

**October 17, 2021**  
**Twenty-ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**Opening of the Synod**

*Acts 10: 25-26, 34-35, 44-48*

*Psalm 104*

*Galatians 5: 16-25*

*Luke 14: 13-35*

Towards a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission

Peter enters Cornelius' house to proclaim Jesus Christ risen and glorified. To let the household know God has heard the people's cry and has come in the flesh to bring fullness and fulfillment. That is, Peter announces to Cornelius the Lord's Peace.

Moreover, Peter makes it clear that God shows no partiality. Just because God called Israel the *Chosen People* God did not withhold his revelation from anyone else. All are welcome to come up to Jerusalem and know the Joy of being in God's presence.

Today it is still the mission of the Church to reach out to all people. It is our calling and charge to help all in the world to know the Lord's healing mercy and grace. It is by the Holy Spirit that now it is possible for all to be healed of sin and glory in redemption!

As the Psalm 104 points out the Lord send out his Spirit to renew the face of the earth. The Lord has created all. His greatness is seen in all things he has created. His Holy Spirit will be with us and guides us. We who are the Lord's great work will glorify God just by our nature, as we were created to be. The Holy Spirit has the power of creation and renewal. The process of salvation is on-going!

The process of salvation continues to make manifest God's creative power as life goes on. As it says in Galatians, "...the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control." We the faithful people of God continue to make manifest God's creative power as we go through life. To live in Christ is to be made new.

Finally, the passage from Luke's Gospel directs us toward Jerusalem. To go toward Jerusalem is to go toward the Lord and his Kingdom. We may miss his message and its meaning of salvation unless we are aware of the presence of God. God's love is always present and on-going.

Now, brothers and sisters, the Pope calls us to synod. He calls us to listen to the most vulnerable. We are called to reach out to all people if not all of God's created things. The synod process is to help us discern the Spirit and thus live anew. It calls us to take off the chain that is around our leg and step out in a creative manner as the Spirit called us to do through Vatican Council II. We are to move along the way to the Holy City, Jerusalem according to the pace of the children and beasts, not leaving anyone behind!

Let us all be one toward salvation together.

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**  
**Jer31:7-9;Heb5:1-6;Mk10:46-52**

STEWARDSHIP

Time, Talent, Tithing

It is our way of showing gratitude to God for life itself. It is also your way of being part of the mission and participating in the challenge of spreading the Good News of Love.

Attendance last week:	234
Tithes Collected:	\$3,782.00
Online Giving:	\$370.00
Total:	\$4,152.00

**This weeks' second collection is for World Mission Sunday.**

**Baptism This Weekend**

This weekend Axel will be baptized and enter our community of faith. This will take place at the 10:45 Liturgy. He is the child of Luisana and Raul. They are new to our parish.

May the Lord bless them with his Peace

**Opening of the Synod in local Churches**

**The Prayer of the Synod:  
Adsumus Sancte Spiritus**

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

**LITURGY FOR OCTOBER 17, 2021**  
**29th Sunday Ordinary Time :Cycle B**  
**SYNOD 2021**

- **SONG #1: LITANY OF SAINTS (C MPI)**
  1. (After Saints Names...) **RESPONSE: PRAY FOR US.**
  2. **PRAY FOR US...SAINTS OF GOD...ALL YOU HOLY MEN AND WOMEN, PRAY FOR US.**
- **PSALM 104: (D.Perez-Cuan)**  
**Lord, send forth your Spirit and renew the face the of the earth!**
- **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** (Mass of Peace)  
**The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.**

• **SONG # 2: Holy Spirit, Come to Me (J. Hoy)**

1. Holy Spirit, come to me; open my eyes to you. Holy Spirit, come to me; open my eyes to you.
2. **That I may know Jesus, and I seek his face. That I may hear his voice when he calls out my name.**
3. Holy Spirit, come to me; open my ears to you. Holy Spirit come to me; open my ears to you.
4. Holy Spirit, breathe in me; open my life to you. Holy Spirit, breathe in me; open my life to you.

• **SONG #3: The Cry of the Poor (J. Foley)**

1. **The Lord hears the cry of the poor. Blessed be the Lord.**
2. I will bless the Lord at all times, with praise ever in my mouth. Let my soul glory in the Lord, who will hear the cry of the poor.
3. Let the lowly hear and be glad; the Lord listens to their pleas; and to hearts broken, God is near, who will hear the cry of the poor.
4. Ev'ry spirit crushed, God will save; will be ransom for their lives; will be safe shelter for their fears, and will hear the cry of the poor.
5. We proclaim your greatness, O God, your praise ever in our mouth; ev'ry face brightened in your light, for you hear the cry of the poor.

• **SONG # 4: THE EYES AND HANDS OF CHRIST** (T. Kendzia)

1. **Where two or three are gathered in my name, love will be found, life will abound. By name we are called, from water we are sent: to become the eyes and hands of Christ.**
2. One we become no longer strangers. No longer empty or frail. Filled with the Spirit, every hunger satisfied. Christ is the center of our lives.
3. One in the Spirit, one in the Lord. One in the breaking of the bread. Life giving witness of our dying and new life. Held by the promise in our hands.
4. Not what we are, but what we become. Not what we say, but what we do. Living the challenge as bearers of light. We are the eyes and hands of Christ.

• **SONG # 5: : GO MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

(Angrisano/Tomaszek)

**Go make a difference. We can make a difference. Go make a difference in the world. Go make a difference. We can make a difference. Go make a difference in the world.**

1. We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see the love of God in you and me. We are the light of the world, not to be hidden but be seen.

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2. We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of God for all to see. We are the spirit of hope; we are the voice of peace. Go make a difference in the world.
3. So let your love shine on, let it shine for all to see. Go make a difference in the world. And the spirit of Christ will be with us as we go. Go make a difference in the world.

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**Once again, it is time to start our pumpkin patch! ...Last year you brought in pumpkins and gourds to place in the sanctuary. These are signs of the abundant gifts God has given us. Please feel free to bring them in again. You may leave your pumpkin or gourd in the foyer of the church. Place your name on the bottom of it. Then our decorating crew will place them in the sanctuary. Once again, our resident farmers, Diane and Gregory, will judge the pumpkins for the most round, unique, nice looking and ugly. This may bring a bit of cheer to the day!**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, October 16

4:00 p.m. † John Walgenwitt by Carol Walgenwitt  
Fr. Don Tranel by Daniel Murphy

Sunday, October 17

9:00 a.m. † Rudy and Pauline Crepage by Bill & Chris  
10:45 a.m. † Valentino Papaleo by Angiolina Armenti & Victoria Fiorenza  
† Adeline Zubkousky by Shirley

Monday, October 18

8:00 a.m. NO MASS

Tuesday, October 19

8:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory by Richard & Margaret Schmelz

Wednesday, October 20

8:00 a.m. † Bernard & Eileen Flood by Flood Family

Thursday, October 21

8:00 a.m. Fr. Don Tranel by Daniel Murphy

Friday, October 22

8:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory by Richard & Margaret Schmelz

Saturday, October 23

4:00 p.m. † Kathlynn Grant by Pat Burton  
† Jean Ingraham by Marie, Linda, & Peggy

Sunday, October 24

9:00 a.m. Blessed Sacrament Parish  
10:45 a.m. † Marie Basalone by Danny B.  
† Sandra Carlson by Alan Kieffer