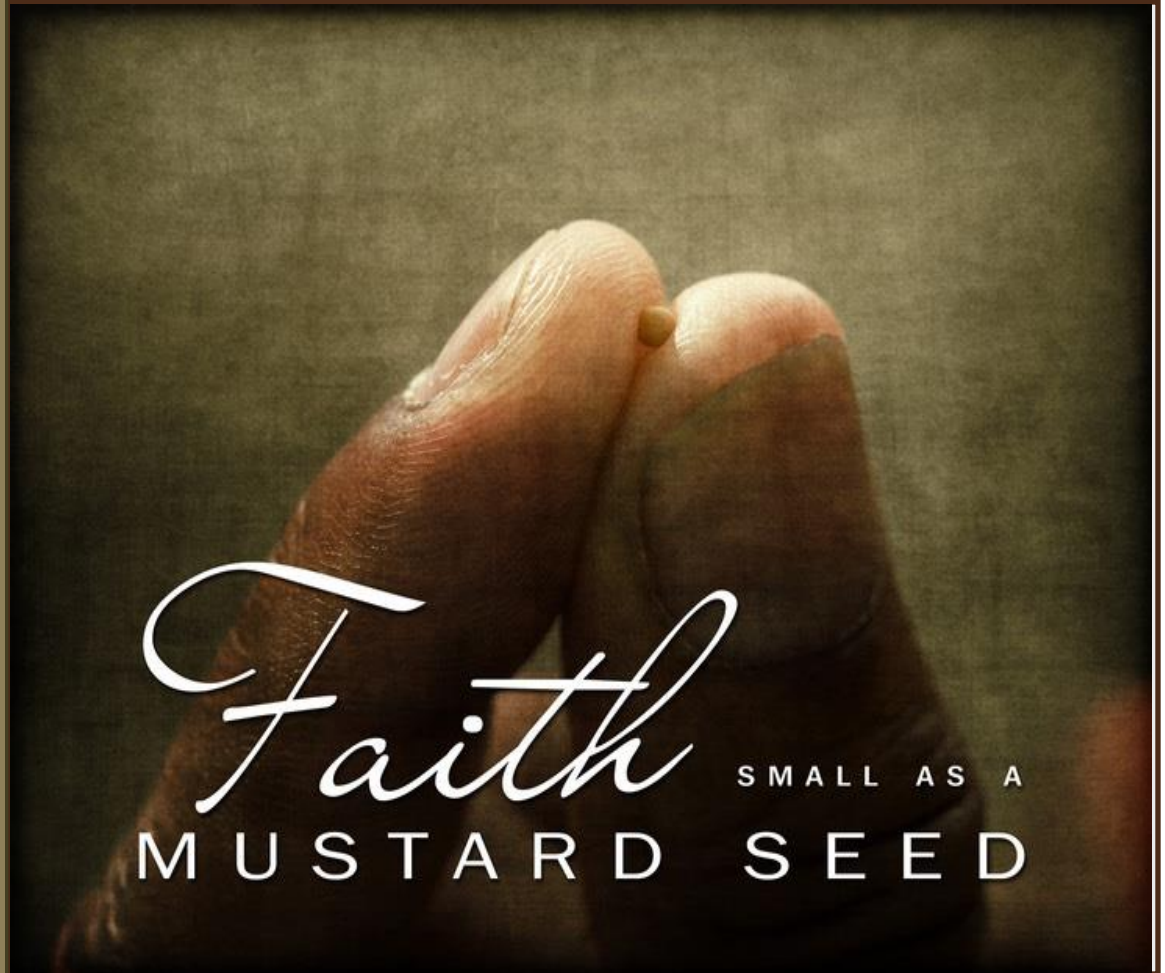




The Parish of Saints Philip and James
1 Carow Place, St. James, NY 11780
631-584-5454

October 6, 2019
Twenty-seventh Sunday
In Ordinary Time



"Increase Our FAITH"

Luke 17:5

"With Philip & James we pray to live lives worthy of the call to be
Apostles of Hope"

Daily Mass: 7:30am and 9:15 am
Saturday 5pm Sunday: 8am 10 am 12noon

STS. PHILIP & JAMES PASTORAL STAFF

Parish Center Phone: 631-584-5454 Parish Fax: 631-862-9675
Website—www.sspj.org

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Open Monday, Tuesday Wednesday 9am-8pm
Open Thursday 9am-5pm
Open Saturday 10am-2pm
Closed Friday and Sunday

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Stewardship, A Way of Life

*As we continue our journey, we share our "Time,
Talents and Treasures" with our family, friends, and
our parish community.*

*Thank you for your support of
Sts. Philip & James Parish*

Sacraments

Baptism— Celebrated twice per month. Parents are asked to register at the Pastoral Center for Pre-Baptism Program.

Marriage— Couples are asked to contact the Pastoral Center before visiting the reception hall. The Marriage Preparation process is nine months before your proposed wedding date.

Confirmation— Seventh and Eighth grade students are prepared to celebrate through Religious Ed or SSPJ School. Adults prepare through RCIA.


Reconciliation— Available Saturdays from 4:00pm-5:00pm in the Church or by contacting the Parish Center for an appointment.

Anointing of the Sick— In case of serious, unexpected illness, please contact the Parish Center office to arrange for a Priest to pray with the person who is ill. Anointing of the Sick is held on the first Sunday of the month following the 12:00mass please see the Sacristan before mass.

R.C.I.A.— Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (non-Catholic adults desiring to become Catholic) are asked to contact the Parish Center Office.

Eucharistic Adoration In The Church— Thursday 2-4pm
Friday 8-9pm

PLEASE REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVE FOR US IN YOUR PRAYERS



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Financial Support Needed weekly to meet Parish budget:

Weekly Collection: Sunday, September 29, 2019

Faith Direct:

\$12,047.

\$ 2,877.

\$21,000

Total Weekly Collection:

\$14,924.

****Figures posted in the 9/29/19 bulletin were for 9/22/19 not 9/15/19****

Thank you for your stewardship and contributions to our Parish

Father Tom's Letter

Dear Friends,

In today's gospel, the apostles ask Jesus to "increase our faith". Haven't you and I made the same request at times? And Jesus desires this increase in faith for each of us. How might it come about? In today's second reading, Paul encourages us to "stir into flame" God's gifts within us. Often what stirs the embers of our faith are "little things". We celebrated the feast of St. Therese last week and remembered her emphasis on "little things". Might we take some time this week to notice little things around and within us which touch our hearts and increase our faith? Perhaps in nature, or around the dinner table, or when waiting on line at the store, or..... a beautiful sky, a kind word, a compassionate gesture, a So many ways God assists us in increasing our faith!

