Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
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

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).

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

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

COFFEE & DONUTS SCHEDULE
Oct. 9 Lay Canossians (Susan Logan)
Oct 16 Youth Ministry (Danyelle Velonza)
Oct 23 Parish Council (Benny Capuyan)
Oct 30 Holy Name School (Parents Guild)
Nov 6 Eucharistic Ministers
Nov 13 Church Environment (Cecilia Bermudez)
Nov 20 Holy Name School (Parents Guild)

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND
Married Couples: Fall is a beautiful season full of color and crisp fresh air. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is like autumn because it’s a weekend full of fresh air, new beginnings and a time to rejoice in the beauty of your marriage and family. It’s a great time to rekindle communication and enjoy a weekend away. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 11-13, 2016 at Vallambrosa Center, Menlo Park. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

OCTOBER ROSARY DEVOTION
Daily starting Saturday, October 1st to October 31st, 2016 at 6:30 PM in the chapel

CASTING LIGHT
There are two ways of spreading light: to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it. — Edith Wharton
Over, please save the date of FEBRUARY 25, 2017 for the dinner.

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FAZtor’S Notes
By Fr. Arnold Zamora

Tommy Rose, a rep from the Catholic Stewardship Consultancy, Inc, came last Wednesday to do a workshop for our staff, parish council members and ministry leaders. The purpose of the workshop was to build enthusiasm for stewardship as a way of life in our parish and to increase understanding of the spirituality of stewardship and the four pillars of parish stewardship which are: Hospitality, Prayer, Formation and Service. He also introduced the best practices in parish Stewardship and discussed the long-term impact on and role of staff and parish leaders in a Total Stewardship parish. Let us pray for a successful journey on this Stewardship way of life in our parish.

In this month of October honoring our Blessed Mother, we will have the presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Shrine this Saturday at the 5PM mass. Visit our BVM Shrine located at the side of the church and see the small statues of the Blessed Mother from different countries and cultures.

When Indira Gandhi, president of the largest democracy on earth, was assassinated, the entire world mourned this great woman and politician. What no one outside her circle of intimates knew was that she greatly respected the Christian’s veneration of the Mother of God.

Her private secretary Doctor Alexander tells about the time that Mrs. Gandhi gave a garden party for her personal staff. As she went around shaking hands with her guests, she pulled Dr. Alexander’s wife close to herself and whispered, “You are Orthodox Christians, aren’t you? Tell me: what is your Church’s attitude toward the Blessed Virgin? Does your Church venerate her as much as the Catholic Church does? Or do you Orthodox Christians have a more reserved attitude?”

The secretary’s wife answered, “Mary is also highly venerated in our Orthodox Church. We pray to her; we lay before her all our needs, we address her as Mother of God.”

A few days after the garden party, a parcel was delivered at the home of the secretary. It contained a small statue of Mary with the Child Jesus. It was a personal gift from Indira Gandhi. (Bert Balling)

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### Building & Maintenance Fund

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#### Upcoming Collections for October

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### NERT Training in Flanagan Center

Begins October 17th!

NERT is a free training program for individuals, neighborhood groups and community-based organizations in San Francisco. Through this program, individuals will learn the basics of personal preparedness and prevention. The training also includes hands-on disaster skills that will help individuals respond to a personal emergency as well as act as members of a neighborhood response team.

