



ST. BASIL THE GREAT CATHOLIC CHURCH
 1200 TUOLUMNE STREET, VALLEJO, CA 94590
 WEBSITE: www.StBasilVallejo.org

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the clergy of St. Basil the Great, guided by the Holy Scripture, Tradition and Magisterium inspired by the Holy Spirit are called by Christ to evangelize, to educate and to motivate the lay faithful to become active witnesses to the spirituality of the Second Vatican Council (Vatican II) through sacraments, liturgy, praise and worship.

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St. Vincent de Paul
 Food Assistance ~ (707) 644-0376



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday:
 5:30pm (Vigil Mass)
 8:30am - 1st Saturday

Sunday:
 7:30am, 9:30am,
 11:30am & 5:30pm

Daily:
 7:15am in the Mary Chapel
 7:00pm - Wednesday

Holy Days:
 7:15am, 9:30am & 7:30pm

Reconciliation:
Saturday
 4:00 - 5:00pm
Wednesday
 6:00 - 7:00pm

PLEASE PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR GIFT TO ST. BASIL PARISH. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
 Saturday, 4:00 to 5:00pm

Sacrament of Baptism: Pre-Baptism preparation class required. Please call the Parish Office for more information.

Sacrament of Marriage: Minimum 6 months advance notice required. Please contact the Parish Office to make an appointment with the Marriage/Wedding Coordinator.

Pastoral Care for the Sick/Homebound: Please call the Parish Office to arrange for home and hospital visits

Anointing of the Sick, please call (707) 567-9500

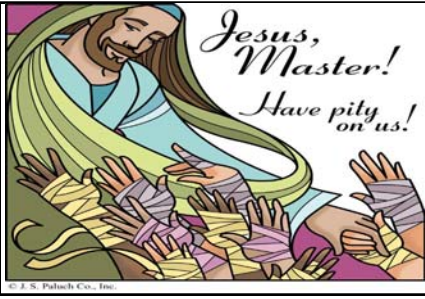
Stewardship at St. Basil Parish
Grow our Gifts...Share Our Blessings

Stewardship of Treasure

Collection for 10/02/16: \$10,851.09
St. Vincent de Paul: \$201.00
Candle: \$199.36

Thank you.
Your ongoing support is essential in helping us meet the many needs of the parish and community.

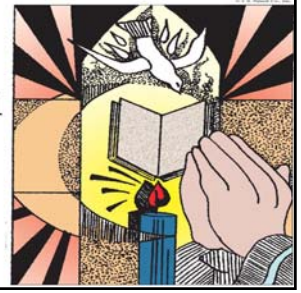
Jesus healed ten lepers in today's Gospel. Only one (ten percent) came back to say thank you. I, too, have received many blessings from the Lord— indeed, all I am and all I have is gift! How and how often have I remembered to thank Him?



**Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 9, 2016**

If we have died with [Christ Jesus]
we shall also live with him;
if we persevere
we shall also reign with him.
— 2 Timothy 2:11-12a

**Your
faith
has
saved
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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SOLIDARITY

We must stand together; if we don't there will be no victory for any one of us.

—Mary Harris Jones

ACCOUNTABLE

It is not only what we do, but also what we do not do, for which we are held accountable.

—Molière

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

This month, parishes around the country will conduct the "October count," a measure of attendance at Sunday Mass. The measure has been taken for many centuries, and in some European dioceses it is possible to measure the level of engagement in worship by the population over the course of many centuries. Long ago, it was also the custom to track "Easter duty" by a statistical report. Penitents would receive a kind of chit at confession, which they would then turn in at their parish church when they received Holy Communion during Easter time.

Long ago, of course, Communion was fairly rare in the life of a Catholic Christian, perhaps only once a year. The chits would be tallied by parish priests and reported to the chancery, which in turn would hold on to the records and include the statistics in a report to the Vatican every five years. Nowadays, the October count has proved especially critical in the life of our Church as bishops use the figures to measure the vitality of church life, to sketch parish boundaries, and even to decide when to close, merge, or form new parishes.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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



Columbus Day

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Naaman, cleansed from his leprosy, returns to Elisha and pledges his belief in and allegiance to the LORD (2 Kings 5:14-17).

Psalm — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Remember Jesus Christ, who was raised from the dead. If we persevere, we shall reign with him (2 Timothy 2:8-13).

Gospel — After ten lepers are cleansed by Jesus, only one, a Samaritan, returns to give him thanks (Luke 17:11-19).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1;
Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7; Lk 11:29-32
- Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119:41, 43-45, 47-48;
Lk 11:37-41
- Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:42-46
- Thursday: Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98:1-6; Lk 11:47-54
- Friday: Eph 1:11-14; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13;
Lk 12:1-7
- Saturday: Eph 1:15-23; Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-7; Lk 12:8-12
- Sunday: Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121:1-8; 2 Tm 3:14 — 4:2;
Lk 18:1-8

75th Founding Anniversary Mass and Dinner!

At the end of the Vigil Mass on Saturday, October 15, Bishop Soto will give special blessings to foundation members of St. Basil Parish from ages 75 years and older. Dinner will follow after the Mass in the Parish Gym. Please remember to bring your dinner tickets.

Social Justice Ministry:

As Faithful Citizens, the Church strongly urge all parishioners to register, to have a formed conscience on key issues, and to vote on November 8th. The deadline to register is October 24th. The Church does not support or oppose any candidate, but seeks to focus attention on the moral and human dimensions of issues.

Prayer to End Abortion

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life
And for the lives of all my brothers and sisters.

