

Sunday Gospel Reflection

Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B

1. Sign of the Cross

2. Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

“Moved with pity, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him...”



Jesus Cleanses a Leper

⁴⁰ A leper came to him begging him, and kneeling he said to him, “If you choose, you can make me clean.” ⁴¹ Moved with pity, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him, and said to him, “I do choose. Be made clean!” ⁴² Immediately the leprosy^[e] left him, and he was made clean. ⁴³ After sternly warning him he sent him away at once, ⁴⁴ saying to him, “See that you say nothing to anyone; but go, show yourself to the priest, and offer for your cleansing what Moses commanded, as a testimony to them.” ⁴⁵ But he went out and began to proclaim it freely, and to spread the word, so that Jesus could no longer go into a town openly, but stayed out in the country; and people came to him from every quarter.

3. Reflection: (reflect on your own or share together if with others)

1. If you came to Jesus today, for what healing would you ask?
2. In what way have you experienced the healing touch of Jesus in your life?
3. What joyful and healing presence of Jesus in your life would you want to share with others?
4. Share petitions that you would like to pray for: **Finish with the Special Petition.**

Special Petition: For all in need of healing in mind, spirit and body.

5. Lord's Prayer

6. Sign of the Cross.