



Most Holy Redeemer

CATHOLIC CHURCH

OCTOBER 19, 2025

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
XXIX DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

TODAY'S READINGS

1st Reading -
Exodus 17: 8-13

Responsorial Psalm -
Our help is from the Lord, who made
heaven and earth.

2nd Reading -
2 Timothy 3:14, 4:2

Gospel - Luke 18:1-8

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera Lectura -
Éxodo 17: 8-13

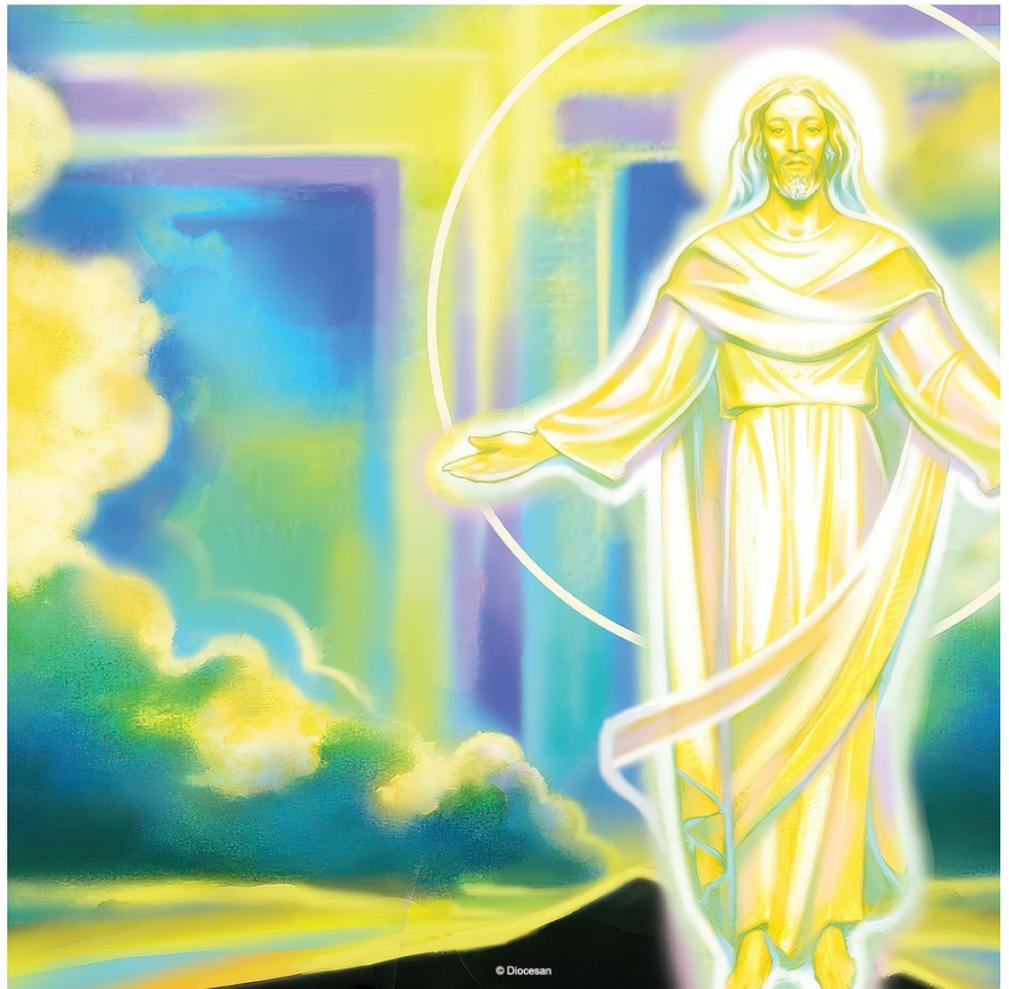
Salmo Responsorial-
El auxilio me viene del Señor, que
hizo el cielo y la tierra.

Segunda Lectura -
2 Timoteo 3:14, 4:2

Evangelio - Lucas 18:1-8

WHEN THE SON OF MAN COMES,
WILL HE FIND
FAITH ON THE EARTH?

CUANDO VENGA EL HIJO
DEL HOMBRE,
¿ENCONTRARÁ FE SOBRE LA TIERRA?



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Deacons:
Joseph Krzanowski
Kevin Dwyer

World Mission Sunday
There will be a second collection this
Saturday/Sunday the 18th and 19th.

Domingo Mundial de las Misiones
Habrá una segunda colecta este
sábado/domingo 18 y 19.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 18

5:00 PM Ray & Patty Garavito (*Special Intentions*)

Sunday, October 19

8:00 AM + Jorge Ciro Feria

10:00 AM Dcn. Ted Martin & Dcn. Kevin Dwyer
(*Ordination Anniversaries*)

12:30 PM + Christian Bonilla

Monday, October 20

6:45 AM For those who do not believe in God.

