



Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost *Year B*

Job 42:1-6, 10-17 and Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22)

Jeremiah 31:7-9 and Psalm 126

Hebrews 7:23-28 • Mark 10:46-52

Then there came to him all his
brothers and sisters and all who had
known him ... they showed him
sympathy and comforted him ...

Job 42:11a



Black Family Reunion Mural -- G. Byron Peck, 14th and Florida, Washington, DC

I am going to ... gather them from
the farthest parts of the earth,
among them the blind and the lame,
those with child and those in labor ...

Jeremiah 31:8ab

The Abandoned Woman

Octave Tassaert
Musée Fabre
Montpellier, France



O taste and see that the LORD is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

Psalm 34:8



Loaves and Fishes -- John August Swanson, serigraph, 2003

... he is able for all time to save
those who approach God ...
since he always lives ...

Hebrews 7:25bc

Mulungwishi Trinity Cross

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Democratic Republic of
Congo



As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside.

Mark 10:46b

When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"

Mark 10:47



"Lord, That I Might See!" -- Matyas Church, Budapest, Hungary

Many sternly ordered him to be quiet,
but he cried out even more loudly,
"Son of David, have mercy on me!"

Mark 10:48

Christ Healing the
Blind Man

German, early
16th c.
MET Cloisters
New York, NY



Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you."

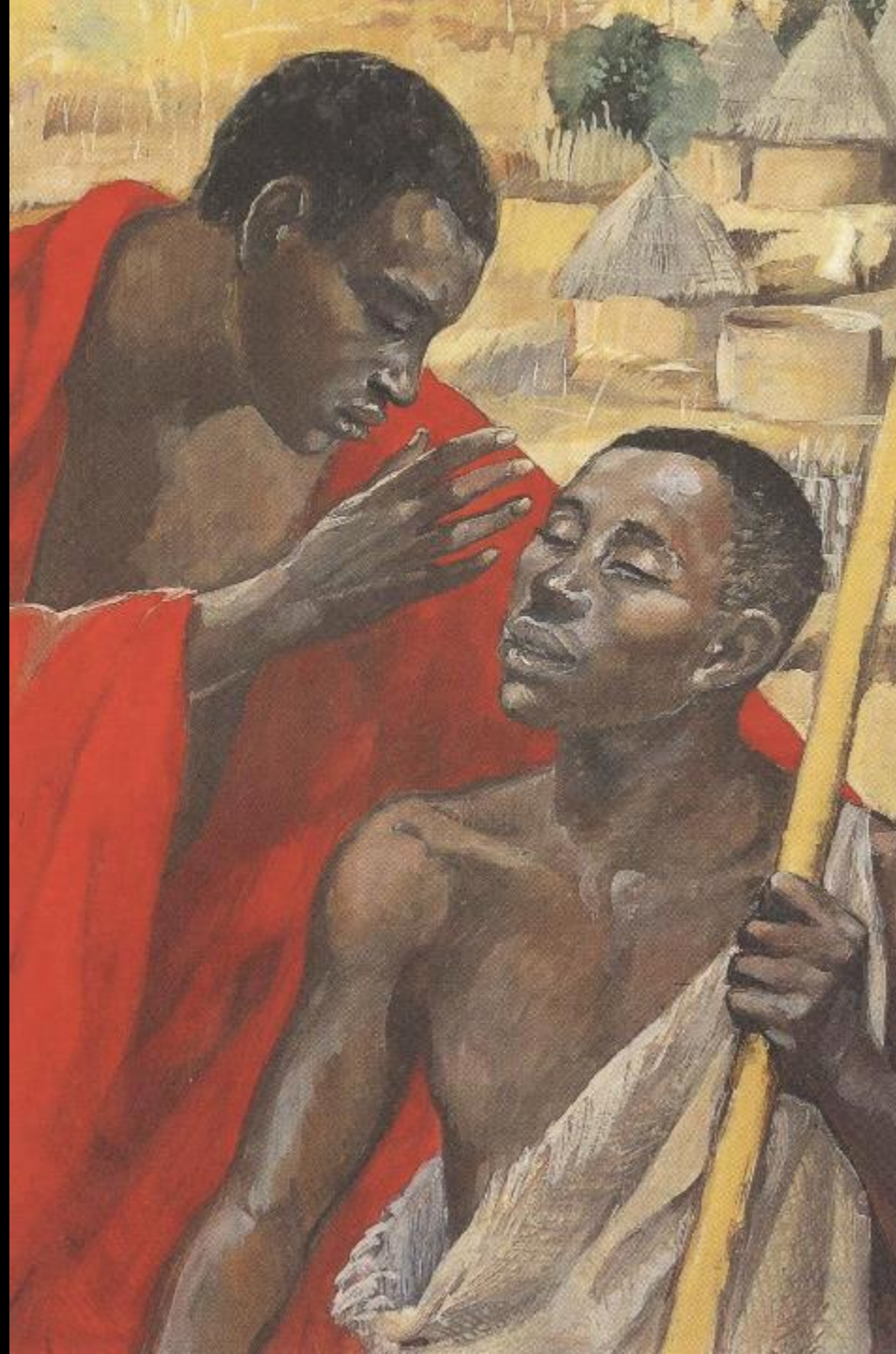
Mark 10:49



Christ Healing the Blind Man -- Gioacchino Assereto,

So throwing off his cloak, he sprang
up and came to Jesus.

Mark 10:50



Jesus Heals the Blind

JESUS MAFA, Cameroon

Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again."

Mark 10:51

Healing of the Blind
Man of Jericho

Master of the
Gathering of the
Manna



Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

Mark 10:52

Healing of the
Blind Man of
Jericho

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