

# TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## FROM: YOUCAT Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church God Approaches Us Men

## MASS INTENTIONS

11. Why do we hand on the faith?

**We hand on the faith because Jesus commands us; “Go therefore and make disciples of all nations” (Mt 28:19). [91]**

No genuine Christian leaves the transmission of the faith exclusively to specialists (teachers, pastors, missionaries). We are Christ for others. This means that every genuine Christian would like God to come to other people, too. He says to himself, “The Lord needs me! I have been baptized and confirmed and am responsible for helping the people around me to learn about God and ‘to come to the knowledge of the truth’ (1 Tim 2:4b).”

Mother Teresa used good comparison: “Often you can see power lines running alongside of the street. Unless current is flowing through them, there is no light. The power line is you and I! The current is God! We have the power to allow the current to flow through us and thus to generate the light of the world: JESUS –or to refuse to be used and, thus, allow the darkness to spread.” - 123

12. How can we tell what belongs to the true faith?

**We find the true faith in Sacred Scripture and in the living Tradition of the Church. [76, 80-82, 85-87, 97, 100]**

The –New Testament developed out of the faith of the Church. Scripture and Tradition belong together. Handing on the faith does not occur primarily through documents. In the early Church it was said that Sacred Scripture was “written on the heart of the Church rather than on parchment”. The disciples and the – APOSTLES experienced their new life above all through a living fellowship with Jesus. The early Church invited people into this fellowship, which continued in a different way after the Resurrection. The first Christians held fast “to the Apostles’ teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers” (Acts 2:42). They were united with one another and yet had room for others. This is part of our faith to this day: Christians invite other individuals to come to know a fellowship with God that has been preserved unaltered since the times of the apostles in the Catholic Church.

### “VOCATION SEEDS”

How has Jesus touched you and made you whole? In gratitude, on this Thanksgiving weekend, ask Him how He would like you to respond. Could Jesus be calling you to follow Him as a priest, sister, brother or deacon? If God is calling you,

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### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

is held every Friday from 10:00 am to 7:30 pm  
Starting with a Mass at 9:30 am.

### **Saturday, October 8:**

5:00 pm +Sebastiao Braganca  
+Nina Correia  
+Brigit De Souza  
+Julio Legaspi  
+Rocky & Inacio Fernandes  
All Souls in Purgatory  
Intention of Jude Coutinho  
Intention of Prakash Manoo

### **Sunday, October 9:**

9:00 am +Carol Cramer  
+Carmela Szekely  
Intention of Lancy Gonsalves Family  
In Thanksgiving of Mr. & Mrs. Arulnesan Family

10:30 am +Jennifer Huie  
+Eusebia Dukha  
+Tony Marasco  
+Antonio Caayao  
Intention of Bernard Georges  
Intention of Clarita Tanuan  
Intention of Angelina Noranho

12:00 pm Pro—Populo

### **Monday, October 10:**

9:00 am +Rosa Loong  
+Joseph Imparaja  
Intention of Rosario dela Paz  
In Thanksgiving of Aaron Family

### **Tuesday, October 11:**

9:00 am +Baldomera de Gala  
Intention of Margaret Georges  
Intention of Seth

### **Wednesday, October 12:**

7:30 pm +Wilfred Silva  
In Thanksgiving of Edmond Atienza  
In Thanksgiving of Phillip & Shoba  
In Thanksgiving of Esteleydiz Family

### **Thursday, October 13:**

9:00 am Celebrant’s Intention

### **Friday, October 14:**

9:30 am Celebrant’s Intention

7:30 pm +Francis M. Ferrao  
Souls in Purgatory  
In Thanksgiving of Nelly Sanchez

### **Saturday, October 15:**

9:00 am Celebrant’s Intention

*October 9, 2011*

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**Thank You Lord Jesus for a Wonderful Parish Mission**

A heartfelt thank you to all the people who worked very hard for the success of the Mission. In particular, our special thanks to the promoters who, with selfless dedication, did a great job in publicising this event: the Ushers, Musicians, Knights of Columbus, CWL, Lectors, Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Altar Servers, the Youth Group, Legion of Mary and St. Vincent de Paul Society deserve our gratitude.

- \* The Musicians, Lectors, Altar Servers, Ministers of Holy Communion for taking part during the Liturgical Celebrations.
  - \* Ushers and St. Vincent de Paul members who helped with the distribution of writing material before each session.
  - \* Knights of Columbus who controlled the traffic in the parking lot and provided transportation.
  - \* The Youth Group for babysitting during the sessions.
  - \* CWL who took care of most of the printed material, prayer cards, etc.
  - \* All those who contacted the schools and the parishes in our area
  - \* Legion of Mary and St. Vincent de Paul Society who prepared the refreshment after the last session
  - \* The bread provider
  - \* The people who were in charge of the media table and those who showed Fr. Larry's DVD, an invitation to attend the Parish Mission
  - \* The deacons who helped with the anointing of Holy Oil and the priests who made themselves available to hear Confessions
  - \* To all the people, parishioners and non-parishioners alike who attended the Mission
- Special Thanks to Lloyd Mascarenhas who was instrumental in bringing Fr. Larry Roberts to our parish.  
\*\*\* Finally, our deep appreciation to Fr. Larry Richards for his lively presentations, humorous and at the same time very reflective.

**World Mission Sunday** is on October 23rd this year. This is a world wide collection for the missionary church that provides emergency aid when disasters strike, cares for refugees in war torn nations, and provides rural health clinics and transportation for priests, catechists, religious and lay pastoral workers. It provides financial support for the daily needs of all missionaries. Please pray for the missions and be generous on World Mission Sunday.

**THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE**

will take place this weekend October 8 & 9 for Rosalie Hall and Good Shepherd Centre organized by the St. Aidan Knights of Columbus.

Please help feed the hungry and homeless this Thanksgiving! Thank You for your support!

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"Thanksgiving" - a time to count our blessings and acknowledge with gratitude how good and generous God has been to us. As we enjoy this goodness, let us remember the less fortunate in our community and share with them as freely as we have received.

On behalf of the many families YOU helped this Thanksgiving by your generous contribution to the POOR BOX every week, we THANK YOU for your unceasing support.

**HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

**Wishing you all, the Parishioners**

**Happy Thanksgiving !**

**Fr. Joseph Sultana**

**Deacon Gary Johnson      Deacon Patrick Chang**

**2011-2012 Sunday Missals** are available in the gift shop for \$5.00 each.

**Novalis Living with Christ Missals** for the month of November are also available for \$2.25 each.

**The Catholic Women's League of Canada, St. Aidan Council** will be presenting The International Food Fair on Sunday October 23, 2011, after all Masses, in the Parish Hall. Take out foods will be available at a minimal cost.

A Raffle will be included. Our council needs your support. Please see poster in the foyer for details.

**The 2011 Fall Marriage Preparation Program** will commence on October 29, 2011. Please note that this program is held once a year; therefore couples intending to marry by December 2012 must register for it. For more information, kindly contact Aggie Gomez at 416-292-5707.