This weekend we have the opportunity in so many ways to encourage our young ones who will again be bringing their reflections to Mass. Yes, some leave early; of course. Some come only because they have to come. True, some parents just drop off the children. Those are their choices. What about you and me? Remember that old bumper sticker: "you might be the only Bible someone reads today". Let's accept the invitation they present to us – to model a people enlivened by the Spirit, whose active participation signals we have a treasure here, in the Christ who calls us in "world filled with strife to be a prophetic sign of unity and concord."

Following upon that, the Children's Liturgy of the Word has been something that has been well received by our young ones. We've all seen the large number of children sent forth from both the Saturday 5 and Sunday 10. For us to continue this ministry, we need adult help. Adult chaperones are needed to help the children negotiate the stairs, and transition from listening to the reading and lesson downstairs, then moving to the gospel craft and finally making their way back upstairs to rejoin us. The commitment can be once a month, once a season., whatever time you can give. A large number of Apostles of Hope could easily make this gift to our children very doable. Please leave your name at the rectory as this Ministry will begin shortly.

Hopefully you've had the opportunity to read Bishop Barron's Letter to a Suffering Church and are planning to join in the Wednesday, October 9th discussion either at 1pm in the Bethany Center or at 7pm in the Philip and James Room. It would be a great help to us in setting up chairs if you would leave your name at the rectory and the session you plan to attend.

Monday, October 7th, is the feast of the Holy Rosary. Please try to join us at 6 pm at the Lourdes Grotto. From there we will join in a candlelight Rosary procession.

Thinking about any of the above mentioned opportunities? Feeling a little desire to participate? Remember today's psalm response: ***If today you hear God's voice, harden not your hearts.*** Stir the flame! Increase your faith! Say, yes, my Lord! Together we are the church.

We're happy to welcome the seventh grade students and families in both Religious Ed and SSPJ School to the 5pm Mass this weekend.

Saturday evening October 26th is going to be an exciting evening – our Italian feast! Check out the bulletin for details and be sure to get your ticket!

Please be sure to pick up the latest edition on The Gabriel. Editor Elena Mingione and her partner Peter Rooney and their staff have prepared a classic for us all.

And, since autumn is upon us...

Q: What did one autumn leaf say to the other? A: I'm falling for you.

Q: Why do trees try new things so often? A: Because every autumn, then turn over a new leaf.

Q: If money really did grow on trees, then what would everyone's favorite season be?

A: Fall.

Q: Why are trees so care free and easy going? A: Because every fall, they let loose.

Peace,

Father Tom

Apostles: We Who Are Sent...Hope: God's constant gift of new possibilities



Katie's Way

KATIES WAY COLLECTION: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12TH!
NEW COLLECTION ADDRESS: FROM 1:00PM-3:00PM


NEW ADDRESS FOR KATIES WAY COLLECTION!
56 TILLOTSON AVENUE, ST JAMES, NY 11780

Katie's Way is very grateful for your support, they are currently accepting:
 New and gently used Clothing
 Strollers, Car Seats, Diapers



October is the month of the Rosary
NEXT MEETING
OCTOBER 7TH~1:00PM
The SSPJ Rosary Makers began in 2002. Over the years they have made 70,000 Rosaries which have been given to places all over the world-Africa, Asia, Europe and right here at Sts. Philip & James. They gather the first Monday of each month in the SSPJ Room from 1pm-3pm. They graciously teach anyone interested in creating these wonderful Rosaries. All materials are provided. All are invited to join. If you have any questions, please contact Agnes at 631-584-5865

Diocese of Rockville Centre
Healing after Abortion



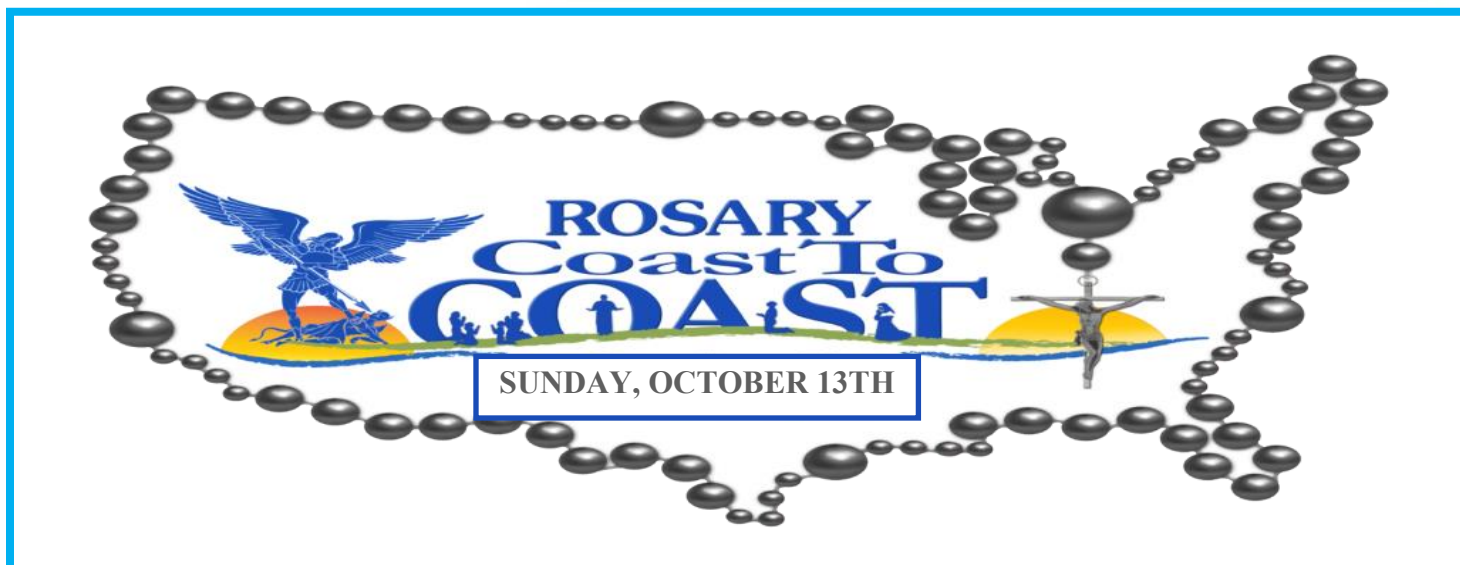
Project Rachel retreats offer the opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God in a safe and sacred space. The retreats are directed by specially trained compassionate caregivers, including counselors and clergy, who have a sensitivity and a heart for those who suffer.

