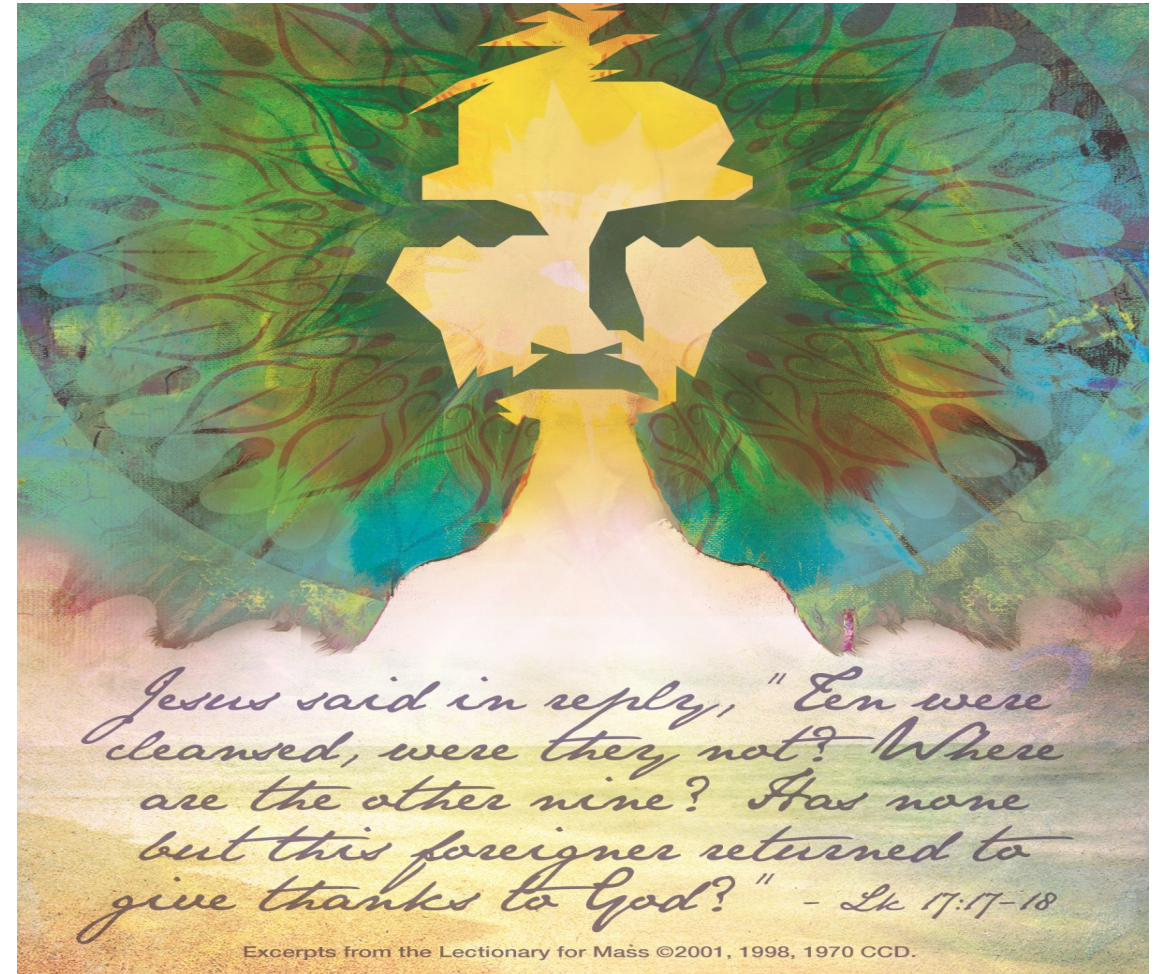
A NAMIWalk (5K) will be held on Saturday, October 26, at Kamper Park, at 10:00 a.m. To donate, or for more information, visit www.namiwalks.org

Fr. Alwin, Deacon Warren, Deacon Randy, Holy Rosary and Sacred Heart Parishioners extend their deepest sympathy to Fr. Ken and his family on the death of his uncle, Roland Landry, and his brother, Don Landry. May God's loving presence strengthen Fr. Ken and his family during this time of sorrow, and may they be consoled knowing that their loved ones are at peace.

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HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 13, 2019



What faith these lepers had-first in approaching Jesus, believing he could cure them and then obediently doing what he told them. A priest would have to declare them clean before they could reenter the Israelite community. Realizing that he had been healed, one returned to thank Jesus before going to the priest.

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Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

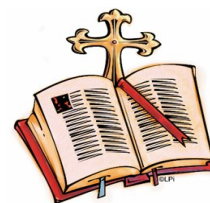
“Ten lepers met him. They stood at a distance ...” In the ancient world and into the Middle Ages, there was no treatment for leprosy. People thought it was wildly contagious and were suspicious of any skin diseases. Lepers were isolated from civil society. This isolation was upheld by the Mosaic Law. Should there be a healing from leprosy, the former leper was to present himself to a priest to certify the healing. Like Jesus commands, *“Show yourselves to the priests.”* The person would then undergo a religious rite to be formally reintroduced to society. In other words, a leper got their life back. So why didn’t they come back?

“As they were going they were cleansed. And one of them, realizing he had been healed, returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked him.” Of the ten lepers healed by Christ, only one returns with a grateful heart. The others, perhaps, were thankful enough. Perhaps they couldn’t believe their luck, and they hastened to the priests to confirm the healing. They were more than willing to leave their life of rejection and isolation behind. Why take any steps backward, when the way ahead was so attractive? An attitude like this is perhaps understandable, but few would admire it.

How about you? Do you come back? If you’ve ever had the experience of getting what you hoped and prayed for, you know that this can sometimes be easier said than done. When we’ve wanted something badly enough, how easy it can be to focus on the gift rather than the giver. The truth is, God is daily offering us gifts: the gift of our existence, of the created world, of family and friends, of modern conveniences. Even in times of distress, there is always something to be thankful for. This Sunday, give yourself a gratitude check. Count your blessings. Glorify God and thank Him for the gift of your life!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 13, 2019



Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/ Lk 11:29-32
 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [2a]/ Lk 11:37-41
 Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 [13b]/Lk 11:42-46
 Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab [7]/ Lk 11:47-

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Friday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9

Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43 [8a]/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [cf. 2]/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/
 Lk 18:1-8

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October 13, 2019
 Lois Doleac Grayson
 October 15, 2019
 Bert Spangler

Date	Commentator	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
October 13	Arissa	Adam	Nikki, Arthur
October 20	Charo	Shriley	
Alter Servers			
October 13		Adam, Raider	
October 20		AJ, Ameze	

