



## Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 16, 2022

Nations shall behold your vindication,  
and all the kings your glory.

— Isaiah 62:2

### REVELATION OF GOD'S PRESENCE

Today's first reading from Isaiah arises out of the ordeal of the people of Jerusalem and Judea as they anticipate the end of seventy years of exile in Babylon. Their sufferings and their oppression will end, and they are promised joy like that of a great wedding upon returning to their homeland. Although this passage is probably set in the early sixth century B.C., it is free of historical particulars. Accordingly, the Church has understood its imagery universally, as it proclaims God's promise of healing, hope, and happiness for all peoples, in this world and in the next. When read against this background, the story of Jesus' turning water into wine at the wedding at Cana becomes a revelation of God's presence in the person of Jesus, making these promises real for us in the here and now, in the transformation of our own lives.

The office needs your E-mail ,phone number ,and address . It is necessary to have the information to contact you.

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Almighty ever-living God,  
who govern all things,  
both in heaven and on earth,  
mercifully hear the pleading of your people  
and bestow your peace on our times.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — As a bridegroom rejoices in his bride, so God rejoices in the chosen Zion and Jerusalem

(Isaiah 62:1-5).

**Psalm** — Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations (Psalm 96).

**Second Reading** — All the varied gifts and talents found in the Christian community are products of the same Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:4-11).

**Gospel** — At a wedding festival in Cana, Jesus changes water into wine at his mother's request (John 2:1-11).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;  
Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;  
Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13;  
Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7;  
Mk 3:20-21, or any of a number of readings

for the Day of Prayer

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15;  
1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Parish council meeting Jan 26th  
after 5 pm o'clock Mass

### Reflection question:

What can I do to help to bring about God's peace?

Deacon Moss will not have a class on  
Tuesday Jan 18th.

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday : Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Tuesday: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity  
begins

Wednesday: Julian Calendar Theophany  
(Epiphany)

Thursday: St. Fabian; St. Sebastian

Friday: St. Agnes

Saturday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of  
Unborn Children

January 17th: Office is closed for the  
holiday.

### Special Collection

Latin America

January 23rd

### YOUR BEST

Give to the world the best you  
have and the best will come back

Jan 23rd

LECTOR Jeff

Servers Jesus & Marina

COUNTERS

TOM & ANN

### WEEKLY OFFERING

Jan 9th

\$1412.00

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### Remember In Prayer

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Emanuel Milligan, Leonard Humble ,  
Judy Hendricks ,Herb Marshall,  
MarthaJo Neuenschwander , Betty Thetford