

COMING EVENTS

Novena October 17-25

Pilgrimage October 21st

Pilgrimage Sunday Schedule:

Mass at 11:00 AM

Rosary and Novena Prayers before and after Mass.

Lunch served in the dining hall next to the gift shop

2018 PILGRIMAGE SUNDAY DATES

October 21st

November 25th

December 23rd Lunch will not be served

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THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE OCTOBER 2018



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THE MORE I WILL BLESS YOU

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Who do you say that I am

Jesus ask Peter, who you say that I am? Peter replied, You are the Christ.

As I pray and mediate on these words from the Gospel of Mark this Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, I feel like I am in the desert like Jesus when He was tempted for forty days and forty nights by the power of darkness. It is so cold, so lonely, so isolated from everything and I am afraid. Yet at the same time it seems like I see my failure of what I think of me and I hear the same voice as Peter did, "Who do you say that I am" not only in my ears but more so in my heart. That voice also commands that I cannot copy the answer of Peter or any other, but the answer must come from me. Silence after silence...I have heard this voice for years and now I still am not sure what is my answer. Finally, the Spirit of wisdom helped me to open my mouth to confess, You are my Everything. By saying this, I also have to live my life as everything to Him, and this will be my journey from this life to the life of Eternal.

I sincerely invite you to find your personal answer to say who Jesus is, and I believe your answers will bring you peace and love in your life and be able to share with others.

I want to express my thanks to all of you for being disciples of the Infant Jesus of Prague. Thank you for being patient with us for the last few months, as we organized our monthly newsletter. I hope that you will continue to receive and enjoy both physically and spiritually with the Shrine monthly newsletters.

May the Blessing of the Infant of Prague be with us and with the whole world.

Sincerely,

Father Long Phan Ngoc