I know there is nothing that destroys
more life than abortion,

Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death by
the Resurrection of Your Son.

I am ready to do my part in ending abortion.

Today I commit myself never to be silent, never to be passive,
Never to be forgetful of the unborn.

I commit myself to be active in the pro-life movement,
And never to stop defending life

Until all my brothers and sisters are protected,
And our nation once again becomes

A nation with liberty and justice,
Not just for some, but for all,
Through Christ our Lord. Amen!

Please pray with our
Lazarus Ministry
 for all who have recently departed
 especially:
 +Theresa I. Villa-Carlos
 +Annette M. Berube
 +Benito Dy



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Casino Bus! The Guadalupanas have scheduled a fundraising trip to Feather Falls and Thunder Valley casinos on October 30th. On the bus you will be served breakfast tamales, coffee, and pastry. Over \$300 in raffle prizes. Bus leaves at 6:45am from Tuolumne Street by the side of Mary Chapel. The cost is \$35 per person. Funds are for the annual Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Call Silvana [707-319-3334](tel:707-319-3334) to reserve your seat.

**Mass Intentions
 For The Week**



Saturday, October 8 - 5:30pm
 Holy Rosary of Fatima (SI)
 Joseph R. Domingo (SI)
 Andres M. Vargas (+DA)
 Frank Azavedo Sr. (+DA)
 Ernesta P. Furtado (+)

**Sunday, October 9
 7:30am**

Mass for the good people of St. Basil
 Cresencia Camerino (SI)
 Agapita Oliario Galia (+)
 Sandy Morgado (+)

9:30am

Henry Stroch Oldenberg (+)
 Frankie Scott (+)
 Annabel Fajardo Rentoria (+)
 Jaime & Benita Belen (+)
 Albert Scott (+)

11:30am

Estrella D. Pagtanac (+40th Day)
 Silveriano H. Pagtanac (+)
 Marilou P. Valdez (+)
 Gloria Buten (+)
 Catalina Pagtanac (+)

5:30pm

Herman Robinson (SI)
 Mayor Victor Rafael Miranda (+)
 Rosario Charito Miranda (+)
 Manuel Banzor Sr. (+)
 Maria Bartolome Banzan (+)

Monday, October 10 - 7:15am

Alan & Lucas Lowe (BD/TG)
 Estela Makil (TG)
 Eduardo Ustairs (SI)
 Perlecio Togonon (+BD)
 Romeo Rito (+DA)

Tuesday, October 11 - 7:15am

Lironna Sanchez (BD)
 Richard Stange (+)

Wednesday, October 12 - 7:15am

Ann Heu (SI)
 Ada Robinson
 Consuelo H. Catapang (+DA)

7:00pm

Thursday, October 13 - 7:15am

Frankie Scott (+BD)
 Maxima S. Puzon (+DA)

Friday, October 14 - 7:15am



Lord Jesus, we ask you to bring your peace and healing touch to those who are ill, or afraid or worried. AMEN.

- Debra Ann Anderson
- Shannon Antonio
- Maria Aranda
- Cora Arozal
- Percy Belantes
- Yolande Bekhit
- Cecil Cero
- Ursula Charifa
- Diana Clemente
- Florita Cruz
- Andre Davis
- Andre Davis
- Danilo Dipiramo
- Dorothy Egidio
- Judy de Fiesta
- Mary (Mimi) Fife
- Mariano Furtado
- Ray Hernandez
- Joyceelyn Anderson Herrera
- Cris Ilagan
- Severina Ilagan ***
- Aly Rose Jacobsen
- Nellie Jacques
- Purificacion Llanera
- Rodolfo Lomibao
- Dan Macariola
- Vic Mararac
- Yolanda Mararac
- Dolly Marquez
- Proceso Marquez, Jr.
- Winnie Meadows
- Raquel Puzon-Mejia
- Jim Murphy ***
- Alberto Perez
- Ed Sablan
- Linda Salgado
- Anna Silva
- Kaitlin Sumulpong
- Nathaniel Williams
- Ezekiel Wilson
- Matilda Wilson ***
- Steve Yia

Re-RouteTransport

A transportation service for our friends living on the streets of Vallejo, sponsored by the volunteer group, Vallejo Together, is in need of a mini-van, every Tuesday and Thursday, from 8 am - 3 pm. This service takes our friends to strategic locations throughout the day (ie. hospitals, the VA, the DMV, Social Security Office, Legal Aid, etc.). Benefactors of Vallejo Together provide money to cover gas and additional insurance the vehicle may require. We also provide a driver and hospitality assistant. Owners of vehicles are welcome to drive as well. Please contact us at: vallejotogether@gmail.com or [707-205-7476](tel:707-205-7476) (Francie MacMillan).

School Fundraising

Please join us for our first annual Texas Hold 'Em poker night St. Basil School fundraiser, to be held in the school gym on Saturday, October 22, 2016 at 6:00pm. The buy-in price for a seat at the table is \$100 or if you would just like to be a spectator and enjoy watching the games and listening to music the entry fee is \$20 (1 beer and 1 bratwurst included). You can register and get tickets at the school office. Cash -\$\$\$ - prizes for the top 5 winners! Hope to see you there!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes began Sept 11th and we are still accepting registration. Visit our website at www.stbasilvallejo.org, where you will find our RE registration form for new and returning students to download and print. Submit with payment to Parish Center Office on Mon -Tues, Thus-Fri 9am-5pm or Religious Ed Office, Sunday 9am-11am located in the school. Classes are held on Sundays from 9am-11am.