Tuesday, October 21

6:45 AM For peace & healing of those affected by the war in Ukraine.

6:30 PM + Olga & Oran Fernandez

Wednesday, October 22

7:00 AM Josephine Butz (*God's Special Blessings*)

8:30 AM Increased vocations to religious & consecrated life.

Thursday, October 23

7:00 AM For the needs of our parish.

7:00 PM En acción de gracias por José Núñez.

Friday, October 24

6:30 PM Por la paz del Mundo.

Saturday, October 25

8:30 AM Nelly Faustina (*Special Blessings*)

(+) *Deceased*

FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL, HOMEBOUND, OR CONFINED TO HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES, ESPECIALLY:

Dcn. Joe Krzanowski

Mateo Avila (baby)

Joanna Schweiberger

Lucy Perez

Sandra McRae

Monica Marroquin

Gladys Contrera

Yolanda Diaz

Gertrudis Salazar

Rafael Pagan

Olga Bonilla

Rita Gomez

Jeanne M. Duval

Ismael Hernandez

Pat Krzanowski

Ligia Grams

Grecia Bonilla

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE PASSED, ESPECIALLY:

Deacon Leo Nova

German Bonilla Jr.

Walter Swisher Jr.

Jorge Perez

Israel Aparicio

Raymond Denicourt

Steve Berry, OSF

Ronald Haebig

Beverly Mikolash

Cathy Nurkala

Celina Barrios

Jessie Walter Turner

Angelica Carasco

Paul Reed

MASS TIMES

Sunday

8:00 AM

10:00 AM

12:30 PM (*Spanish*)

Monday

6:45 AM

Tuesday

6:45 AM

6:30 PM

Wednesday

7:00 AM

8:30 AM (*Morning Star*)

6:30 PM (*1st & 2nd
Weds. Only*)

Thursday

7:00 AM

7:00 PM (*Spanish*)

Friday

6:30 PM (*Bilingual*)

Saturday

8:30 AM

5:00 PM

ADORATION

Tuesday

5:30 PM - 6:15 PM

Thursday

3:00 PM - 6:45 PM

CONFESSIONS

Tuesday

5:30 - 6:30 PM

Thursday

6:00 PM - 6:40 PM

(*Spanish*)

Saturday

4:00 PM - 4:40 PM

(*Eng. & Spa.*)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Tue - Thu

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Fri - Sun

Closed



PERSEVERANCE

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives a clever example of why we are to persevere in praying, even if we think the prayer is not being heard. The crooked judge just wanted to get that widow off his back. She was lucky her adversary didn't pester the judge, too; he might have gone the other way. So we can pray to God with even more confidence, because we know that God loves us and will answer our prayers.

St. Paul carries that theme of perseverance even further. He is not just talking about prayer here; he encourages Timothy to persevere in proclaiming God's word as well. That command we may find more challenging than prayer. He tells Timothy (and us!) to "convince, reprimand and encourage through all patience and teaching" (2 Timothy 4:2). How can we do that?

"Convince" reminds me that our faith should be reasonable. Not that we can prove all that we believe in a scientific way, but our faith should be realistic; after all, God made the world, so God should know how it works. Jesus' command to love one another, for instance, can be taught much more convincingly by giving examples of love. A mother who hugs her child when he is hurt, forgives him when he is sorry, and encourages him when he feels lost is teaching that command in a way that will be remembered much longer than

our faith by showing them examples of love, forgiveness, and encouragement.

Paul also talks about reprimanding each other. That may be what he was thinking when he says that proclaiming the word can sometimes be inconvenient. Most people find it difficult to reprimand someone they are in charge of, much less one who is equal in status. That's where patience comes in. A reprimand can be made patiently and gently, as a sign of concern rather than authority.

Paul lastly mentions teaching. He probably was referring to teaching the Hebrew scriptures and how they were fulfilled in Christ. Parents can do their part by teaching the stories from the Bible, helping children to see God in creation, teaching them to pray, and being good examples of God's love for them. If you send your children to religion classes or the parish school, do what you can to support the teachers so that what the children learn at school is practiced at home. What the children see (or don't see) at home has a much greater effect than a few hours a week in a classroom.

-Tom Schmidt

LA PERSEVERANCIA



En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús da un ejemplo ingenioso de por qué debemos perseverar en la oración, incluso si creemos que no se escucha nuestra oración. El juez corrupto solo quería quitarse de encima a la viuda. Tuvo la suerte de que su adversario no molestará también al juez; podría haber optado por lo contrario. Así que podemos orar a Dios con aún más confianza, porque sabemos que Dios nos ama y responderá a nuestras oraciones.

