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Let us give thanks to the Lord

We thank thee, Lord,

For fields of grain

Gold and ripe from summer's rain,

For hillsides bright

With scarlet trees

That rustle in the autumn breeze,

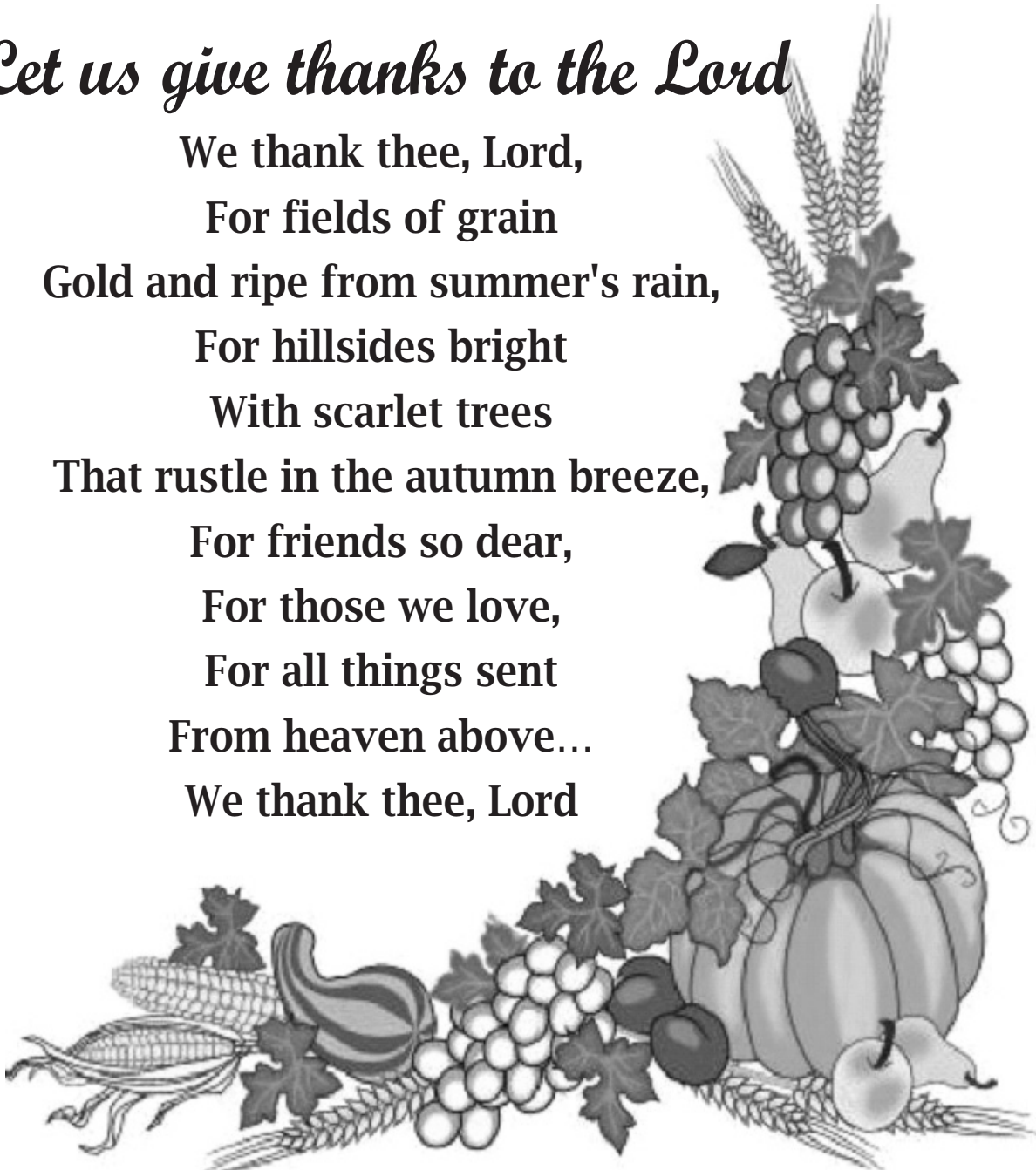
For friends so dear,

For those we love,

For all things sent

From heaven above...

We thank thee, Lord





28th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 13 October 2019

Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then Jesus said to the Samaritan, "Get up and go your way; your faith has made you well." *Luke 17:17-19*

First Reading + 2 Kings 5:14-17
Second Reading + 2 Timothy 2:8-13
Gospel + Luke 17:11-19

Mass  for the Intentions  Week

Monday, October 14
 NO MASS SCHEDULED
Tuesday, October 15
 5:30pm+Marian Cenacle
 6:00pm+HOLY HOUR
 **6:15pm – 6:45pm + CONFESSIONS
 7:00pm+Michael O'LEARY, RIP – Dw. Donnelly
Wednesday, October 16
 8:00am+Hugh JONES, EIP – H. Wright
Thursday, October 17
 8:00am+Rachel MORRISON, Per Int – P/C Morrison
 10:30am+Mass at Good Samaritan Complex
Friday, October 18
 12:10pm+G/D TARDIF & Family – Pers. Int.
Saturday, October 19
(Sat. Daily Mass at Immaculate Conception)
 9:00am+Deacon Des CARROLL, RIP – P/F Healy
 5:00pm+Rosemarie O'LEARY, RIP – P Campbell & Family
Sunday, October 20
 9:00am+FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 10:30am+Gerald MEGRAW, RIP – J Megraw

FROM THE DESK OF FR. GLASS:

Liberalism in Religion

Today, 13 October, John Henry Newman is being canonized in Rome, i.e., being declared a *Saint*. One hundred and forty years ago, Newman was made a Cardinal by Pope Leo XIII. Here is an excerpt from the short speech that he gave on that momentous occasion:

For thirty, forty, fifty years I have resisted to the best of my powers the spirit of 'liberalism' in religion. Never did Holy Church need champions against it more sorely than now, when, alas! it is an error overspreading, as a snare, the whole earth; and on this great occasion, it will not, I hope, be considered out of place, if I renew the protest against it which I have made so often.

