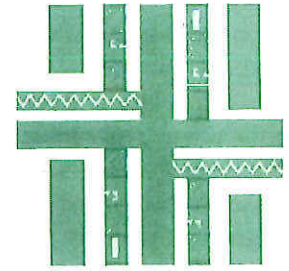


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Michelle Batista / Joan Morris

Office Manager

Maria Creer

Parish Financial Officer

Mary Ellen Morgan

Liturgy

Wednesday - Thursday : 8:00 AM (Mass)

Monday: 8:00 AM (Prayer Service)

Friday: 8:00 AM (Communion Service)

Rosary: Monday - Friday: 7:30 AM

Saturday Mass - 4:00 PM

Sunday Masses - 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

Sacraments

Baptism - Contact Margaret Roncalli

Marriage - Contact pastor 6 months in advance

Reconciliation

3:30 PM - 4:00 Saturday

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE

For communion/visits to the sick & homebound; mass intentions, prayer request & funerals

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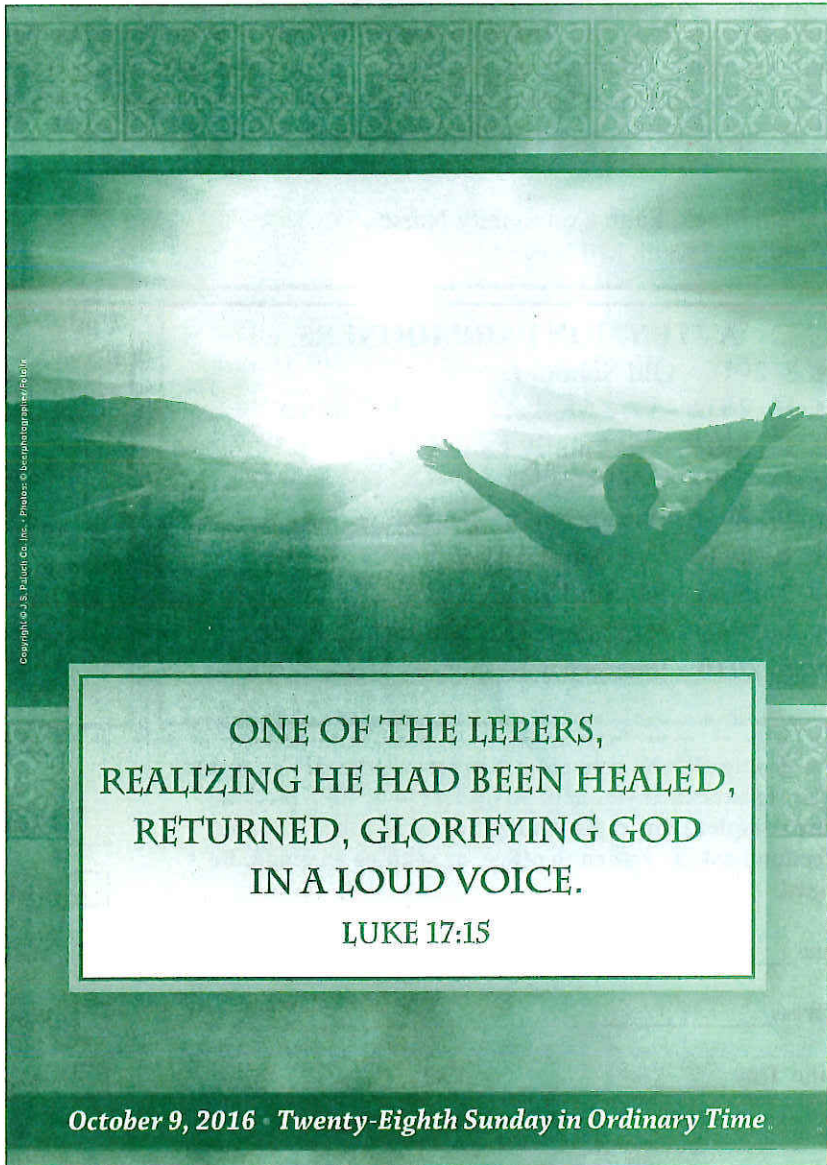
Peace
&
Harmony

Mission & Vision

Through African American traditions, we are moved
by the Spirit to serve.