San Pablo lleva el tema de la perseverancia aún más lejos. No solo se refiere a la oración; anima también a Timoteo a perseverar en la proclamación de la palabra de Dios. Este mandato puede resultarnos más difícil que la oración. Le dice a Timoteo (¡y a nosotros!): "convenza, reprende y exhorta con toda paciencia y sabiduría" (2 Timoteo 4,2). ¿Cómo podemos lograrlo?

"Convencer" me recuerda que nuestra fe debe ser razonable. No es que podamos demostrar científicamente todo lo que creemos, pero nuestra fe debe ser realista; después de todo, Dios creó el mundo, así que Dios debería saber cómo funciona. El mandato de Jesús de amarnos los unos a los otros, por ejemplo, se puede enseñar de forma mucho más convincente dando ejemplos de amor. Una madre que abraza a su hijo cuando está herido, lo perdona cuando se arrepiente y lo anima cuando se siente perdido, está enseñando ese mandato de una manera que se recordará mucho más tiempo

que simplemente diciéndole que ame a la gente. Así que podemos convencer a otros de nuestra fe mostrándoles ejemplos de amor, perdón y ánimo.

Pablo también habla de reprendernos unos a otros. Quizás eso era lo que pensaba cuando dice que proclamar la palabra a veces puede ser incómodo. A la mayoría de las personas les resulta difícil reprender a alguien a quien tienen a su cargo, y mucho menos a alguien de igual estatus. Ahí es donde entra la paciencia. Una reprimenda puede hacerse con paciencia y amabilidad, como muestra de preocupación más que de autoridad.

Por último, Pablo menciona la enseñanza. Probablemente se refería a enseñar las escrituras hebreas y cómo se cumplieron en Cristo. Los padres pueden contribuir enseñando las historias de la Biblia, ayudando a los niños a ver a Dios en la creación, enseñándoles a orar y siendo buenos ejemplos del amor de Dios por ellos. Si envían a sus hijos a clases de religión o a la escuela parroquial, hagan lo posible por apoyar a los maestros para que lo que aprenden en la escuela se practique en la casa. Lo que los niños ven (o no ven) en el hogar tiene un efecto mucho mayor que unas horas a la semana en un salón de clases.

-Tom Schmidt

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & RESPECT LIFE

On October 11, the Knights of Columbus hosted their annual soccer challenge for kids ages 9-14. The knights would like to thank everyone who participated in their soccer shoot-out. Each winner got a new KOC soccer ball. Congratulations to the winners!



The KOC will start offering raffle tickets for the Christmas cash raffle.

\$1 = 1 ticket
\$5 = 3 tickets

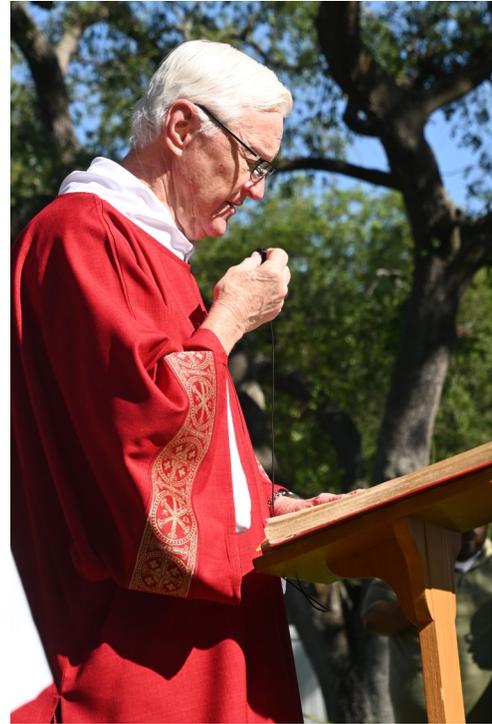
The drawing will take place on Saturday, December 6 at the parish Christmas party. The first prize is \$500, the second prize is \$100, and the third prize is \$50. An individual does not need to be present during the raffle to win.

For any questions, please contact Shawn Carson.



Our Respect Life Ministry was outside Tampa Women's Health Center in the beginning of October praying, offering assistance. 40 Days for Life continues until November 3rd. For more information you can visit online: 40Daysforlife/tampa or contact Shawn and Patty Carson.

DIACONATE ORDINATIONS



Happy Ordination Anniversary to Deacon Ted Martin (*October 17, 2015*) and Deacon Kevin Dwyer (*October 19, 2013*). Thank you for all that you do in our parish. May the Lord bless your love for Him and your service to his Church.



Retiro

VENGAN Y LO VERÁN

Sábado **29** de 8:00a.m. a 3:30 p.m.

Domingo **30** de 8:30 a.m. a 3:30 p.m.

