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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thoughts on Today's Liturgy

Reading 1: Kings 5:14-17 Naaman returned to the man of God and acknowledged the Lord.

Reading 2: Timothy 2:8-13 If we persevere we shall also reign with Christ.

Gospel: Luke 17:11-19 None but this foreigner has returned to give thanks to god.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	8	5:00 p.m.	ML	Jerry Ricke	✠	St. Therese of the Child Jesus
Sunday	9	8:30 a.m.	SH	Phyllis Randels	✠	28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	9	10:30 a.m.	KW	Parishioners		28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Tuesday	11	8:30 a.m.	ML	Marcia Girard	✠	28 th Tuesday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday	12	6:00 p.m.	ML	Kenny Larkin		28 th Wednesday in Ordinary time
Thursday	13	8:30 a.m.	KW	Sally & Boyd Forester	✠	28 th Thursday in Ordinary Time
Friday	14	8:30 a.m.	SH	Pete Eck	✠	28 th Friday in ordinary Time
Saturday*	15	5:00 p.m.	ML	Jerry Ricke	✠	St. Teresa of Jesus
Sunday*	16	8:30 a.m.	SH	Parishioners		29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday*	16	10:30 a.m.	KW	Dennis Boor	✠	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation 30 Minutes before Each Mass

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

It is God alone who has the power to heal. However, he uses humans as agents to dispense his gift of healing to humanity. The Prophet Elisha was used as an agent to heal Naaman from his leprosy, so also did Jesus point to the role of the priest in the healing process of the ten lepers. Faith occupies a central position in the healing process of God. In the healing processes we heard of in the first reading and the gospel, the lepers demonstrated their faith by accepting the instructions given to them and have acted on them. Faith that is backed by action always brings about a positive result. Our attention is drawn to the fact that those who benefited from the gift of healing from God had gone back to express their gratitude. Naaman went back to Elisha to give thanks to the God of Israel. Even though the prophet rejected the gifts in person, Naaman used the opportunity to pledge his allegiance to God. One of the ten lepers healed by Jesus returned to give thanks to Jesus. The essence of thanksgiving to God for his favors rendered to us is stressed when Jesus turned to the grateful leper and said, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine?" Let us have the courage and the faith to call on Jesus in our needs and also be ready to express our gratitude to him always for his goodness to us. The best way we can do this as Catholics is through the Holy Mass. Let us therefore be encouraged to offer Masses for events of life as we do offer for the dead.

—Father Emmanuel

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

For the Sick and Shut-Ins:

Kathy & John Dohm, Lennes Rankin, Adalynn Amerin, Myra Dick, The Ringer Family, Eileen Schmidt, Jerome Ricke, John Eck, Herb Landwehr, Jaunita Ricke, Hugh Rankin, Mary Eck, Helen Eck, Sandy Ricke, Ruth Blick, Vonda Landwehr, Julie Thompson, Kenny Larkin

For the Faithful Departed:

Georgia Austin, Jerry Hahn, Benny Ricke, Father Mark Brantley, John Harding, Kevin Lee Austin, Pete Eck, Betty Schmidt, Jerry Blevins, Mary Contrell, Phillip Simpson, Mike Lynch, Dennis Larkin, Joyce Ditgen, KaSondra Mantey, Mabel Boor, Amari Allen, William "Bud" Becker, Phyllis Randels, Marcia Girard, Ronald Ringer and all the souls in Purgatory. May they rest in perfect peace.

For the Military:

Triston Boor, Austin Stull, Jackson Petit, Christopher Coggins, Dylan Allison, Sheldon Hart, Bianca Lewis, Luke Fisher

CHURCH NEWS

Rosary Rally: Rosary Rally on October 15, at noon at St. Boniface. All three parishes are invited and encouraged to attend. October 12 is the 105th anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima. Please consider joining us for this occasion. Weather permitting, we may have it outside. See you there!

Notice for PSR Classes: The first evening of actual class will be Wednesday, September 21st from 7 to 8pm. Contact Cheri Dohrmann at cdohrmann@usd254.org or (620) 886-1574 if you have any questions. The year we WELCOME the students from Sharon/Attica who would like to join us.

Notice for Sharon PSR Classes: First evening for Sharon PSR classes will be October 5, 2022 at 6:30pm.

We are not having enough Mass Intentions from the Parishes.

Ministry Schedule October 15th-16th

Week 3	St. Boniface	St. John the Apostle	Holy Rosary
Lector 1	Marilyn Traffas	Pam Malone	John Hagood
Cantor	Choir	Choir	Cheri Dohrmann
Lector 2	Sandy Ricke	Danny Archuleta	John Hagood
General Intercessions	Jacob Eck	Danny Archuleta	Volunteer
Eucharistic Ministers	Sandy Ricke Darrin Hern Karin Traffas	Marlene Kruckenberg Rick Hitchcock Cindy Summers	Brandon Warner Barbara Hagood Susan Ricke Jerome Ricke Volunteer
Servers	Sidney Swingle Drake Schmidt Jacob Eck	Volunteers	Jhayla Alojacin
Musician	Kathy Dohm	Nikki Brattin	Kathy Dohm
Greeters			Roger and Twila Angell
Sacristan	Laurence Smith	Bev Miller	Brandon Warner
Rosary	Shirley Ditgen		Jerome Ricke

