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Fr. Matt's Musings
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Happy Thanksgiving!

The gospel for today's Mass is found solely in Luke. It is the healing of 10 lepers. Although all ten were healed, only one came back to give thanks and praise to God.

This is not meant to be a judgment of the nine but a reminder of the example of the one. Gratitude is at the heart of who we are as Christians. Everything we have is a gift from God. As a nation, we have this great tradition of setting aside today to give thanks. It's not meant to be one day out of 365. It is meant to be a model and example of how we are to live our lives.

The English poet George Herbert wrote these lines, "Thou hast given so much to me, give one thing more, a grateful heart."

This Thanksgiving, let us live gratefully, generously, and pray always to the author of life, the God of all creation, the source of all that is good and loving for grateful hearts. Have a grateful day and celebration.

Live Jesus!

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In Christ - Stronger Together

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**Please enjoy this video of
the Turkey Tango from the
OLGC Kindergartners.**

OLGC tradition continues! Kindergartners could not perform their Turkey Tango at Mass so they performed it for the Seasoned Citizens as they picked up their special Thanksgiving Lunch To-Go last week. Enjoy!

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