2019 Retreat Dates

Day of Prayer and Healing for Women--Saturday, November 9th

Evening of Prayer for Men--Wednesday, November 13th

For more information and to register please visit www.respectlife.drvc.org or contact Project Rachel at 1(888) 456-HOPE (4673), 1(516) 766-2538 or projectrachel@drvc.org. All information will remain confidential.



ROSARY Coast To COAST

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13TH

LET US PRAY TO OUR MOTHER~MORE BLESSINGS MORE OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday Oct. 13th is the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima

All are invited to celebrate October, the month of the rosary. Please come to the very special procession and rosary on Monday evening Oct. 7th. @7PM. You are also invited to celebrate the **COAST TO COAST ROSARY Sunday Oct 13th@4PM to 5PM** The Feast of Our Lady of Fatima at the Mary Grotto in front of the Bethany Center. At that time you will be praying with all Catholics across the nation

Hospitality Sunday Next Sunday, October 13th, 2019
After the 8am and 10am masses

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

All are invited to light breakfast, faith sharing and friendship.



**Join the generous
Knights of Columbus
In the Auditorium
Sunday, October 13th
from 9am-11am**



October Prayer of the Month

Hail Mary

**Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among
women, and blessed is
the fruit of thy womb Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour
of our death.
Amen.**

Come Celebrate the Feast of the Holy Rosary!

The rosary is one of the most cherished prayers in the Catholic Church. It is a powerful prayer of intercession to the Blessed Mother.

Praying the rosary is promoted as a means of strengthening one's faith, resisting evil, growing spiritually, and generally benefiting society.



Sts. Philip and James Parish & School
will be celebrating the
Feast of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary
on **Monday, October 7, 2019**
with a
Candlelight Rosary Procession.

All are invited and asked to gather at
6:00 pm at the **Lourdes Grotto**
outside of the Parish Center.

The evening will conclude with a
cookie reception sponsored by the
Catholic Daughters.

Respect Life Month

How to Build a Culture of Life

Read the full version at respectlife.org/culture-of-life.

Watching the news and reading the headlines, we may feel helpless seeing the heartbreaking lack of respect for human life. *How do we respond?* Changing the culture is a process of conversion that begins in our own hearts. When we encounter Christ, experience His love, and deepen our relationship with Him, we become more aware of our own immeasurable worth and that of others. His unchanging love is the source of our God-given dignity, which, therefore, cannot be taken away. When someone is facing great trials, we need to walk with them on their journey, intercede for them, and be open to sharing Christ's love however He directs. We simply need to follow where He leads.

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CHILDRENS LITURGY OF THE WORD

An Informational
Meeting will be held
on :

**Tuesday,
October 16th, 2019
At 7:00pm in the
Parish Center Cantina**
Anyone interested in
assisting this
wonderful ministry is
invited and
encouraged to attend.

Christian Women living in a complex world...

An evening of prayer and reflection...

Thursday, October 17th, 2019

At 7:00pm

In the Bethany Center Main Meeting Room

WE BELIEVE...

That we create the future

As we move with the Spirit in giving full expression

To our giftedness as women

In living a life that is,

Simple

Prayerful

Courageous and

Compassionate

In proclaiming with a prophetic voice...

The Gospel to all people

In strengthening each other

In demonstrating our belief in the dignity of the human person

And the call to secure this dignity for all women and men

In expressing our solidarity with the poor and oppressed.

IN FAITH AND HOPE,

WE ACCEPT THE CHALLENGES

THESE IMPLY...

Sisters of St. Joseph ~ Brentwood, NY

Adapted

*All are Welcome to join
the*

*St. Monica Prayer
Group on*

Tuesday,

October 8th, 2019

*At 7:00pm in the Parish
Center Cantina*

*This meeting is
followed by:*

*The Respect Life
Committee Meeting at
7:30pm in the Cantina.*

*All are welcome to
attend!*



Five Generations of Stained Glass! WITH AUTHOR CLAIRE NICOLAS WHITE

Claire Nicolas White is an acclaimed American poet, novelist and translator of Dutch literature. She is the granddaughter-in-law of architect Stanford White. Her sister, Sylvia Nicolas, designed and installed all the stained glass in St. Phillips & James Church. Hear her discuss a fascinating tale of her life, prewar European childhood, five generations of her family that practiced – and is still practicing – the art of stained glass and her new book, "Five Generations - Painting with Light." Call 631-689-5888 to reserve a spot.



Claire White (l) with her sister, Sylvia Nicolas (r)

Presented by
The Ward Melville
Heritage Organization



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Cultural Center
97 Main Street
Stony Brook, NY 11790

OCTOBER 23

FREE • 1-2:30 pm

Refreshments will be served.

Limited seating. Reserve now!
Call (631) 689-5888

Visit stonybrookvillage.com for full series programming.

Being Catholic 101 (Catholicism for Dummies)

*Are you looking for an opportunity to renew your faith and
reacquaint yourself
with what we believe and do as Catholics?*

Has ritual become rote, going to Mass routine?

Do you say the words of the Creed automatically but not with understanding?



This year the RCIA team of Sts. Philip & James will be offering short refreshers on the Mass and the Faith on Sundays after the 8:00 AM Mass. In a half hour each week starting a few minutes after Mass ends, right here in the Church, they will cover the basic questions people have about the faith and explain what we believe about God, Jesus, salvation, the Mass and other topics. You don't have to come every week, and there won't be any quizzes or tests. But there will be topics that will pique your interest, and each session will get you to say, "Aha! So that is what that means, or that is why we do this!"

Anyone who wishes to complete their sacraments or become a catholic is also most welcomed. Any questions please feel free to call Sister Theresita at 631-684-5454 ext.214



The Diocese of Rockville Centre Golden Wedding Anniversary Liturgy Honoring Couples Married Fifty Years

Sunday, November 3, 2019
2:00 p.m.

Maria Regina Roman Catholic Church in Seaford

- Please fill in the form below, have it signed by your pastor or someone designated by him and return to the address below.
- You will be mailed a letter confirming your registration and directions.
- There will be **reserved seating for the registered couples only**. Family and friends will be seated on a first come-first served basis.