The training instructors are professional firefighters. There is no cost for our neighborhood training classes. Holy Name will be hosting neighborhood training classes to be presented in Flanagan Center. Class 1: October 17, 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM Class 2: October 24, 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM, October 31 NO CLASS, Class 3: November 7, 6:00p-9:30pm, Class 4: November 14, 6:00p-9:30pm, Class 5: November 21, 6:00p-9:30pm, Class 6: November 28, 6:00p-9:30pm To register: [http://sf-fire.org/](http://sf-fire.org/)

### Holy Name School Presents

**Fright Festival**

Loompaland and Chocolate Swirls

**October 22nd 10 AM — 5 PM Dance to follow**

Carnival Games, Exciting Inflatables, Performances, Costume Contest, Bingo Area, Raffle, Food, Drinks and a Lounge Corner

Ryan Hall/Flanagan Center/Schoolyard

### 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.
Sunday Scripture Readings Reflection

Reflection:

“To all of you, especially those who can do more and give more, I ask: Please, do more. Please, give more. When you give of your time, talents and your resources to the many people who struggle and who live on the margins, you make a difference. It is a difference that is so desperately needed, and one for which you will be richly rewarded by the Lord.”

- Pope Francis
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Holy Name CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
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FLANAGAN CENTER: (415) 564-2632

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Nelson Lao, Chinese Ministry Coordinator
Benny Capuyan, Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson
Jim Regan, Parish Finance Council Chairperson

Our HOLY NAME TREE OF LIFE located at the back of the Church is a bronze tree trunk with 400+ leaves. Donors can have their names or those they wish to honor engraved on the leaf. We suggest a maximum of 25 characters (including spaces) per line, limited to 5 lines. Leaf color choices are gold, silver or bronze. Custom imprinted leaves are $500 each + $25 imprinting.

The proceeds will go towards our Capital Improvement Fund. Please drop by or call the Parish office for more information (415)664-8590.

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION—2016
January 1: Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God (Friday)
November 1: Solemnity of All Saints (Tuesday)
December 8: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Thursday)
December 25: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas) Sunday

SCHEDULE OF MASSES
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (Family Mass), 11:30 AM, Saturday 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 3:00 PM (Chinese), 5:00 PM (Vigil)
Weekdays: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM
Holy Days 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, and 7:00 PM
Confections: 15 minutes before 9:30 and 11:30 AM Masses on Sunday & 4:30 - 5:00 PM Saturday or by appointment
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Wednesday — 9:30 AM — 12 Noon
Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotions: Friday after 9:00 AM Mass
First Saturday Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary begins at 8:30 AM with the Rosary, then Mass & Benediction

Baptisms by appointment
Baptismal Preparation—Every 1st Saturday of the month in the Pastoral Center - 2 PM — You need to register for the class ahead of time.
Baptism Ministry (Sewing Group): Every Monday 1-3 PM in the Pastoral Center Event Room

Marriages Contact Pastoral Center 6 months in advance.
R.C.I.A. (Chinese):
Every Saturday — Pastoral Center — 1 PM
Bible Study Group (Chinese):
Every Wednesday — 7:30 PM — Flanagan Center
Parish Pastoral Council: contact Fr. Arnold Zamora
St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting — every Monday at 7:30 PM (Pastoral Center)
Legion of Mary: Contact Rose Symkowick (415) 731-4652
Holy Name Ladies Aid: every 1st Wednesday of the Month at 11:45 AM (Flanagan Center)
Senior Club: every Thursday at 10:30 AM (Flanagan Ctr.)
FIL-AM Club: Every 3rd Friday of the month, 6:30 pm (except Oct. and Nov. at 7:30 pm) in the Flanagan Center.
HOLY NAME Choir Practice: every Thursday at 6:00 PM (PC)
The Gabriel Project: Contact Rose Tang (415)793-0967
Blood Pressure Screening: every 2nd Wednesday from after the 7:30 AM Mass until 11 AM (Pastoral Center)
Exempt July & August
Hospitality: Every Wednesday after the 7:30 AM and 9 AM Masses in the Pastoral Center except July & August

ARE YOU A NEW PARISHIONER? Or just never registered?
You may register online at http://holynamesf.org/parish-registration/
You may also call (415) 664-8590 or drop by the Parish office (1555 39th Ave./Lawton St.)
during office hours, Monday-Friday from 9 AM - 4 PM.
Or simply fill out this short form below and mail it to us:

Name: __________________________________________
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