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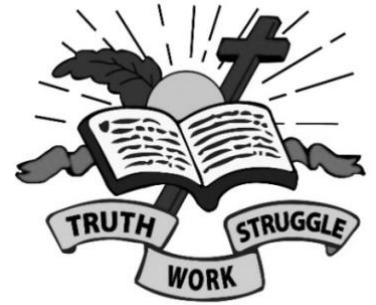
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September 5, 2021

23rd Ordinary Sunday

FAITH SHARING

Today's readings offer us the challenge: Become humble instruments of healing in Jesus' hands by giving voice to the voiceless and caring love to the needy and the marginalized in our society.

In the first reading the prophet Isaiah reminds us that God's eyes are constantly focused on the helpless.

In today's second reading the apostle James gives us some basic and challenging principles of social justice. He exhorts Christians to show no partiality based on external appearance and to practice God's "preferential option" for the poor. He warns the faithful against scorning or shaming the poor while showing special consideration to the rich.

Today's Gospel describes how Jesus, by healing a deaf man with speech impediment, fulfilled Isaiah's Messianic prophecy, "*The eyes of the blind shall be opened and the ears of the deaf unstopped.*"

The ailments listed by Isaiah are symbolic of our interior illnesses: blindness to the needs of our neighbor, unwillingness to hear God's voice and the inability to speak words of praise, apology, forgiveness, and gratitude.

Through this miracle story, Mark also reminds us that no one can be a follower of the Lord without reaching out to the helpless.

Responsorial Psalm

R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

ENTRANCE HYMN (Sirach 36:1-2, 12)

V. Come to our aid, O God of the universe, and put all the nations in dread of You! Raise Your hand against the heathen, that they may realize Your power.

R. Take pity on Your holy city, Jerusalem, Your dwelling place.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Gospel

MK 7:31-37

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Mark.

Again Jesus left the district of Tyre and went by way of Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, into the district of the Decapolis.

And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "*Ephphatha!*"— that is, "Be opened!" — And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly. He ordered them not to tell anyone. But the more he ordered them not to, the more they proclaimed it.

They were exceedingly astonished and they said, "He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak."

The Gospel of the Lord.



Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn
Hymn of Faith

Hymn to the Holy Spirit
144 Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn
230 Come, Thou Almighty King

Communion Hymn
229 Just As I Am

Recessional Hymn
228 Joyful, Joyful We Adore You

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, September 5

23 Ordinary Sunday

12:00 Noon – Holy Mass

Sunday, September 12

Solemnity – Brotherly Love

12:00 Noon – Holy Mass

Sunday, September 19

25 Ordinary Sunday

12:00 Noon – Holy Mass

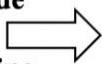
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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Let us pray for all of the sick and homebound members of our Parish, especially: Howard Friedman, Bernice Muha, Janet Caruso, Michael and Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank and Shellie Fisher, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Duane Schulte, Bill and Bernice Biroscak, Stephanie Besterci, David Potts, Andrew Chernesky, Joan Piechota, John Smith, Ernie Hoffman, Peggy Harris, Ina Reese, Bob Stutz, Tom Goff, David Gavenda, Michelle Freer, Kay Stampone, John Russell, Ronald Brower, Jan Cherneski, Ewelina Mendelewski-Filyushchenko, Richard Golazewski, Fr. Donald Wunderlich, Izabela Dryfik, Michal Mularczyk, Liz McGlone

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

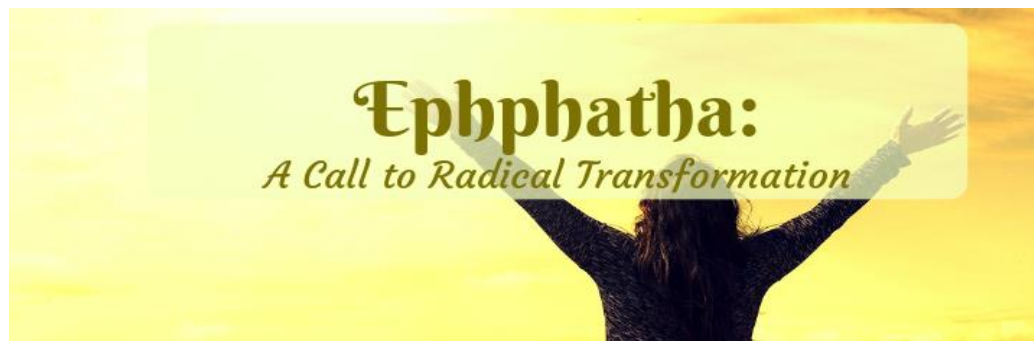
Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. In flame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.

MASS INTENTIONS

09/05/21	Su	12:00 Noon	OPEN
09/12/21	Su	12:00 Noon	OPEN
09/19/21	Su	12:00 Noon	OPEN

SECOND COLLECTION

The second Collection today is for the Mission Fund. Thank you for your generosity.



MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM

Mass for _____

Date requested _____

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