Please mail completed form to : Debbie Ventura
Office of Faith Formation
PO Box 9023
Rockville Centre, NY 11571-9023

Space is limited, registration will be accepted on a first come first served basis.
For questions, please call 516-678-5800, ext. 223

(cut here and return form below)

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Mr. _____ First Name Mrs. _____ First Name _____ Last Name

_____ Address _____ Town _____ Zip Code

Wedding Date _____ mm/dd/yy Phone # _____ Area code + Number _____ Email _____

In order to seat those who require special assistance accordingly, please let us know if you or your spouse use a:
wheelchair _____ cane _____ walker _____

_____ Parish _____ Town _____ Pastor's Signature

THE MEN'S FORUM

AT THE CHURCH OF SAINTS PHILIP & JAMES

A brotherhood of men dedicated to growing in their faith & discipleship in the Lord Jesus Christ.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2019 - OPEN FORUM

Upcoming Meeting Dates

2019:

Sept. 23
Oct. 7
Oct. 21
Nov. 4
Nov. 18
Dec. 2

2020:

Jan. 6 March 9
Jan. 27 March 23
Feb. 10 April 13
Feb. 24 May 4
 May 18
 June 8

Speaker and Topic: To Be Announced

Join us for inspiring talks and fellowship. Experience new opportunities to be open to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit in how the Lord is calling us to grow as Catholic men of faith.

We are a brotherhood of Catholic men who meet at Saints Philip & James R.C. Church and are dedicated to growing in our faith and discipleship in the Lord Jesus Christ. We gather twice a month to pray, listen to spiritual wisdom, and draw strength from one another in fellowship. We seek to become better men of Christian virtue and witness in our families, friendships, Church, and community.

Please note that our evening time schedule has changed, beginning one half-hour later than before.

NEW MEETING TIMES: Holy Hour: 7-8 PM, Main Church

Speaker Talk: 8-9 PM, Bethany Center (Old Church) • Coffee & Cake Social: 9-9:30 PM

Come for all, or part of our evening's schedule • No membership required. Open to all men!



Website: www.sspjmensforum.org

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October already!! ~ MUSIC MINISTRY NEWS.....

Welcome to the month of Mary. May and October are dedicated to the Blessed Mother. We will be singing a Mary hymn throughout the month. This week our Presentation hymn is On This Day O Beautiful Mother # 697 in the MI.

We are also singing a new gathering hymn, Gathered In # 318. Its easy to sing and a good addition to our hymns.

Thinking of joining the Music Ministry. We are seeking new members for the Chords of Faith teen group. The group is open to all youth of our parish grades 7-12. If you sing or play an instrument in a HS music group or have been involved in any worship/choral music or just like to sing WE Want You!!

The group rehearses on Tuesday nights 7:30-8:30 pm in the church and sings for the 5pm Mass on Saturday. We have a Christmas Concert in December and sing for Good Friday and Easter.

Come see what it's all about.

See me or a present choir member after Mass or call me at the parish Center 631-584-5454 or email sspjmusicministry@gmail.com

Looking forward to talking to you.



SATURDAY – OCTOBER 26, 2019

Sott'er celo de Roma

DINNER – DANCING – ENTERTAINMENT

la piazza della SSPJ (auditorium) 6 - 10 pm

Catering by ***Villa Sorrento***

Family Style Dinner at Each Table

Pasta – Chicken – Eggplant

Salad bowl and bread basket

Wine at each table – Red/White Coffee and Dessert BYOB if you choose

Sott'er celo de Roma ~ Dinner Ticket Request Form

Saturday – October 26, 2019 6 – 10 pm ~ **COST \$40 per person**

Tickets: _____ at \$40./per person Total enclosed: _____

Guest Names: _____

Contact Phone # _____

Alternate Cell # _____ Email _____

Tickets will NOT be sold at the door. Reservations need to be made in advance- prior to 10/16

If you have any question, kindly contact Virginia Portanova at:

[vportanova@sspi.org](mailto:vportanova:sspi.org) or at the parish center 631-584-5454

PLEASE RETURN TICKET ORDER FORM WITH PAYMENT TO THE PARISH CENTER OFFICE

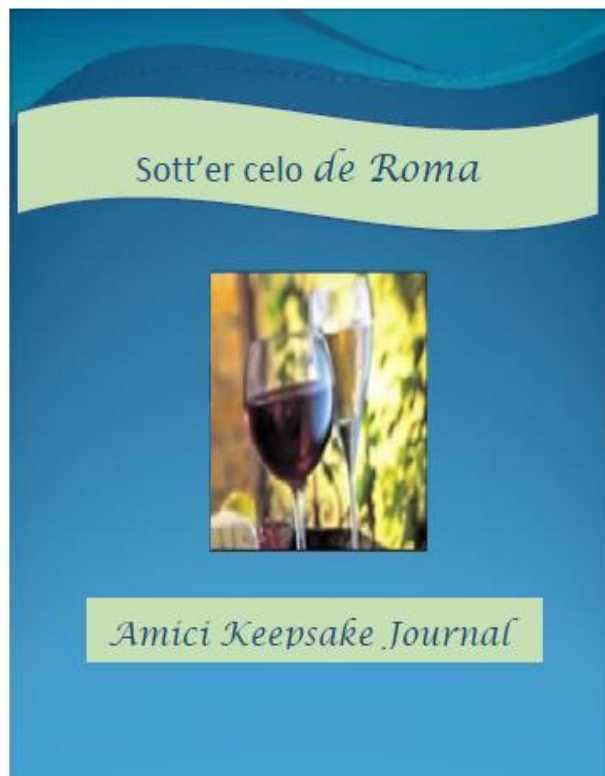
Interested in reserving a full table (8-10 people),
kindly remit this form with guest names and full payment



All **Sponsors** will be **acknowledged** in our **Amici Keepsake Journal**

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And **posted** in our **Bulletin**



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Signora Mary Maroney Linder

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Signora Valerie Scally Linder

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In Thanksgiving for SSPJ ~ Virginia & Peter Portanova

Amici (\$100) Sponsor

Thomas Portanova

Peter Portanova Jr.

Please return form and payment to the Parish Center Office. Thank you for your support!

La Famiglia Sponsor at \$500.

Amore Sponsor at \$250.

Amici Sponsor at \$100.

For additional information please contact ~ Virginia Portanova – vportanova@sspj.org or 631-584-5454



SUNDAY MASS REFLECTION: For GRADES: 1, 2, & 3
THIS REFLECTION IS TO BE SHARED AT MASS ON:
SATURDAY, October 12th OR SUNDAY, October 13th



October 6th , 2019

Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

My Name Is: _____

I Am In Grade: _____

My Catechist "Teacher's" Name Is: _____

Gospel Message: The Gospel of Luke 17:5-10

Jesus teaches the apostles the importance of faith and service to God.

Fill In the Missing Letters:

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In today's Gospel, Jesus talks about having _____ (your word above)

the size of a mustard seed.

Do you think that is a lot of faith or a little faith?

