Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 15, 2015

La Historia y Usted: Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario En su fascinante nuevo libro sobre los santos Americanos (Cuando los santos llegó marchando en: Explorando las fronteras de la Gracia en América; Liturgical Press 2015) autor Kathy Coffey se retrasa amorosamente en St. Marianne Cope, la monja franciscana que, con seis otras hermanas de su comunidad en Syracuse, NY, con gusto aceptó la misma invitación del gobierno hawaiano que otros cincuenta comunidades religiosas habían rechazado.

No tengo miedo de cualquier enfermedad, escribió en 1883. Por lo tanto, sería mi mayor deleite ejercerán su ministerio a los leprosos abandonados de Molokai.

Y así lo hizo. Ella y sus hermanas se preocupaba por los moribundos St. Damien, asegurándole que su trabajo con los que habían contraído la temible enfermedad seguiría después de su muerte. Ella finalmente logra verdadera seguridad para las mujeres y las niñas en la isla mediante el establecimiento de escuelas y hospitales sólo para ellos. Ella trajo juegos y risas y diversión.

Lo más convincente acerca de ella para mí es lo hermosa que era, y lo celebra es en Hawai. Un visitante de Molokai es recibido inmediatamente por una fotografía grande, enmarcado de esta hermana franciscana sonriente, radiante. A lo largo de las islas de Hawai (donde sus hermanas todavía ministro) su hermoso rostro, envuelto en la cofia blanca y toca la costumbre del siglo 19, se celebra en llaveros, latas de nueces macadamia, e incluso tazas de cerveza. Ella y sus hermanas son amados, y los hawaianos quieren que el mundo sepa acerca de ella.

Jesús advirtió al hombre que curó de la lepra no decir a nadie. En cambio, se difundió a lo largo y ancho. Cuando el amor de Cristo que hace sombra, incluso en las partes más remotas de las islas hawaianas voces de júbilo.

 \cite{L} De qué manera has encontrado para llegar a los leprosos de hoy en día?

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The Story and You: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time In her fascinating new book on the American saints (When the Saints Came Marching In: Exploring the Frontiers of Grace in America; Liturgical Press 2015) author Kathy Coffey lingers lovingly on St. Marianne Cope, the Franciscan nun who, with six others sisters from her community in Syracuse, N.Y., warmly accepted the same invitation from the Hawaiian government which fifty other religious communities had turned down.

I am not afraid of any disease, she wrote in 1883. Hence it would be my greatest delight to minister even to the abandoned lepers of Molokai.

And so she did. She and her sisters cared for the dying St. Damien, assuring him that his work with those who had contracted the dread disease would continue after his death. She finally achieved real safety for the women and girls on the island by establishing schools and hospitals just for them. She brought games, and laughter, and fun.

The most compelling thing about her for me is how beautiful she was, and how celebrated she is in Hawaii. A visitor to Molokai is immediately greeted by a large, framed photograph of this smiling, radiant Franciscan sister. Throughout the Hawaiian Islands (where her sisters still minister) her lovely face, shrouded in the white coif and wimple of the 19th century habit, is celebrated on key chains, tins of macadamia nuts, and even beer mugs. She and her sisters are beloved, and the Hawaiians want the world to know about them.

Jesus warned the man he cured of leprosy to tell no one.

Instead, he broadcast it far and wide. When the love of Christ overshadows you, even the remotest parts of the Hawaiian Islands shout for joy.

What ways have you found to reach out to modern-day lepers?

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Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish-

Earl Dickerson, Timothy Gomez, Mary Maes, Hazel Becker, Elena Ortega, Alex Gallegos, Dolores Escobel, Joseph Gomez, Kathleen Maes, Sharon Kissell Joe Cruz-Martinez, Irene Suaszo, Patricio Sáenz, Clarita Rubio, Rosi Cervantes, Blanca Estela Velez, Gloria Cobarrubias, Miguel Guardado, Fernando Hernandez

Holy Name Society Club 50 Winners!

