

St. Agnes Catholic Church

Terrier & Cherry Rd. Intersection, Sarcoxie, MO
October 18th. 2020 – Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASSES FOR Oct 18th – Oct. 25th

Saint Agnes

Sunday	10:30 a.m.	St. Agnes Parish Family
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	+Jana Russell Townsend
Thursday	8:30 a.m..	+Justice & Peace
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	St. Agnes Parish Family

St. Mary's

Mon.	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Service
Wed.	8:15 a.m.	
Friday	8:15 a.m.	
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Sunday, Oct. 18	World Mission Sunday
Monday, Oct. 19	Memorial of Saints John de Brebeuf & St. Isaac Jogues, Priests & Companions, Martyrs

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Wednesday, Oct. 28	Feast of Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles
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Your Gift to the Church: \$880.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We are now having readers during mass. We already have some parishioners who have volunteered and there is a list in the back of church.

October 4 Jane Kutz
11 Kathy Eck
18 Cheryl Elbert
25 Kathy Heidlage

November 1 Loretta Graskemper
8 Sandy Thorn
15 Martin Wagner
22 Doug Pickering
29 Jane Kutz

MONEY COUNTERS: We only have 4 attending mass at this time. If you would like to be put on the list please call Laura Wroblewski at 737-1404. Thank you .If you need an alternate please call Jared Campbell.

October 18
Ron Wagner
Steve Schmitt

October 25
Cheryl Elbert
Jane Kutz

November 1
James Campbell
Doug Pickering

November 8
Ron Wagner
Steve Schmitt

FRIEND AND FAMILY DINNER: will not be taking place this year because of Covid-19. You will receive a letter and information about a raffle the first Sunday in November.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Sharon Wolfe, Theresa Heidlage, Paul Mettlach, Marie Jasumback, Mary Lenore Droska, Jim and Veda Perrin, Marion Tomlinson Williams, Ray Williams, Peggy Heidlage, Mary Lenore Droska and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

THANK YOU: I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, etc, after my surgery. Rosemary Boes

AFTER MASS TODAY: we will be selling St. Mary's Dinner Tickets Adult \$10 Ages 6-12 \$5, Mums for \$10, and Scrip Cards in stock are \$25 Academy, \$25 Casey's, \$50 Casey's, \$100 Visa Card, \$100 Discover Cards, \$10 Dairy Queen \$25 Flummerfelt's, \$50 Flummerfelt's, \$25 Walmart, \$100 Walmart, \$25 Lowes, \$100 Lowes, \$25 Kohl's, \$25 Acambaro, \$10 Subway, \$25 Amazon, \$25 Target. If you would like other cards or different dollar amounts on a card we can order them in for you.

29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Isaiah 45:1,4-6
Ps 96:1,3-5,7-10
1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b
Matthew 22:15-21

Monday October 19
Sts. Isaac Jogues
& John de Brébeuf
Ephesians 2:1-10
Ps 100:1b-5
Luke 12:13-21

Tuesday October 20
Ephesians 2:12-22
Ps 85:9a-14
Luke 12:35-38

Wednesday October 21
Ephesians 3:2-12
Isaiah 12:2-6
Luke 12:39-48

Thursday October 22
St. Pope John Paul II
Ephesians 3:14-21
Ps 33:1-2,4-5,11-12,18-19
Luke 12:49-53

Friday October 23
Ephesians 4:1-6
Ps 24:1-6
Luke 12:54-59

Saturday October 24
Ephesians 4:7-16
Ps 122:1-5
Luke 13:1-9

In the Gospel reading, when Jesus asks the Pharisees to tell him whose image was engraved on the coin owed for the census tax, he uses it to teach a lesson about the image that should be engraved upon our hearts. Our hearts should belong to God and to God alone.

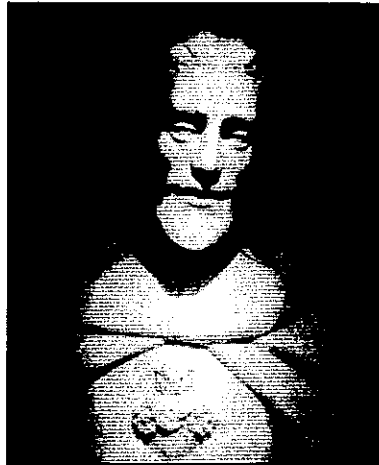
The Romans believed that their emperors were divine. Therefore, to possess Roman coins meant carrying around the graven image of a human god. The Pharisees knew this when they challenged Jesus.

Paying the census tax to Caesar symbolized more than just submission to a foreign government. It had religious connotations. If Jesus was a true prophet, he should speak up against Jews possessing pagan coins. If he was a true messiah, he

should deliver them from the oppression and taxes of the foreign government – or so they thought.

We don't know how they happened to have the Roman coin that they showed to Jesus. If they pulled it out of their own purses, which is likely, it revealed their hypocrisy. However, Jesus wasn't just interested in exposing their hypocrisy; he wanted to make a point about the True Messiah.

If we belong to God, Jesus is engraved upon our hearts. We have been rescued from the destruction of sin by the Messiah. We have let him deliver us from the oppression of evil that was caused by our sins.



Whose image do others see when they look at your life? When people see you, do they see Jesus engraved upon you? To the extent that they do, that's the extent to

which you belong to the kingdom of God!

Reflect & Discuss:

1. How do you know that others see Jesus in your life? What's the evidence?
2. What have they told you about yourself that is also a description of Christ?
3. What are some of the ways in which Jesus has come into your life and changed you from within?
4. How has that changed the way you live?
5. How does this evangelize the people around you?