Jesus says that if you have just a little faith, you will always receive help in doing what God calls you to do at home or at church or at school.

What are some things that God calls you to do at church?

What are some things that God calls you to do at home?



My Weekly Prayer:

Dear Father,

We ask for a mustard seed sized faith. Help us to believe and never doubt your mighty power.

In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen



SUNDAY MASS REFLECTION: For GRADES: 4,5 & 6
THIS REFLECTION IS TO BE SHARED AT MASS ON:
SATURDAY, October 12th OR SUNDAY, October 13th



Welcome to the 27th Sunday In Ordinary Time ~
October 6th, 2019

My Name Is: _____
I Am In Grade: _____
My Catechist Name Is: _____

Gospel Message: The Gospel of Luke 17:5-10

Jesus teaches the apostles the importance of faith and service to God.

Faith the size of a mustard seed reminds us that small things can make a big difference.

What are some of the ways people make a difference in the lives of others.

What do you think it means to have faith the size of a mustard seed?

What is one thing that you have done to
make a positive difference in the life of
another?

How does doing for another make you feel?

My Prayer for the week:

Make me a channel of your peace

Where there is hatred let me bring
your love

Where there is injury your pardon Lord

And where there is doubt true faith in
you





SUNDAY MASS REFLECTION: For GRADES: 7 & 8 Confirmation I & II
THIS REFLECTION IS TO BE SHARED AT MASS ON:
SATURDAY, October 12th OR SUNDAY, October 13th



Welcome to the 27th Sunday In Ordinary Time ~

October 6th, 2019

Mass Readings: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4, Psalm 95:1-2,6-7,8-9, 2Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14, Luke 17:5-10

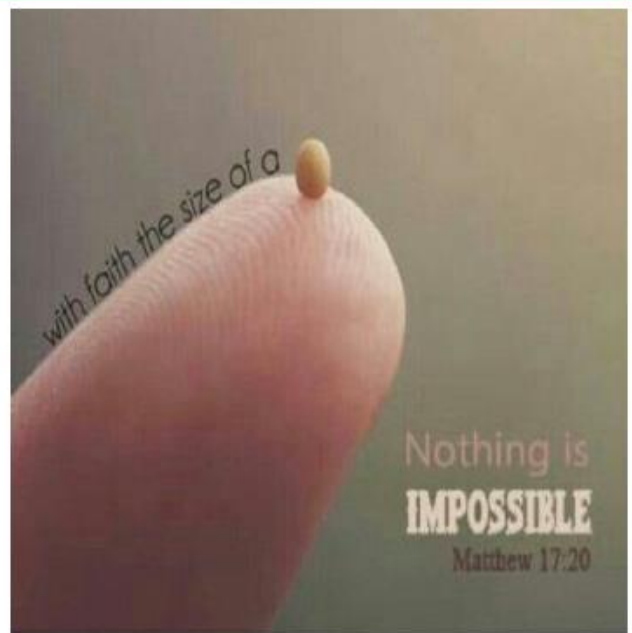
Student's Name : _____

I Am In Grade: _____

My Catechist Name Is: _____

Gospel: Luke: 17:5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. "Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"



What does this Gospel reading tell us about why we should want to do the work of God and serve others?

When you perform acts of service, you are doing God's will, which is reward enough.

What are some acts of service you can perform without attracting attention?

Parish Social Ministry



On September 1, 2019 in a short message for the world Day of Prayer for Creation, Pope Francis summarized the message of his 2015 encyclical 'Laudato si': "God's gaze, at the beginning of the Bible, rests lovingly on his creation. 'and God saw that it was good' (Gen 1:25). From habitable land to life-giving waters, from fruit-bearing trees to animals that share our common home, everything is dear in the eyes of God, who offers creation to men and women as a precious gift to be preserved." - From this Sunday on we will use brief excerpts of the Pope's recent letter to remind ourselves of our responsibility toward creation.

Our Food Pantry

Our Brothers and Sisters in need are greatly appreciative for the compassion and generosity of their SSPJ Parish Family that remember their food needs...

We kindly are in need of the following items:

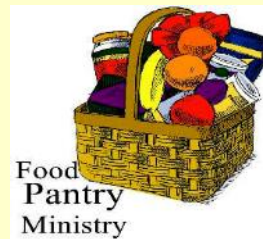
Small square boxes of tissues

Bathroom tissue-toilet paper

Small plastic containers of grape jelly
(squeeze bottle preferred)

We greatly appreciate your assistance.

We ask you to ...**Please check expiration dates** on the items being donated. This effort will assist the volunteers who stock the pantry with your donated goods. Thank you



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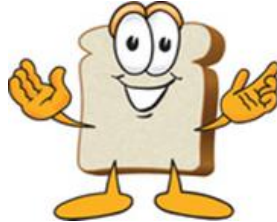
Select: SIGN IN

Type in your email address and click next

Follow the prompt to check your email

Click on the link and begin to explore the great content

*The Peanut Butter & Jelly Gang will start up again on:
Sunday, October 20th
If you are interested, kindly return the attached form to the
Parish Center Office no later than: October 16th, 2019*



PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY GANG SUNDAYS
"Help us spread the love one sandwich at a time"

What is this? A service opportunity aimed at feeding the hungry.
Sandwiches are sent to the Mary Brennan Inn in Hempstead.

When? : Sunday, October 20, 2019.

Time? : 11:15 - 12:30 sign in at 11:00 AM; following 10 AM Mass

Where? : Auditorium

Who? Any person or family with a desire to help those in need.

Volunteers are asked to bring: **FOUR LOAVES OF WHOLE WHEAT BREAD , ONE JAR OF GRAPE JELLY AND TWO JARS OF SMOOTH PEANUT BUTTER.**

If you are interested in our next Peanut Butter Sunday, please complete the registration form, below and return it to the Pastoral Center by Wednesday, October 16, 2019.