WE KNOW WHO & WHOSE WE ARE!

“WE SEE YOU”



ONE OF THE LEPERS,
REALIZING HE HAD BEEN HEALED,
RETURNED, GLORIFYING GOD
IN A LOUD VOICE.

LUKE 17:15

October 9, 2016 · Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please **turn off** Cell Phones before
entering Church. Thank you!

GRATITUDE

Surely we can all recall at least a few days in our lives when things were going so well that nothing could put us in a bad mood. Maybe it was the day a very special person asked us to the senior prom, or perhaps it was our wedding day. Maybe it was the day we learned that we were expecting a long-awaited child, or the day we got an overdue promotion. There was elation in our hearts and lightness in our step, an extraordinary vitality throughout the day. We probably got on the phone right away to tell at least a few key people about our good fortune.

This is surely how Naaman and the leper must have felt when they were rid of their terrible diseases. They were hard-pressed to contain their gratitude, and although they were both unfamiliar with the customs of a foreign land, they had the good manners to thank the people responsible for their cures.

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St. Columba Health Cabinet Recognized

On Sunday, October 30, 2016 at the 10:30 am Mass, our St. Columba Health Cabinet will be recognized and honored by our Community Partner from UCSF Abundant Life Health Ministries Program by our special guest Mrs. Gloria Rhodes Brown, Founding Chair, UCSF Faith Communities Committee and Founder, African American Community Health Advisory Committee of San Mateo County.

Mrs. Rhodes Brown will present our Health Cabinet with the 2016. "Gloria Rhodes Brown Endowed Visionary Award" for the honor of being in the 2016 Health Ministry Spotlight as Developers of a "Health Ministry Resource Guide". The guide will benefit both established and beginning Health Ministries through the Bay Area to follow best practices for sustainability.

Thank you,
Elizabeth Mack, Faith Community Nurse
St. Columba Health Ministry

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Canadian Thanksgiving Day;

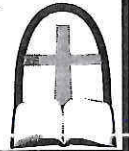
Columbus Day

Tuesday: St. John XXIII;
Yom Kippur (Jewish Day of Atonement)

begins at sunset

Friday: St. Callistus I

Saturday: St. Teresa of Jesus



ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

- Oct. 8, 2016 - Old School Dance
- Oct. 16, 2016 - Flea Market - Health Cabinet
- Oct. 23, 2016 - All Family Faith Day
- Oct. 23, 2016 - Ministry air
- Oct. 29, 2016 - Proclaimers' Workshop
- Nov. 1, 2016 - All Saint's Day
- Nov. 2, 2016 - All Soul's Day
- Nov. 6, 2016 - Jambalaya (St. Vincent de Paul)
- Nov. 6, 2016 - Emergency Response - Mock Scenarios

Update Information

If you have moved recently, changed phone numbers, email address or would like to receive parish envelopes please come by or call the Parish Office.

Request regarding Sunday Bulletin. Hello St. Columba. Bulletins being left behind in the Church after Mass is becoming a real problem. Each Monday someone has to go through the Church and retrieve those left there. We ask that you return it on your way out, if you do not choose to take it home with you, just in case someone else may need one. Your assistance is greatly appreciated. Thanks!
Bernardine

We welcome all who come to celebrate with us. If you would like to register or if you need to update your information, please complete this registration form and place it in the collection basket, return to office or send us an email. Be Blessed!

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Day _____ Eve _____

City _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address _____

- New Parishioner
- Change of Information
- Moving: Remove from list
- Please Call me - best time _____
- I would like to serve as _____