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Year B

The 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 30, 2018

First Reading

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Numbers 11:25-29

The Lord bestows his spirit on the seventy elders.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 19:8,10,12-13,14

The Law of the Lord brings joy.

Second Reading

James 5:1-6

James chastises the rich.

Gospel Reading

Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48

Jesus teaches that whoever is not against him is for him.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today we continue to read from the Gospel of Mark. Recall that last week we heard Jesus chastise his disciples for their argument about who among them was the greatest. Jesus taught them that the greatest among them will be those who serve the least ones. In today's Gospel, the disciple John questions Jesus about an unknown exorcist who was driving out demons in Jesus' name. John's question might have been motivated by jealousy. Previously in Mark's Gospel, Jesus healed a boy whom the disciples had been unable to heal.

John's question is further evidence that the disciples have not yet grasped Jesus' words to them. They continue to compare themselves to others who seem to have greater healing powers, and they do not want to share the power of Jesus' name with others.

Today the demon possession described in the Gospels might be seen as a form of mental illness, but the need for healing these syndromes was as real then as it is now. Exorcism was a common practice in first-century Palestine. Some people had the power to heal the symptoms of possession. One of the strategies used was to invoke the name of a person or figure who was believed to have the power to heal.

The disciples observed that the unknown exorcist invoked Jesus' name and was successful in his healing efforts. This unknown healer recognized the power of Jesus' name, yet he was not a follower of Jesus. In his reply to his disciples, Jesus acknowledges that deeds of faith can precede the words of faith. He also teaches that the disciples should not be reluctant to share Jesus' healing powers with others.

Later in this Gospel, Jesus teaches us not to create obstacles for those who are just beginning to have faith but to encourage even the smallest signs of faith. The Greek word used here for sin also connotes "stumbling" or "causing scandal." In vivid terms Jesus teaches his disciples the consequences to those who would put obstacles before people who are on the road to faith.

Remember the Sick... Members of our Parish:

Alex Mucci, Victor & Andrea Duncan, Carolyn Bonner, Elorine Harris, Judy & Sal Varisco, Eufracia Nunez, Jerry Meadows, Diana Berry, Tony & Marguerite Breda, John Atkins, Ann Gobert, Infant-Sophia Hinson. Gris Palomino. Cheryl Riccio, Rene Ray, Nancy Spangler, Jack Cothran, Tom Motzny, Dr. Herrera, Franklin Sharp, Gene Michonski, Janet Tellis.

Friends and family of parishioners

Jennifer Lackey, Casey Casto, Randi Casto, by Phyllis M. Seanna Bundrick, Monica Whorl, Patti Nale by Mary C. Rosa L. Bell Duncan, Kim Gatewood, Suzanne Ventline by Mary D. Estella Burley, Angela Burley by Jennifer O. Alice Hinson by Reta R. Jennifer

Thomas by Renee R. Cheryl Lee, by Mike M. Osa E. McClain by Ann M. Rob Schulenburg. Linda Tonguett by Carol S. Anita Jones, Kezden Salyers by Merissa H. Angela Warren, Daniel Craig by Herb M. Randy Runions by Dan R. Kristi Baker, by Darie M. Hayli Gilbert, Jeanne Sisco, Kyle Pelletier, Joyce Barnes by Mary S. Linda Hill, by M/M Marshall. Ted/Betzy Semanski, by Diane R. Steven Potts, by Booz'. Wayne Sturgulewski, by Jacob.

Pray for the Repose of the soul of: Kaye Starling.

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Sunday Masses:

Christ the Redeemer
Sunday 8:30 AM.

Holy Trinity
Sunday 10:30 AM.

St. Cecilia
Sunday 12:30 PM.

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Confessions

Before & after each Mass,
or by appointment.

To Request a Mass

Intention

HTC contact Trudy Booz
931-628-8084.

STC contact Melinda Cotheran
931-796-1579

A stipend of \$5.00 per Mass

To receive a bulletin by email
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HTC-Ministry Assignments

	Sept. 30, 2018	Coll. Counters
Lector	Mary Dowdy	Sept. Rich & Carol V.
Eucharistic Ministers	Carol & Trudy	Oct. Francis B
Ushers/Greeters	Frank & Herb	
Gift Bearers	Margerite & Ed Z.	