Peanut Butter and Jelly Gang

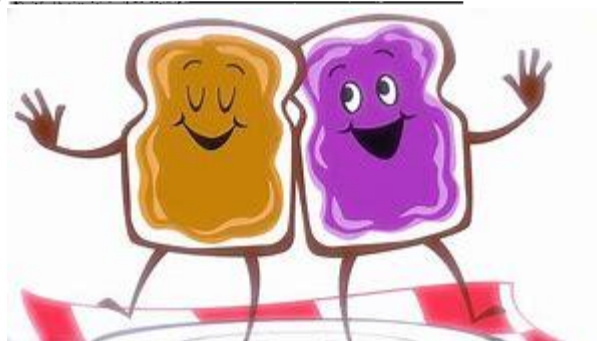
Volunteers Name: _____

Peanut Butter Sunday Date: _____

Home#: _____ **Cell#:** _____

Email: _____

Parent Signature: _____



SSPJ Parish Calendar For The Week of October 6th, 2019

Sunday, October 6th, 2019

8:30am RCIA	Cantina	
11:00am Stained Glass	Stained Glass Wksp	
7:00pm AA Meeting	Philip & James Room	

Monday, October 7th, 2019:

1:00pm Rosary Makers	Philip & James Rm.	
7:00pm Boy Scout Troop 7 Meeting	Auditorium	
7:00pm Men's Forum Holy Hour	Church	
8:00pm Men's Forum	Bethany Center	

Tuesday, October 8th, 2019:

1:30pm Spirit of Prayer Ministry Meeting	Prayer Room Church	
4:40pm Adult Formation DRVC	Philip & James Rm	
7:00pm St. Monica Group	Cantina	
7:30pm Respect Life Meeting	Cantina	
7:30pm Chords of Faith	Church	
7:30pm KOC Officers Meeting	Philip & James Room	

Wednesday, October 9th, 2019:

1:00pm Letter to a Suffering Church Discussion	Bethany Ctr.	
7:00pm Youth Ministry	Bethany Center Main	
7:00pm Letter to a Suffering Church Discussion	Bethany Ctr	

Thursday, October 10th, 2019

2:00pm Eucharistic Adoration	Church	
6:45pm Handbells	Church	
7:00pm Boy Scout Leadership Meeting	Monte Building	
7:30pm Adult Choir	Church	

Friday, October 11th, 2019:

7:00pm Wash Kit Gang	Auditorium	
7:00pm AA Meeting	Philip & James Room	
8:00pm Diocesan Rosary Night	Church	
8:00pm Eucharistic Adoration	Church	

Saturday, October 12th, 2019

9:00am REO Special Needs Classes	School Main	
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Sunday, October 13th, 2019:

8:30am RCIA Sessions	SSPJ Room	
9:15am Hospitality Sunday	Auditorium	
10:00am Children's Liturgy	Auditorium	
4:00pm Rosary Coast to Coast	Blessed Mother Grotto Outside	
7:00pm AA Meeting	Sts. Philip & James Room	

Our Bread & Wine

***For the Week of
October 6th, 2019***

***Are Offered ,
In loving Memory of,
Robert J. Tremblay***



The Pro Life Rose

***For the week of
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Is offered in loving memory of,
Aelysche Maher
"Happy Anniversary in Heaven"
"We Miss You"***



Our Altar Candles

***For the Week of
October 6th, 2019***

***Are burning for,
Chris Badolato
"With loving memories of our special Son"
Love always,
Mom, Dad & Michele***



Our Sanctuary Lamp

***For the Week of
October 6th, 2019***

***Is Offered for
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"With Our Loving Memories of Our Special
Son"
Love Always,
Mom., Dad & Michele***



Mass Intentions, For the week of October 6th, 2019

Saturday October 5th, 2019

5:00pm Charles Notaro

Sunday, October 6th, 2019

8:00am For the Parishioners of SSPJ

10:00am Thomas F. Collins

12:00Noon Collective Mass:

Peter, Sarah & Mary Cole

Robert J. Tremblay

Chris Badolato

John Taratunio

Michael E. Kaleita

Monday, October 7th, 2019~Our Lady of the Rosary

7:30am Dr. Mario Mignone

9:15am Madeline Gadue

Tuesday, October 8th, 2019

7:30am Matilda "Bobbie" Ruggieri

9:15am Theresa Keane

Wednesday, October 9th, 2019~Saint Denis

7:30am Therese Tobin Kreiser

9:15am Virginia Grace Cummings

Thursday, October 10th, 2019

7:30am John Blazich

9:15am Collective Mass

Virginia Grace Cummings

Dena Pollina

Friday, October 11th, 2019~St. John XXIII, Pope

7:30am Regina Brown

9:15am Priscilla & Dan Liddy

Saturday, October 12th, 2019

9:15am Karen Naclerio-Negrin

5:00pm James Ginty

Sunday, October 13th, 2019

8:00am For the Parishioners of Sts Philip & James

10:00am Joan Ward

12:00Noon Collective Mass:

James P. Ginty, Sr.

Grace Ehmann

Faye Ranaudo

Brendan John Yantz

Dena Pollina

Banns of Marriage

Third

**William Ardolino
St Judes—Mastic Beach**

To

**Brittany Hagemann
St. John the Evangelist-Moriches**

Prayer for Comfort

Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing all, we ask you to bless your friends who are sick. Give them the strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain.

Let them recover their health, so that, restored to the Christian community, they may joyfully praise your name, for you live and reign for ever and ever. Amen

To add a name to prayers for the sick, kindly contact the Parish Center Office at 631-584-5454

Allison Ioli,
Angela Amoroso
Angelo Peluso
Antoinette Rotolo
Anna & John Capizzio
Baby Adeline
Baby Kennedy
Baby Mattia Rose Lubrano
Brian R.
Bob Keenan,
Carole Hennessy
Charles Morgan
Donalea Donach & Peter
Elinor Glasser
Gwen Dilgen
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Kitty Cronin
Maria Clark
Marie Sabry,
Marty Caltabiano
Matthew
Melissa C.
Michael J. Forker
Michael LaVecchia
Pat I.
Patricia Fontana
Patrick McDonnell
Patricia Monetti
Paula Cote
Peter McGreevy
Robin Graham Denis,
Tim Cavooris,
Vicki Archdeacon-Gibb,
Vivien Cordes ,
Zachary Esposito-Tansey

We Remember

**Those Who are resting peacefully in
the loving arms of Jesus....**

Thomas John Hayes, Jr.