Liberalism in religion is the doctrine that there is no positive truth in religion, but that one creed is as good as another, and this is the teaching which is gaining substance and force daily. It is inconsistent with any recognition of any religion, as true. It teaches that all are to be tolerated, for all are matters of opinion. Revealed religion, according to liberalism, is not a truth, but a sentiment and a taste; not an objective fact, not miraculous; and it is the right of each individual to make it say just what strikes his fancy. Devotion is not necessarily founded on faith. Men may fraternize together in spiritual thoughts and feelings, without having any views at all of doctrine in common, or seeing the need of them.

Since, then, religion is considered so personal a peculiarity and so private a possession, we must of necessity ignore it in the intercourse of man with man. If a man puts on a new religion every morning, what is that to you? It is as impertinent to think about a man's religion as about his sources of income or his management of his family. Religion is in no sense the bond of society.

Such is the current state of things, and it is well that it should be realized by all of us; but it must not be supposed for a moment that I am afraid of it. I lament it deeply, because I foresee that it may be the ruin of many souls; but I have no fear at all that it really can do aught of serious harm to the Holy Church.

Christianity has been too often in what seemed deadly peril, that we should fear for it any new trial now. What is uncertain, and what is commonly a great surprise, when it is witnessed, is the particular mode by which Providence rescues His Church. Sometimes our enemy is turned into a friend; sometimes he falls to pieces of himself; sometimes he does just so much as is beneficial, and then is removed.

Commonly the Church has nothing more to do than to go on in her own proper duties, in confidence and peace; to stand still and to see the salvation of God. "The meek shall inherit the land and delight themselves in abundant peace."

Saint of the Work

For it is not meet for the members to be at variance with the head; but, according to the testimony of sacred Scripture, all the members should follow the head. It is matter of doubt, moreover, to no one, that the church of the apostles is the mother of all the churches, from whose ordinances it is not right that you should deviate to any extent. - *Pope Saint Callistus I (d. 222), Pope, Patron of Cemetery Workers, Feast Day October 14*



Oktoberfest Cabbage Roll Dinner

Oktoberfest Sausage, Home-made Cabbage Rolls
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Saturday, October 26 – 6:15pm

Tickets on sale now

Adult \$20 Child (under 12) \$10

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Tickets available after mass & the office

In support of our parish Youth Ministry

† All Souls Day Masses

November 2nd @ 9:00 am

For All the Faithful Departed of the Parish.

To be Remembered at daily masses in November

All Souls Envelopes

can be picked up at the back of the Church. All donations will go directly to Cemetery Board for the upkeep of our parish cemeteries.

St. Paul's & Immaculate Conception Cemetery Clean-up

Saturday, November 9th at 9 a.m.

(Rain date Nov. 16th)

Bring rakes & gloves, we begin at St. Paul's and then over to Immaculate Conception. Refreshments provided and Qualifies for community hours

NOTICE TO LOT OWNERS

As part of our Fall clean-up we will be removing all metal or iron crosses, glassware, ceramics and lawn ornaments. These items can pose a safety risk to our maintenance staff and equipment and detract from the decor of our cemetery. If you would like to save these items, please collect them before October 31st. We appreciate your cooperation in keeping our cemetery clean and safe.

Educate, Reflect, Act! Be an Informed Voter!



Our actions matter, and so does our vote, because it can turn our country's government towards greater justice. Our vote can lead to greater economic security and opportunity, or marginalization and hopelessness – for the peoples of Canada and for our brothers and sisters in need around the world. In this booklet, learn more about what the Catholic Church

teaches about seven key topics: human dignity • poverty • homelessness • health care • Indigenous issues • newcomers • the environment. As you prepare to cast your vote in the federal election, find out how the various parties plan to address these issues. Your voice matters – so for heaven's sake, vote! (www.novalis.ca)

October 20th – WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday. Every parish across the globe will celebrate this event. It is a global sign of the Universal Church and mission. On this day, Pope Francis invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for the Propagation of the Faith. Your donations will support churches, hospitals, schools and train seminarians and religious Brothers and Sisters in Asia, Africa, Latin America, Oceania, and some of our Canadian dioceses.



Only One Week Away! Annual Christmas Bazaar

November 9th ~ 10:00 – 1:30pm

We are still looking for donations for the following items:

Clean gently used

'Scarves, Handbags, belts & accessories'

Clean used trinkets & Bling **'Jewellery'**

'Brand New Gift Donations'

For Our Popular Penny Table and Second Prize table

'Christmas Ornaments'

If they are in good repair, why not donate them!

NOTE: Drop of boxes at both churches for scarves and jewellery only. All other Donations can be dropped off

Wed. Nov. 6 to Fri. Nov. 8 between 9-4pm

DON'T FORGET TO RETURN YOUR LOTTERY TICKETS!!

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