February winners are:

\$100 Garland (JR) Boies

\$ 50 Anita Archuleta

4 50 George Martel

January Stewardship

Offertory (includes electronic giving) \$ 23,407 Roof \$ 377 Other gifts \$ 400

Grand total for February \$24,184

Loan Balance for Roof \$59,000

Men's Discernment Retreat—Men 18 and older, visit for more information on this ONE day retreat at St John Vianney Seminary. It begins at 10am on Saturday, February 22, and ends at 4:30pm. You will have the opportunity to pray, attend Mass, contemplation, fellowship and Q & A about the Prietshood.

Around the Parish and the Community

FAITH FORMATION

1ST COMMUNION PREPARATION

We have already begun the process of preparation for 1st Eucharist. If you missed the first session, we will be meeting every Thursday from February 12 through March 26 at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Room for English, the Rose Room for Spanish.

ASH WEDNESDAY is on February 18. We will have two Masses with distribution of ashes—one is at 8:15 am, and the other is at 6:00 pm. Distribution of ashes will only take place at the either of the Masses; there will be no separate distribution!

FAD (FAMILY ACADEMY OF DISCIPLESHIP)

Our next FAD session will be on Wednesday, February 25 at 6:00 pm at the school. Our topic will be "Our Relationship with God - Sin and Morality." Our choices do have consequences, and do impact not only our lives, but also the lives of others. Join us as we prepare ourselves for the Lenten Season! Everyone in the parish is invited.

SOUP SUPPERS/STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Our annual soup suppers and Stations of the Cross will begin on Friday, February 20 at 6:00 pm. Each week of Lent we will present a variation of the Stations of the Cross, preceded by a simple soup supper hosted by one of the groups of the parish.

MOVIE OF THE MONTH

Our next movie for the month of March will be Disney's The Lion King, which will be shown on Sunday, March 1 following the 11 am Mass. As in the past, we will offer hot dogs, chips and drinks, but feel free to bring a side dish or a dessert to share. Mark your calendars and join us for the fun!

BUTTER BRAIDS

Butter Braids are coming soon, just in time for Easter! We will begin selling Butter Braids and cookie dough on the weekend of March 14/15 and continue through March 21/22 after the weekend Masses. All orders and due on March 22, and payment must be made at the time of your order. Delivery will be Palm Sunday weekend, March 28/29. All proceeds will benefit St Rose of Lima

Youth/Confirmation for their retreat and end of year party.

ATTENTION ALL !!! We will be preparing the church environment for the holy season of Lent on MONDAY, FEB 16, at 6:30pm. Please join us for this important work.

Mass Intentions for the Week Saturday February 14

+Carolyn Byrne by Don Byrne 4pm

+Joseph Deaguero &

+Marlene Ziyad by Barbara Deaguero

Sunday February 15 People of the Parish 7am 8:30am

+Catherine Cassidy

+Manuel Benevides by family +Connie Garcia Leroux by family 11am

February 16 Monday

8:30am Communion Service

Tuesday February 17

+Felix Lucero by family 8:30am

Wednesday February 18

8:15am +Catherine Cassidy by family

February 19 **Thursday** 8:30am +Dick York

by Tom & Christine Trujillo

Friday February 20

+Fabian Ortega by Martinez family 8:30 am

Saturday February 21

4pm +Leo & Rosemarie Kissell by family

Sunday February 22 People of the Parish 7am

+Catherine Cassidy by Cassidy family 8:30am

11am +Richard Huter by family

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Community Ministry Food Bank—would like us to collect **DRIED BEANS & RICE** for the month of February. Please leave your donations in the church vestibule.

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Readings for the Week of February 15, 2015

Sunday: Lv 13: 1-2, 44-46//

1 Cor 10: 31—11: 1//Mk 1: 40-45

Monday: Gn 4: 1-15, 25//Mk 8: 11-13 Tuesday: Gn 6: 5-8; 7: 1-5,10//Mk 8: 14-21 Wednesday: Jl 2: 12-18//2 Cor 5: 20—6:2//

Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30: 15-20//Lk 9: 22-25 Friday: Is 58: 1-9a//Mt 9: 14-15 Saturday: Is 58: 9b-14//Lk 5: 27-32