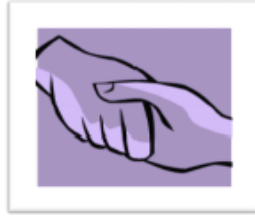
Philip A. Mantia

Gail E. Morreale

Brian Brett

All are welcome to attend the first Wash kit Gang session of the year!
Friday, October 11th, 2019
At 7pm in the Auditorium

KINDLY COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION FORM AND RETURN IT TO
PASTORAL CENTER BY
OCTOBER 8TH, 2019



Saints Philip and James Parish

Wash Kit Gang

1 Carow Place, St. James, NY 11780 631-584-5454

SIGN UP SHEET

SSPJ "Wash Kit Gang" is a ministry of Saints Philip and James Parish. Our goal is to provide wash kits to homeless shelters throughout Long Island. If you are interested in volunteering, **PLEASE COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION FORM** **** **BELOW AND RETURN IT TO THE PASTORAL OFFICE.**

***** Anyone who is not pre registered may not be accommodated.*****

WHEN? THE SECOND FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

TIME? 7:00-8:00PM

WHERE? AUDITORIUM

VOLUNTEERS MUST BRING 2 PACKS OF WASH CLOTHS(PER PERSON)

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AND 1 BOX OF BANDAIDS

_____IN ADDITION, THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW ARE NEEDED BUT OPTIONAL_____

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Bar Soaps (Small, trial size) Shampoo (Trial size) Candy(Individually wrapped) all sorts

Conditioner (Trial size), Hand Lotion (Trial size), Toothpaste (Trial size) & (Full Size)

*******Monetary Donations are always welcome*******

CHECKS should be made Payable to: SSPJ with "wash kit" written in the memo section.

VOLUNTEER

NAME_____

VOLUNTEER DATE_____

HOME#_____CELL#_____

EMAIL_____

PARENT/GUARDIAN:PRINTNAME_____

SIGNATURE_____

SSPJ School News

Kindergarten is off to a great start at Saints Philip and James School!! We started the month of September by introducing ourselves to our school, teacher, and classmates. We learned all about our school, took a tour, and practiced different things that we needed to know for the beginning of kindergarten. We practiced our letters and letter sounds and learned many other wonderful things!! We also made different crafts for the month of September, including our Apple Buddies craft, our bus craft with two-dimensional shapes, and our "All About Me" craft, where we made self-portraits and completed writing pieces about ourselves.

In ELA, we are learning the Letter "Oo" for Oswald!! We are also reviewing the Letter "Cc" for Cass!! We learned how to write the capital and lowercase versions of the letter "Oo," completed other activities having to do with the letter, and listened to a story about Oswald. We are very excited for our next letter: Letter "Gg" for Golly!! We also reviewed our first two sight words: I and am and learned our next two sight words: the and little.

In Math, we continued and finished our first unit/chapter on two-dimensional shapes. We reviewed that two-dimensional shapes are flat. We learned more about hexagons and how we can compare shapes and join shapes together to make a new shape. We took our first assessment and tried our best!!

In Science, we read a Scholastic magazine about apples. We learned the different parts of an apple and that there are many different kinds of apples. In Religion, we learned about how we can care for what God has created for us and God's promise to Noah.

We also attended an assembly with our school where we learned about energy and how to conserve it, read and listened to Red Leaf, Yellow Leaf, made a list of activities and things having to do with the Fall, and made a Fall leaf wreath craft. We are having so much fun!! :)



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PRESIDER SCHEDULE-FOR October 12th & 13th, 2019

Saturday, October 12, 2019 5:00pm	Sunday, October 13, 2019 8:00 AM MASS	Sunday, October 13, 2019 10:00 AM MASS	Sunday, October 13, 2019 12:00 MASS
Father Patrick Osei-Poku	Father Patrick Osei-Poku	Father Tom Haggerty	Father Tom Haggerty
Deacon Ron	Deacon Ron	Deacon John	Deacon John

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE -FOR October 12th & 13th, 2019

Saturday, October 12, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019
5:00PM	8:00 AM MASS	10:00 AM MASS	12:00 NOON MASS
A. Dunn	J. Harvey	C. Napolitano	T. Pace
D. Doran	P. Kanuika	H. Orlando	M. Lebrun
D. Earl	M. Kenney	W. Rodriguez	J. Linder
M. Fox	P. Martin	P. Schfilliti	E. Law
E. Kaleita, Jr.	V. Portanova	J. Scott	P. Roman
P. Kaleita	W. Ramos	L. Sisti	C. Zito
H. Keenan	K.. Rapp	E. Sotomayer	G. Zito
G. Priebe	E. Sica	J. Sweeney	P. Agoglia
L. Taurassi	T. Sica	J. Tafrá	M. Laub
D. Toto	W. VanGostein	M. Tully	B. Luna

*We kindly ask all scheduled Ministers to arrive in the Prayer Room 15 minutes before mass begins, for prayer
Thank you*

ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE -FOR October 12th & 13th, 2019

Saturday, October 12, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019
5:00PM MASS	8:00AM MASS	10:00 AM MASS	12:00 NOON MASS
C. Nigro	M. Page	K. Tomasic	C. Tsoumpelis
S. Nigro	E. Nicastro	M. Tomasic	I.. Cole
T. Miller	L. Nicastro	J. Prew	A. Peykar
A. Hughes	M. Russo	B. Keiran	J. Peykar

LECTOR SCHEDULE -FOR October 12th & 13th, 2019

Saturday, October 12, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019	Sunday, October 13, 2019
5:00PM MASS	8:00 AM MASS	10:00AM MASS	12:00 NOON MASS
C. Burke	L. Willman	C. Rubano	K. Smith
8th Grade Student	A. Kaiser	B. Tobin	L. Kenton

October 13, 2019 • 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

Common Suffering

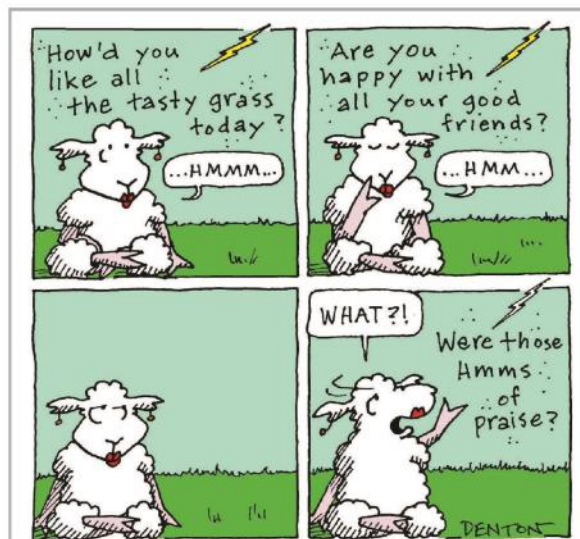
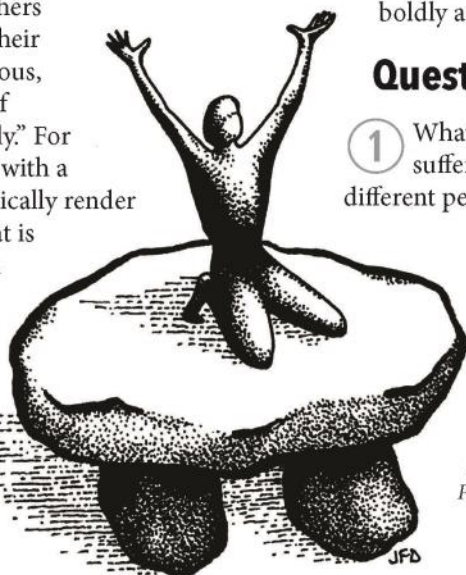
This Week's Readings at Mass

