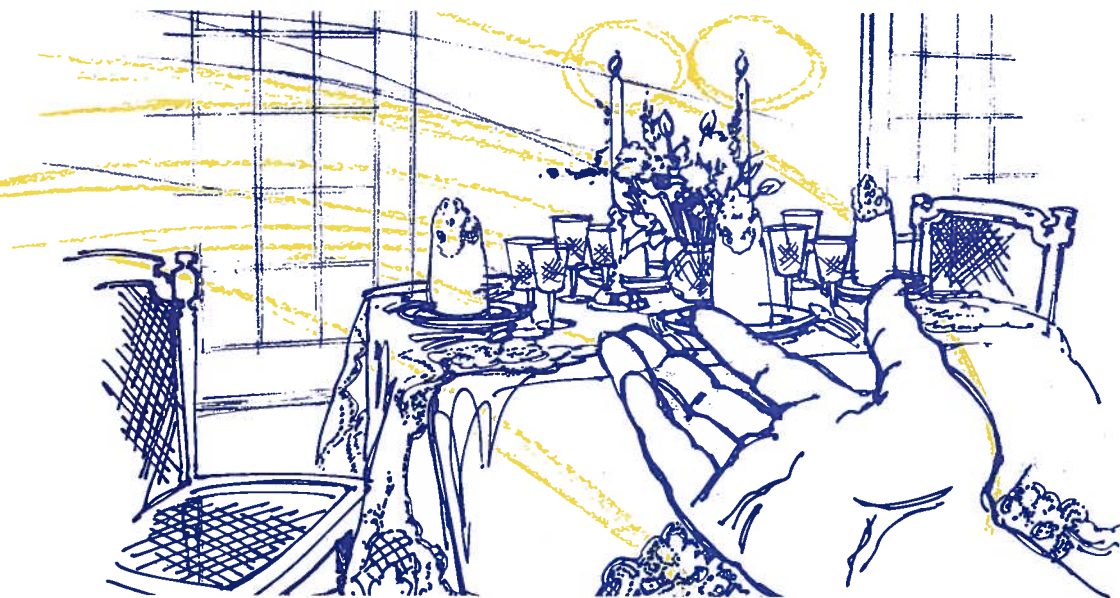


The humble shall be exalted



August 29, 2010 • Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

The great teachers of every age have sought to impart lasting wisdom to their pupils and disciples. They have created classic literature to instruct young nobles, wealthy citizens, and royal heirs how to behave in a manner worthy of their station. Some of Sirach's proverbs were written with this intention. Through all these works is woven the common thread of humility. Sirach counsels humility of spirit and behavior in today's reading, and this theme is expanded in Luke's Gospel. Those who act from a humble heart, we are assured, are the ones who in the end will find favor with God and their peers. And as the poor and lowly are to be invited to the banquet in the Gospel, so will they be lifted high in the reign of God.

WHERE WILL WE SIT?

It is so hard for us not to tell the first person who will listen how busy we are, how hard we work, how much money we donate, and how important our job titles are. We think these accolades make a difference to people, and if we don't tell them, how will they ever know? Today's readings distinctly advise us to "let them figure it out on their own." If we have to tell people how important we are, perhaps we're not as important as we think. But if our actions demonstrate our values, people will recognize our worth on their own. The words of Jesus show us how much better it is to let someone else recognize our worth than to be embarrassed because someone did not (even after we pointed it out).

Today's Readings: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, August 30**

8:00 AM COMMUNION SERVICE
r/b No Mass Today

TUESDAY, August 31

8:00 AM Charles Dinger
r/b Corpus Christi Altar Rosary Society

WEDNESDAY, September 1

8:00 AM Elaine Kearns (1st Anniversary)
r/b Pat Rosser

THURSDAY, September 2

8:00 AM Charles McSweeney
r/b Mom & Family

FRIDAY, September 3

8:00 AM Wade Simmons
r/b Jeanne & Joseph Smith

SATURDAY, September 4

8:00 AM Frank McClintock
r/b Jack & Marie Staub

**Reflecting on****THE 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Theme: He Who Humbles Himself Shall Be Exalted

Only those who are really great can afford to be humble. Humility stands actually for truth. There is a story about an actor who wanted a famous photographer to shoot him and instinctively assumed the pose of a character in one of his movies. The photographer had to remind him: "I want a picture of *you!*" The actor had trouble being himself in front of a camera. He was always acting.

It is well-adjusted persons who can honestly be themselves always and everywhere. Such persons do not need status symbols, neither do they have any desire to keep up with their neighbors. They have no need to prove themselves, for "good wine needs no bush."

Humble parents have no pretensions. They know that they are loved and respected by their children for what they are. They can afford to apologize for mistakes, since it is human to make them. Humble persons give in easily when the other proves that he or she is right. One cannot be an expert in all fields. As a Christian virtue, humility is rooted in God. Christians know that all they are and have constitute a gift of God. Hence, they are in constant need of God. Jesus is the sublime example of humility and that is why He can speak about it, as He does in today's Gospel.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES 2010-2011

Re-registrations may be dropped off at the Religious Education Office. **For info about NEW student registrations for all grades, please call 609.871.4680 to schedule appointment.** Baptismal Certificates MUST accompany all new registrations.