Oct. 7, 2018

Lector	Dave Reser
Eucharistic Ministers	Herb & Bev
Ushers/Greeters	Dan & Carl
Gift Bearers	Dee & Dan

Healing/Peace Rosary: Sundays @ 10:15 am

Last weeks collection: \$1033.92

Loose \$130.32 Env/Cks \$860.00 BI \$25.00 VL \$18.60

St. Cecilia's: \$496.50

Loose \$55.50 Env/Cks \$435.00 VL \$6.00

In order to show respect to our **Lord Jesus Christ, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, Corpus Christi.** Please observe *silence* upon entering the church.

Join us at Holy Trinity, every Saturday evening, at **5:30pm for a Spanish Rosary**, and then between 6-7pm for **Adoration, Prayers, and Reconciliation**.

GENERAL INTEREST

Meals with Love: Sept.— Holy Trinity
Aug.— St. Cecilia, & Holy Trinity, Thank you!

There will be no Masses ; Tues-Thurs., Oct. 2-4, 2018

Please join us for First Friday Adoration at 5:30p, and 1st Saturday Rosary at 6p, (Oct. 5th & 6th).

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, for the salvation of souls, the reparation of sins, the reunion of all Christians, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father this month. Amen.

Operation Christmas Child by Samaritan's Purse is here!
Please pick up your shoe box/es in the church's front vestibule or Hall. Please help bring "Joy" to a little girl or boy this Christmas season by filling your shoebox with toys, crayons, puzzles, etc. Please return them Nov. 12-19, 2018 to Toni Schneider. (Instructions are included in the box.)

Prayer Shawls are running low, if anyone wishes to knit/crochet shawls your help is greatly appreciated! Thank you.

Aquinas College Center of Evangelization and Catechesis is have a retreat Oct 12-13, 2018. Cost is \$125.00 and includes lodging, meals, and materials. For more info. Or to register: <https://www.aquinascollege.edu/calendar-event/retreat-pedagogy-catechesis-of-the-good-shepherd/flyer>

Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Fall Meeting is Saturday, Oct. 6, 2018 at Immaculate Conception Church in the Family Life Center. Located at: 709 Franklin St., Clarksville, TN. 37040 - Registration is 9:30am with Mass in the Chapel at 10:00am. Lunch is \$10.00 for Members or

\$20.00 for Non-Members which includes Membership. Pay at the door. All women are invited to discover what you can do for Domestic Violence Month. **RSVP by emailing Nancy Oelgoetz at oelgone@gmail.com or call 931-241-2646 or Kathie Schuler at lanikaigirl@att.net**

The 1st annual Catholic Women Nurses Retreat (CWN) will be held Nov. 2-4, 2018 at the Bethany Retreat House in Dickson, TN. This retreat is a time for reflection and a time to meet Our Lord in the quiet hills of western TN. All inclusive registration is \$225. Contact **Diana.Ruzicka@gmail.com**

HTC-Free religious items such as prayer pamphlets, and rosaries etc. They are located in the church front vestibule.

First Saturday Rosary-at 6:30 pm. Join Dan and Debbie Connelly at their home every 1st Saturday for prayer and fellowship, 855 Mason Bates Bend Rd, Centerville, TN. Call or text for more information: 813-309-0654.

Bible Study- 10 Week Course at Christ the Redeemer. For more information contact Ray LeMay or Dan Connelly: 813-309-0654.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Holy Trinity
For more information contact Tim & Judy Zaunbrecher.

Mass Intentions: 26th week in ordinary time.

Christ the Redeemer

Sun 8:30 am
Wed 7:30 pm
Fri 9:00 am
Sat 9:00 am

Intention:
Int. The People of CTR
+Barbara Freeman
Int. Bishop Mark Spalding
+Robert Snyder

Holy Trinity

Sun 10:30 am
Tues 9:00 am
Wed 5:30 pm
Fri 5:30 pm

Intention:
Int. For the People of HTC
Int. Judy Varisco
+Scott Rowell
+Theresa Sitmann

St. Cecilia

Sun 12:30 pm
Tues 5:30 pm
Thurs 9:00 am

Intention:
Int. For the People of STC
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Prayers for Priests

Sunday — Rev. John Day, CP
Monday — Rev. Jacob, Dio, MSFS
Tuesday — Rev. Emmanuel Dirichukwu
Wednesday — Rev. Theophillus, Ebulueme
Thursday — Rev. Joseph Fessenden
Friday — Rt. Rev. William Fitzgerald
Saturday — Rev. Andrew Forsythe

***Please join us, at Holy Trinity, after Sunday Mass for coffee, and refreshments.**