- 2 Kings 5:14-17 - Elisha's cure of Naaman
- 2 Timothy 2:8-13 - Paul's faithfulness to the gospel
- Luke 17:11-19 - Ten lepers

The account of the healing of the foreign leper Naaman in the Second Book of Kings is matched to the story of Jesus healing ten lepers, including one foreigner (the Samaritan) in the Gospel today. Both tell of the desperate plight of the outcast men who are willing to do anything, even follow the commands of someone they had never met who was from another country or religion, in the hopes of being cured. Both converted to the worship of God when they experienced his power in their healing. Both are willing to proclaim their new allegiance loud and clear for all to hear.

As the Gospel reading unfolds, Jesus is traveling through a region where Jews and Samaritans generally lived segregated lives because of their distaste for the others' religious practices. Although both groups shared a distant, common religious history, they suffered a divisive break which left the two groups embittered with each other.

In those times, the disease of leprosy was such a curse that lepers were forced to remain outside of regular society lest they infect others with their sickness. Even if their skin disease was not contagious, having leprosy was a mark of being unclean and so "unholy." For a leper to come into contact with a clean person would automatically render that person unclean too. That is why the ten lepers stood at a distance from Jesus. Following the legal requirements, they shouted to get his attention, thereby warning him not to come into physical contact with them and accidentally get contaminated. In this



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"Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?"

Sheepish Questions:

Do I praise God often, or just hmmm along? Why?

case, the social effects of the disease brought together ten Jews and Samaritans whose common suffering overcame their religious and ethnic conflicts.

Like Naaman, the foreigner healed of leprosy in the first reading, the Samaritan leper here is humble enough to seek out and accept healing from his people's "enemy." Not only that, but both Naaman and the Samaritan lepers enthusiastically embrace the God who has healed them. They respond by boldly and publicly proclaiming their new belief.

Questions of the Week

- 1 What examples do you have of common suffering that has bonded two or more very different people together?
- 2 When have you been the recipient of help or kindness from someone you may have been suspicious of or even felt downright negatively about?

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Jesus Christ – The Person and the Mystery

We quite naturally tend to think of the word “Christ” as Jesus’ second name. We think of the name “Jesus Christ” like we think of names like “Susan Parker” or “Jack Smith”. But that’s an unhealthy confusion. Jesus didn’t have a second name. The word “Christ” is a title which, while it includes the person of Jesus, speaks of something wider than Jesus alone. What’s the difference between “Jesus” and “Christ”?

Jesus refers to a concrete person who, though the Second Person within the Godhead, walked this earth for 33 years and is still today someone whom we understand and relate to as an individual person. Christ refers to something larger, namely, the huge mystery of both creation and salvation of which Jesus, as the Christ, plays the foundational role but which includes the Eucharist, the Christian community, the historical Christian churches, the community of all sincere people who walk this planet, and physical creation itself. Jesus is a person with whom we seek to be in a relationship with in friendship and intimacy, while Christ is a mystery of which we and all creation are part of and within which we participate.

This has huge implications, not least in how we understand spirituality and church. In essence, this is what’s at stake: *What’s more central to us, what Jesus has done and asks of us or the person of Jesus himself?* It’s interesting to look at the various Christian churches in terms of that question: Are they more focused on the teaching of Jesus or on the person of Jesus? Are they more focused on Jesus or on Christ?


In terms of a large over-generalization, we might say that Roman Catholicism and mainline Protestantism have tended to focus on the teachings of Jesus and the demands of discipleship that flow from those teachings more than they have on the person of Jesus himself. The reverse is true for the Evangelical tradition, where the emphasis has been and continues to be on the person of Jesus and our individual relationship to him. In fairness, both traditions, clearly, also include the other dimension. Roman Catholics and mainline Protestants haven’t ignored the person of Jesus and Evangelicals haven’t ignored the teachings of Jesus; but, in both cases, one has been more central than the other. Roman Catholicism, for its part, also emphasized the dimension of one-to-one intimacy with Jesus but placed that within its devotional practice more so than within its mainline theology which is focused more on the mystery of Christ than on the person of Jesus.

Spirituality, not surprisingly, tended to follow the same pattern. Roman Catholics and mainline Protestants, unlike the Evangelicals, have not made one-to-one intimacy with Jesus the centerpiece of spirituality, even as they hold it up as the ultimate ideal. Their emphasis is on Christ. Evangelicals, on the other hand, focused on an affective, one-to-one, intimacy with Jesus in a way that often left Roman Catholics and mainline Protestants wondering exactly what Evangelicals meant when they asked us: “Have you met Jesus Christ?” “Is Jesus Christ your personal Lord and Savior?” “Have you been born again?” Conversely, Roman Catholics and mainline Protestants often looked critically at their Evangelical brothers and sisters, questioning whether their over-riding emphasis on personal salvation and personal intimacy with Jesus does not distract them from having to deal with some central teachings of Jesus that have to do with social justice and with wide faith embrace.

Admittedly, both emphases are needed. We see that clearly in the preaching of the early church. The renowned scripture scholar, Raymond Brown, tells us that, beginning already with St. Paul, the earliest Christian preachers shifted the primary focus of their proclamation to Jesus himself, almost as if they could not announce the kingdom without first telling of him through whom the kingdom was made present.

Proclaiming a person himself (rather than just that person’s message) was novel for the early Christian preachers. Their proclamation of Jesus’ person was radically different from the way the Hebrew Scriptures honor Moses, in that they honor his message but never draw attention to his person in terms of asking anyone to relate to him. As an aside: There’s a lesson here in terms of how we often treat our saints and holy persons. We honor them through admiration when what’s really asked of us is that we imitate their actions.

Christian discipleship, clearly, asks for both, intimacy with Jesus and attention to what he taught, personal piety and social justice, firm loyalty to one’s own ecclesial family and the capacity to also embrace all others of sincere heart as one’s faith family. Soren Kierkegaard once suggested that what Jesus really wants is followers, not admirers. That’s spoken as a true mainline Protestant. Evangelicals wouldn’t disagree, but would argue that what Jesus really wants is an intimate relationship with us. The earliest preachers of the Gospel would agree with both Kierkegaard and the Evangelicals. We need to proclaim both, the message of Jesus and Jesus himself.



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