

# 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Bulletin for 13<sup>th</sup> October 2024



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## Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

• [Wisdom 7:7-11](#) • [Psalm 90](#) • [Hebrews 4:12-13](#) • [Mark 10:17-30](#) •

What are you looking for when you read the Bible? Information about God? Guidance for your life? There's another reason, and it may be the most important of all. We can read the Scriptures so that *they can read us*. We can experience them as the "living and effective" word of God that can expose the motives of our hearts and bring us healing and restoration (Hebrews 4:12).

Today's Gospel shows us this process in real time. A wealthy young man asks Jesus how he can be pleasing to God. In response, Jesus gives him information and guidance by recounting the Ten Commandments.

But the man senses that something is still missing, and he tells Jesus as much. *I already do all of this; why am I still unsatisfied?* This fellow may not see it, but he is asking Jesus to "read" him and tell him what he sees.

"Looking at him" with great love, Jesus does just that. It's as if he holds up a mirror to the man so that he can see that he is too attached to his wealth. He tells the man that if he sells his possessions and gives to the poor, he will finally find the "treasure" he is seeking. Unfortunately, the man cannot accept what he sees, so he goes away "sad" (Mark 10:21, 22).

None of us has to "go away sad" when we experience Jesus "reading" our hearts through the Scriptures. We can remember how Jesus looked at the man and know that that's how he looks at all of us: with love! That means that you can hold fast to that love when his word uncovers the hidden "reflections and thoughts" in you (Hebrews 4:12). You can gaze into his eyes and see that he has nothing but good and hope-filled plans for you!

This is why the word of God is both living and effective. It's living because it is capable of reading our hearts. And it's effective because Jesus always speaks this word to us with love.

*the Word among us, Oct 2024*

***"Here I am, Lord! Let your word pierce me and draw me closer to you!"***

## Thanksgiving Day – October 14<sup>th</sup>

It is fitting for God's people to offer public thanks for all the gifts we have received. The bountiful produce of the earth is a visible sign of the many blessings God wants to shower on us through Christ, **Eph 1.3-10**.

Our God also wants us to share the goods of the earth with all people.



# Happy Thanksgiving

# Mass Times

## Sunday Mass

Our Lady of the Mountains Saturday 5:00 pm Rosary & Confession 4:30 pm  
 Our Lady of the Mountains Sunday 9:00 am Rosary & Confession 8:30 am  
 St. Christopher's Mt. Currie Sunday 11:30 am  
 St. Francis of Assisi, Pemberton Sunday 1:00 pm

## Daily Mass

Our Lady of the Mountains Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 6:00pm  
 Wednesday, Saturday at 9:00am  
 St. Christopher's Wednesday at 11:00am  
 St. Francis of Assisi, Pemberton Friday at 11:00am

Our Lady of the Mountains

**Rosary before Mass** on Saturdays and Sundays: for those who have left the Church

**Bible Study** Tuesdays 5:00-6:00 pm- all welcome

## MASS LECTORS



### Our Lady of the Mountains

**Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Oct** Renata

**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct** Rebecca

### St. Francis of Assisi

**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct** Katie  
Bart



**Sacrament of Reconciliation** - 4:25-4:55pm Saturday, 8:25-8:55am Sunday or by appt

Contact Fr. Andrew L'Heureux: Cell: 1-778-257-4203

## Our Lady of the Mountains is starting an online store!

We are looking for original artwork from our parishioners to be featured on our new store's totes, mugs, t-shirts, etc. Design theme is: *Our Lady of the Mountains* and designs must be submitted by **31<sup>st</sup> October**. Acceptable files include JPEG, PNG or PDF. Please ensure that your designs or photos are of high quality. Chosen designs will be notified in November. Please send your designs to: [Renatazablotney@gmail.com](mailto:Renatazablotney@gmail.com) or use the QR code



Call for Artists

## World Mission Sunday

**Next Sunday the second collection will be for the Propagation of Faith**

Every parish across the world will celebrate World Mission Sunday next week. It is a global sign of the Universal Church and Mission. Your prayers and donations will help support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is beginning, where it is new.



## Faith in Action Campaign 34 - Be a Witness of Love

**OLOM**  
 Parish Goal: **\$15,172**  
 Number of Pledges: **6**  
 Pledges to date: **\$8,850**  
 Cash Received: **\$8,850**

**St. Francis of Assisi**  
 Parish Goal: **\$2,031**  
 Number of Pledges:  
 Pledges to date:  
 Cash Received:

**Money received over Parish Goal to be returned for Parish Project**

**Fear less, hope more. Eat less, chew more.  
 Whine less, breathe more.  
 Talk less, say more. Hate less, love more.**

Lord Fisher

### Construction Update

View this week's drone footage :  
<https://vimeo.com/1006437978>

Or connect via our Website, see above



### Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 9:30am-3:00pm  
 In important or urgent matters, call:  
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