

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time
October 28th, 2018

The Lord has done great things for us;

God the father sent his only begotten son Jesus to be born of a virgin, to live among us, be tempted just as we are daily, endure humiliation, torture and death on a cross. Through the death of his only son on the cross the gates of Heaven were opened and we as followers of Christ now have access to everlasting life in Heaven, with our Lord forever and ever.

In our readings this weekend we hear how the Lord's followers are gathered from all ends of the earth, delivering them from evil, blessing them with life's essentials and charging his priests, simple men, with continuing to lead his followers, his flock.

In Mark's gospel this weekend we experience how a blind man of simple but strong faith reaches out to Jesus and is cured of his blindness and told that his faith has healed him.

My contention is that our faith calls us to pray always, attend Mass, reach out to our brothers and sisters who are in need, follow the commandments given to Moses but always, always repent and be humble.

We can only attain Heaven through the gift of Christ's sacrifice and our faith will save us.

We are filled with joy!

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