

June 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

# The Promised One: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Bible Reflections by Dr. Scott Hahn  
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First Reading: Gn 3:9–15 | Ps 130:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 7–8  
Second Reading: 2 Cor 4:13–5:1 | Gospel: Mk 3:20–35

In today's Gospel Jesus has just been healing and casting out demons in Galilee. Along with the crowds, who flock to Him so that He can't even take a break to eat, come people who do not understand what He is doing. Even His friends think He has lost His mind and needs to be taken away for a while. But the scribes who came down from Jerusalem are not just honestly mistaken; they accuse Him of being possessed by the prince of demons.

The reality is just the opposite. Jesus is revealing Himself as the one promised in our first reading. He is the seed of the woman who has come to crush the head of the demonic serpent. In the parable of the strong man, Jesus reveals that He has come not just to punish the devil but to free those bound by him. As St. Bede explains, "The Lord has also bound the strong man, that is, the devil: which means, He has restrained him from seducing the elect, and entering into his house, the world; He has spoiled his house, and His goods, that is men, because He has snatched them from the snares of the devil, and has united them to His Church."

The scribes blaspheme by attributing this work of the Holy Spirit to demons. Jesus adds a statement that shocks us at first: "whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness." That does not mean that there are any limits to the mercy of God (CCC 1864). Rather, the only sin that cannot be forgiven is the deliberate refusal to accept the mercy offered through the Holy Spirit.

Instead, we must imitate those who sat at Jesus' feet. For, as He said, "Whoever does the will of God is my brother, and sister, and mother."

## IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

The day following the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, the Church celebrates the feast day of the *Immaculate Heart of Mary*, which falls on **June 8<sup>th</sup>** this year. There will be a **mass at 9am** on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, to celebrate our Mother's loving Immaculate Heart.

*O Immaculate Heart of Mary, full of goodness, towards us.  
Let the flame of your heart, O Mary, descend up on people.  
Amen*

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA ONLINE MINISTRIES

### The Rosary

Emil & Irah Tirona are hosting an online interactive rosary, Mondays at 7:30pm.

For those interested, kindly send an email to Emil and Irah (irahtirona@gmail.com), so you may be added to the online invitation. Please call 514-617-4021 if you need any online technical assistance or have questions.

## HOMILIES AND REFLECTIONS

During the current COVID restrictions, while the parish is either closed to the public or limited in the number of those who can gather for mass, from time to time Fr. Jason will post on the parish website a homily or reflection on various faith related subjects. You can find the homilies at the following link: <http://www.olof.ca/homilies/>

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## SAINTLY WISDOM

“Tell everybody that God grants graces through the Immaculate Heart of Mary.”  
- *Saint Jacinta (of Fatima)*

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## ADORATION

**Come spend some time with Our Lord.**

Tuesdays 6pm to 7pm (*mass at 7pm*)

Thursdays 8am to 9am (*mass at 9am*)

Fridays 9:30am to 10:30am (*mass at 9am*)

First Saturday of the Month 10:30am to 11:30am (*mass at 10am*)

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Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed  
through the mercy of God rest in peace.

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**ANNOUNCED MASSES**  
**June 8<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

<b>Saturday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary</b> Emile Tisseverasinghe – RIP – by Anton, Sharmini and family
<b>Saturday</b> 4:30 p.m..	<b>June 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sunday Vigil</b> Anna Depa – RIP – by Irene Depa
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)</b> Ina Carvajal and Madeleine Leynes – RIP – by the Lynes family
11:00 a.m.		<i>Pro Populo</i>
<b>Monday</b> .	<b>June 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> 7:00 p.m.	<b>June 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Saint Barnabas</b> Olivia Nguyen - Thanksgiving
<b>Wednesday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Weekday</b> Joaquin Tirona – Thanksgiving – by Emil and Irah Tirona
<b>Thursday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Saint Anthony of Padua</b> Maria Dirany – Thanksgiving and Personal Intentions
<b>Friday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Weekday</b> Rosa Santamaria – RIP – by Kevin and Linda Piper
<b>Saturday</b> 4:30 p.m.	<b>June 15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sunday Vigil</b> Tadeusz Depa – RIP – by Irene Depa
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)</b> Luis Ponta – RIP – by Connie and Jim
11:00 a.m.		<i>Pro Populo</i>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>June 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> 7:00 p.m.	<b>June 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Weekday</b> The Nguyen family – Special Intentions
<b>Wednesday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Saint Romuald</b> Victorino and Daniela Marie Lanzaderas – RIP – by the family
<b>Thursday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Weekday</b> Frances and Alex Peters – RIP - by Regina Farrell
<b>Friday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Saint Aloysius Gonzaga</b> Jeannette Pitre – RIP - by Regina Farrell
<b>Saturday</b> .4:30 p.m..	<b>June 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Sunday Vigil</b> Alban de Souza – RIP – by the family
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 a.m.	<b>June 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)</b> Luis and Elvira Melo – RIP – by Connie and Jim
11:00 a.m.		<i>Pro Populo</i>

## THE FIVE PRAYERS OF FATIMA

### **The Fatima Prayer/Decade Prayer**

*(Mary told the children that people should add this prayer to the end of each decade of the Rosary.)*

“O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy mercy. Amen.”

### **The Sacrifice Prayer**

*(Mary gave the children this prayer, as well as the Fatima Prayer/Decade Prayer, on June 13th, 1917. The prayer is meant to be recited when you are offering up suffering to God.)*

“O Jesus, it is for the love of Thee, in reparation for the offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and for the conversion of poor sinners [that I do this].”

### **The Pardon Prayer**

*(This prayer was given to the children by the angel that visited them in 1916, the year before Mary appeared to them.)*

“My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love Thee! I beg pardon for all those that do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love Thee.”

### **The Angel’s Prayer**

*(This is another prayer given to the children by the angel. There was a Eucharistic host and chalice suspended in the air, and the angel led them in kneeling before it and praying this prayer.)*

“O Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore Thee profoundly. I offer Thee the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifferences by which He is offended. By the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary I beg the conversion of poor sinners.”

### **The Eucharistic Prayer**

*(When Mary appeared to the children for the first time on May 13, 1917, she said, “You will have much to suffer, but the grace of God will be your comfort.” According to Lucia, a bright light shone all around them, and without thinking about it, they all started reciting this prayer.)*

“Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, my God, I love Thee in the Most Blessed Sacrament.”