All classes, K thru 8, are held Tuesday evenings, 6:00 to 7:15 PM. If all requirements are met, Confirmation is celebrated in the spring of 8th grade; First Eucharist in the 2nd grade.

ATTENTION!**TEENAGERS & PARENTS OF TEENAGERS**

High School Aged: In September, 2010, special RCIA sessions will begin for students in grades 9 thru 12 who have not been baptized or received the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist or Confirmation. To register, or for more information, please call Sister Rosemary at 609.871.4680. If no answer, please leave your name and phone number and someone will return your call.

TASTE OF BURLINGTON COUNTY

Wednesday, October 13, 2010. 6:00-9:30 PM

The 16th Annual Taste of Burlington County will be held at The Merion, Cinnaminson, NJ. Event features delicious food samplings by more than 20 local restaurants and an auction of many beautiful baskets containing a vast array of gift certificates, vacation reservations, jewelry, and gifts to please every age. We are also fortunate to have Rick Williams, Channel 6 News, as Master of Ceremonies. Please plan on this spectacular evening. Please call Betty Jean Byrnes at 609.871.2311 for tickets or to reserve a table for 10. Tickets: \$55.00 pp. Please purchase your tickets as soon as possible as seating is limited to 450. We promise you a wonderful time, super delicious food, and exceptional gift baskets.

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Weekend of August 22, 2010	\$ 8,030.30
Same Weekend Last Year	\$ 10,353.59

Please take the time to use your envelopes. By doing so we are better able to keep track of your donations. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

BAPTISMS

We welcome into our Parish Family the following children who were recently brought to The Lord through the Sacrament of Baptism:

JACOB PATRICK BOCCI
LUIS ENRIQUE RAMOS, JR.

The grace of the Sacrament be with them always.

Baptisms take place the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Please call the Rectory at 877.5322 for an appointment to register for Baptism two months prior to Baptism. Please remember Sponsors **MUST** present Letters of Eligibility from their parish.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES***Emergency Services of Catholic Charities***

Our August Back to School Drive is running now. Backpacks/supplies are needed to help children kick off a new and successful school year. Accepting donations throughout the month of August. Items can be dropped off any time between 9:00 AM-12:00 Noon and 1:00-4:00 PM at 801 Burlington Ave, Door F, Delanco, NJ, 856.764.6940. Monetary donations are always accepted and can be mailed to: Emergency & Community Services, 801 Burlington Avenue, Suite G, Delanco, New Jersey 08075.

42nd ANNUAL FAIR & POLISH FESTIVAL***Little Servant Sisters of Immaculate Conception***

Sunday, Sept. 12, 2010, 11:00 AM, Rain or Shine

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ALTAR & ROSARY CASINO BUS TRIP

Sunday, September 26th, 2010

Join us at THE HILTON! Leave 10:30 AM. **MUST ARRIVE 10:15 AM.** Return: 7:30 PM. Cost: \$23.00. Receive \$20.00 (*must have minimum of 35 on bus*). Reserve Early! Call Marie Smith at 877.8783.

HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL

Class of '75 35th Reunion

Friday, November 26, 2010 at Sensational Host, Maple Shade, NJ. For info, contact Cindy Goodwin Petti at 856.764.9714 or CINNER1105@AOL.COM.

CORPUS CHRISTI SENIORS CLUB***September 2009 Activities***

MONTHLY MEETING Wednesday, September 1st Bogdan Hall. Arrival 1:15 PM. Meeting 1:30 PM.

Also, Yearly Membership dues, \$5.00 pp (Sept.-June), will be collected at this meeting. Dues help defray the cost of entertainment, guest speakers, etc.

IN THE CONVENT

MINI-RETREAT Monday, Sept. 13th, 9:15-11:15 AM. Includes Fr. Michael Joncas' DVD *In The Sight of The Angels*. Private Time/Prayer Service.

CROCHET OR KNIT Thursday, Sept. 23rd, 12:45-2:15 PM. Help make Afghans, etc. for the Saint Francis Inn, Philadelphia, PA

OUTREACH

PRAYER SERVICE, CLARE BRIDGE 11:00 AM. Join us Thursday, September 2nd; and Wednesdays, September. 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th.

VOLUNTEER AT THE SAINT FRANCIS INN Serve the poor in Philadelphia, Fridays, September 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24^h. Leave C.C. 10:30 AM, return appr. 2:00 PM. Sign-up in advance at this Meeting for September thru December 2010 commitments.

EXCURSIONS/TRIPS**PETER NERO AND THE PHILLY POPS**

Saturday, October 9th, 2010

Peter Nero presents "Broadway Showstoppers—Broadway Rocks" at the Kimmel Center in Philadelphia. Cost: \$125 pp, includes transportation, show and lunch at The Chart House Restaurant. Reservations/payment at the September Meeting.

A FALL PILGRIMAGE

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