Noviembre 2025

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FE A TRAVÉS DEL COMPAÑERISMO PRESENTA

MHR

FESTIVAL DE OTOÑO

Noviembre 1 | 3PM-9PM

Juegos - Castillo Inflable - Música - Pintura de Calabazas - Paseos en Carruaje

Bunco 3:30pm - 5pm

Estaciones de comida 3pm - 7pm

Bingo 5pm - 7pm

Película, Palomitas y Malvaviscos 7:15pm-9pm

Rifa 7pm

Entrada es gratuita!

¡Ven, únete a nuestro

MIS AMIGOS

GRUPO DE **JÓVENES ADULTOS**

CADA VIERNES!

Y juntos seamos valientes para Cristo!

Lugar: Salón Mary Serina
DUFFY HALL

MÁS INFORMACIÓN:
KATHERINE ESCOBAR (656) 212-4319
ALEJANDRO CUBAS (954) 394-4736

Hora: 7:00pm

FAITH THROUGH FELLOWSHIP PRESENTS

MHR

FALL FESTIVAL

November 1 | 3PM-9PM

Games - Bouncy Houses - Music - Pumpkin Painting - Hayrides

Bunco 3:30pm - 5pm

Food stations are open 3pm - 7pm

Bingo 5pm - 7pm

Raffle drawing 7pm

Movie, Popcorn & Smore's 7:15pm-9pm

Admission is free!

MHR PARISH STATISTICS

# of MHR Families	575
# of Gifts	111
Participation	19%

CATHOLIC MINISTRY *Appeal*

Progress Update

As of October 9, 2025:

We've raised \$55,944.68 of our \$95,616 goal!



MISSIONARIES OF HOPE
among the Peoples

World Mission Sunday 2025
October 19th

SHARE: **GIVE NOW**

YOUR GIFT HELPS SUPPORT:

82,498 Seminarists	8,749 Shelters and Orphanages	11,992 Health Centers	843,785 Catechists	258,540 Religious sisters
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TEXT "MISSIONS25" TO 53555

Leper Colony, Kon Tum, Vietnam, April 7, 2025. (TPMS USA/Margaret Murray)

CATHOLIC MINISTRY *Appeal*

MAKE YOUR GIFT OF **Hope**

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10-05-2025 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Mass Time	Amount Collected	Adult Attendees
5:00pm	\$1,075	118
8:00am	\$867	78
10:00am	\$2,046	156
12:30pm	\$1,530	242
Totals	\$5,518	594
Attd. incl. children		693
Online Giving		\$2,164
Total Offertory (incl. other or non-regular offertory)		\$8,190

Go to our church website to sign-up for Online Giving! A faster and easier method.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Here I am, send me

The celebration of World Mission Day is aimed at supporting the missionary work carried out in my name by the Pontifical Mission Societies, in order to meet the spiritual and material needs of peoples and Churches throughout the world, for the salvation of all. ~Pope Francis

-La celebración la Jornada Mundial de la Misión, tiene como objetivo apoyar la tarea misionera realizada en mi nombre por las Obras Misionales Pontificias, para hacer frente a las necesidades espirituales y materiales de los pueblos y las iglesias del mundo entero y para la salvación de todos. ~Papa Francisco

DOMINGO MUNDIAL DE LAS MISIONES

Aquí me tienes, mándame a mi

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BIBLE TRIVIA

Let's see how familiar you are with the most important book in the world! Try to answer these trivia questions as best as you can. When you're done, you can check your answers by looking them up in the bible!

- 1.) True or False: The Bible is the most popular book ever written.

- 2.) What was the widow asking the judge for in Luke 18:1-8?

- 3.) When Pharaoh changed his mind and sent his army after the Israelites, where did they meet?

- 4.) Name the first 6 minor prophetic books?

Last week's answers:

1. *Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.*
2. *10 lepers*
3. *Water turned to blood, frogs, lice/gnats, flies, livestock pestilence, boils, hail, locusts, darkness, death of the firstborn.*
4. *Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, and Daniel.*

Rearrange the letters to figure out the message from today's readings!

ERNVE TPSO AGINRPY.

The Kids' Corner

Los Más Pequeños

Jim Burrows



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SUNDAYKIDZ

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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X	C	J	U	S	T	I	C	E	F	C
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E	J	A	A	L	W	A	Y	S	E	W
A	A	P	Z	P	U	I	A	S	R	I
R	Z	P	R	A	C	J	O	Z	X	D
Y	H	E	R	R	A	H	U	D	H	O
G	Z	G	L	A	C	Y	O	D	D	W
O	B	N	K	B	Y	N	V	H	G	V
B	K	E	D	L	I	P	S	G	P	E
N	B	F	Q	E	Q	G	O	D	U	V

Parable Pray Always Weary Judge
Widow God Chosen Call Justice

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