A Letter from the Administrator

Dear Parishioners,

In the Gospel of Matthew 20:34, Jesus, moved with pity, touched the blind men’s eyes. Immediately they received their sight and followed him. The Spirit of God hovered over the formless chaos. Suddenly a word was spoken. “Let there be light”, and there was light. The light shined in the darkness. Once there was nothing. Then there was something. Before there was only darkness and then there was light. Something like this is going on with the two bling men sitting by the road. Life is passing them by. They are going nowhere. They see nothing. They have heard that there is a beautiful world but they themselves know nothing about it. Then Jesus passes by. They hear him passing by and they cry to him as to their only chance of salvation. “Have pity on us. Open our eyes.” Suddenly, at his touch and as sudden as the appearance of light on the first day- there was light. Then their world was no longer a world of shadows but a real world, colored, beautiful, full of promise. But their first experience of seeing the world is overshadowed by their experience of seeing Jesus. They see the real purpose of seeing anything- that is, they see Jesus and see what he is about. When they receive their sight the first thing they do is not to explore their world. Rather they use their sight to follow him. They see that their seeing and living and dying will be centered upon following Jesus all the way into his own destiny. “What do you want me to do for you?” “We want to see.” They do indeed see. And therefore they follow. Let there always be light in our souls. Let us see Jesus as he passes by in our lives. Let us not let him pass in vain. Let us follow in his footsteps.

Congratulations to the Boys and Girls who will receive First Holy Communion this weekend. This is truly wonderful for our Parish community. We are very proud of all of you. May God continue to bless and guide you each and every day of your lives. May you always stay close to the love and friendship of our Lord.

God Bless,

Fr. Scott