# Most Holy Trinity Parish

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JUNE 28, 2020 mhtstl.org

"Little ones." How they touch our heart, make us smile, draw out our love. Look at what happens when Rochelle and Mike bring little Jackson into church. We gaze upon this child with wonderment and affection.

In the gospel today, Jesus refers to his missionaries, each one of us, as "little ones." With wonderment and affection, we press upon the heart of Jesus. Last week's feast of the Sacred Heart celebrated this tender affection. Each of us is great treasure to Jesus! We imagine and believe such love and care that God has for all "little ones."

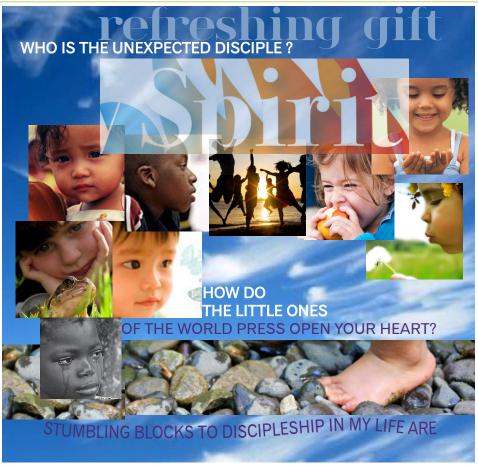
Jesus says, "Whoever welcomes you, welcomes me and the one who sent me." When we welcome each person, we truly love God who dwells within. The greatest gift God gives us is the capacity to bestow our lives freely with love and goodness upon all.

Baptism continues in our daily lives as we realize our personal call to be missionary and participate in the missionary life of the church. This call crosses the boundaries of our home and invites all to reach outward in an ever-expanding inclusive circle.

What is our longing? For our whole earth, it is clean air, it is a vaccine for a virus, it is a meal for the hungry, it is for justice and love.

...whoever gives a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because the little one is a disciple, will be rewarded

Matthew 10:37-42



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Prayer: O God, you give each the "cup of water" we need. You give us desire and your knowledge and insight to respond to the concerns of our hearts, to your concerns. You give us the courage to be attentive to each soul's longing. We thirst for you.

- S. Janice



MISSION: We are a people graced by God, who come together as a community of faith, supporting each other as we live and celebrate the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Parish Mass Schedule: 9:30 AM Sunday in Church

## **MEET OUR NEW ARCHBISHOP**

For the St. Louis' new Archbishop Mitch Rozanski, the "The Joy of the Gospel" is foundational to being Christian in the 21st century.

Known for his bright demeanor and open smile, Archbishop Rozanski has worked to "Serve God with Gladness" — his motto since 2014.

With his pastoral, unpretentious manner, the Archbishop moves to St. Louis bringing together two U.S. cities with rich histories in the Catholic Church. A Baltimore native, he served for 20 years as a parish priest.

He spoke to *The National Catholic Reporter* (June 17, 2020) sharing the perspective he brings to St. Louis and how he sees the church's mission in this moment in history. The following is an edited excerpt of that conversation.



Archbishop Rozanski: There's has been a 400-year old history of racism embedded in our system in the United States. There is a heightened awareness of violence that is done to black men, women and children. I think it really hits very hard when that violence is perpetrated by those who are called to protect us.

There must be more dialogue, more understanding, more study of the way that police respond. What happened to George Floyd is totally unacceptable, beyond what

is necessary to take anyone into police custody.

I think dialogue is essential. I am very interested in the church being at the center of healing conversation. Jesus shunned no difficult circumstance. He walked into that situation and brought healing. I think the church's ministry is to continue that healing.

PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING FOR: Helen Barber, Vickie and Ed Deason, Mary Green, Mary Lee Howard, Joetta Lukowski, John Towles, Ethel Long, Diana Schmidt, Michael Lemond, Mary Meyer, and the needs of the Tracy and Usanga family

**CHAPEL:** Because the rectory chapel space is small and enclosed we will not use it during the pandemic. On Sunday mornings we rely on the ventilation of our church windows, doors and fans. The latest virus guidelines emphasize the importance of ventilation in homes and gathering spaces in order to protect public health.

CLUB TRINITY: Become a member of Club Trinity. Donate \$100 for a chance to win \$250 over 11 months (July 2020 thru May 2021) out of the year and \$1000 in June 2021. The first drawing will be in July. Our aim this year is 170 members.

## **COMING TO VISIT: Bishop Rivituso, Sunday, July 5.**

Bishop Rivituso, the auxiliary bishop since 2017, annually visits all the parishes that have parish life coordinators. He is vicar general to Archbishop Carlson assisting in pastoral and administrative duties of the diocese.

# **STEWARDSHIP 6/7/2020**

\$ 1,390.00 Parishioner Envelopes 165.00 Cash Contributions \$ 1,555.00 Total – Thank you!



Sunday, June 28, 9:30 am Joanne George

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