ST. ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Welcome home to St. Andrew 28th Sunday In Ordinary Time – Year C

The Healing Balm of a Grateful Heart

"Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" <u>Luke 17:17-18</u>

These words were spoken by Jesus after He healed ten lepers and only one of them, a foreigner, returned to Jesus to thank Him. Ten were healed physically of their leprosy but only one received a much deeper healing. Upon returning to Jesus with a grateful heart, Jesus said to this one leper, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you" (Luke 17:19).

Only this one leper, the one who returned with a grateful heart, heard our Lord speak these words: "Your faith has saved you." This reveals that gratitude to God is not only our duty, it also brings forth manifest blessings in our lives. When we sincerely offer thanks to God for all that He has done, we are manifesting great faith in God as a result. We are pointing to Him and His goodness as the source of our blessings and it takes faith to see this and to profess it.

What is it for which you need to grow in gratitude in your life? What is it that you may take for granted and have failed to properly return to God and thank Him for? The truth is that everything in life is a gift. Everything. Even the struggles you endure can be turned into blessings. In fact, that's exactly what happened in this story. The awful suffering of leprosy was turned into a grace from God.

Reflect, today, upon all that God has done for you. Pray that you will understand all of the countless ways that God graces your life. As you see them, ponder those blessings, count them and be grateful for them. And from that gratitude, return a joyful thanks to God. In that act, your faith will also save you.

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Parents/guardians who have children in Grade 7 or higher, and wish for them to receive the sacrament of Confirmation please come to the Parish Office to register with a copy of the child's Baptism certificate, registration form and fee.

Registration will continue until October 14th during office hours.

WEEKLY LITURGY ~ MASS INTENTIONS
† = For the soul of ♥ = Special Intention Saturday, Oct 8
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8:30 am - (<i>No Intention</i>)
10 am - Infants Baptism 5:30 pm - (<i>No Intention</i>)
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Sunday, Oct 9 - 28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C
3 am - † For the soul of Gudelia Arquelada and Thanksgiving
for Felipa Salanio, by Alon family 9:30 am - (<i>Ital Mass</i>)
11 am - For the people of the Parish
12:30pm -†Rosa Maria Peña & Oswaldo Rodolfo Ruiz,by family
2 pm - (<i>Twi Ghana</i>)
5:30 pm - (<i>Spn. Mass</i>)
Monday, Oct 10 - Thanksgiving - Holiday
8 am - (<i>No Intention</i>) 7 pm - No Mass
Tuesday, Oct 11 - St. John XXIII
8 am - (<i>No Intention</i>)
7 pm - (<i>No Intention</i>)
Wednesday, Oct 12
8 am - Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, by
Anthony and family
7 pm - (<i>No Intention</i>)
Thursday, Oct 13
8 am – Thanksgiving, by Sebastian family
7 pm - (<i>No Intention</i>)
Friday, Oct 14 - St. Callistus I
8 am - † Max Chavez (5yrs death anniversary), by family
7 pm - † Gina Giannitti, by son and family
Saturday, Oct 15 - St. Teresa of Jesus
8:30 am -† Albert Kunasurriar (1 month death anniversary),
by Sebastian family 5:30 pm - Thanksgiving for Fr. Peter for God's blessings and
guidance in his new mission, by Tony and Kathy Rea
Sunday, Oct 16 - 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C
B am - † Rodolfo Bernardo (2 yrs death anniv.) by family
9:30 am - (Ital Mass)
11 am - For the people of the Parish / Thanksgiving for Princess
Iregbeyen on her birthday, by family
12:30pm -† Marina Bautista, by Bautista & Cabuntasan families
2 pm - (<i>Twi Ghana</i>)
5:30 pm - (<i>Spn. Mass</i>)
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Thanksgiving
Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his

love endures forever. Psalm 107:1

INTENTIONS

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | OCT 9, 2022 | ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH



The 2022-2023 First Holy Communion program will be starting catechism classes, in order to prepare children for the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. Please register with the Church Office during operating hours or attend the registration nights during the following dates

- Tuesday, October 11th from 5:00pm to 7:00pm
- Wednesday, October 12th from 5:00pm to 7:00pm

We cordially invite you to register your child/children on Registration Night entering from the Parish Office to the St. Cecilia's Room.

For more information contact the church office or email standrewparish.fhc@gmail.com



Invites you to a Virtual Christian Life Program Starting: October 15, 2022 Time: 7:00 pm Zoom Link: 543 033 4361 Passcode: NYHOLD

Our Mission:

Personal transformation, evangelization especially for women into a renewed life in the LORD and wholehearted service to bring glad tidings to the poor.

For more information please call:

Elizabeth Belen: 416-564-8264 Leody Pontigon: 647-296-4540

Commemorative Catholic Register Magazine on the Papal Visit

The Catholic Register is producing a commemorative magazine for the recent papal visit. The 64-page full colour magazine, *From Penance to Progress*, features Rome-to-Canada-to-Rome coverage with original you-are-there photos and articles from the *Register* reporter who was embedded with Vatican media for the entire visit. In addition, it will offer reflections on what the visit accomplished and content "prompts" to help individuals, parish groups and schools think about and discuss the way forward for truth and reconciliation.

Because of extremely strong advertising support from organizations inside and outside the Archdiocese, the *Register* is able to provide copies to its paid subscribers – they do not need to pick up a copy at the parish.

Non-subscribers will be able to get single copies at the entrance of the church.



October 22-23, 2022 – is Bundle Up weekend in favour of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Please bring your gently used clothing, shoes, linen and household goods in the truck that will be parked in the Church parking lot: share what you can with those less fortunate.



Please be aware that we have received multiple reports of fraudulent emails targeting our parishes, parishioners and departments. The scammers are posing as priests, Cardinal Collins and in one case, a bishop. In some instances, they are asking that the recipient email back in order to discuss a favour. In other cases, they are asking for gift cards.

To protect against email scams, please change your email password regularly. If you receive a suspicious email from someone you know or someone who is requesting gift cards or money, please contact them on a trusted phone number to ensure they actually sent you the message. No one from the Archdiocese of Toronto will ask you for gift cards.

If the sender's information seems odd or if the message is out of character for the sender, do not reply to the message.

Please make MIS aware of any such email scams by contacting <u>helpdesk@archtoronto.org</u>.

St. Andrew's Parish Stewardship

Collection for Oct 2nd, 2022 Sunday Offertory \$7,684.00



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