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Mass Intentions

Jan 16th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

Jan 23rd: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

Liturgical Ministers

Jan 23rd:

Lector: Heather McKee, Melanie Sadler

Gifts:

Server: Jacqueline Mize

Sacristans—

Altar Linens — Rose Huff, Patty Wall

Ushers—Men of the Parish

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.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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.

WEEKLY OFFERING

January 9th \$1750 Budget \$2278 Actual Bldg. \$0 \$528 Over

Special Collection

atin America January 23rd

TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR C

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).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER **Parishioners**

Grant Adams, Lucien Cravens, Carmen McDaniel, MaryAnn Maness, Deacon Jim and Peggy Moss, James Trim, Joey Wall

Relatives

Kelli Blankenship, Thomas Blankenship, Austin Ernst, Emily Ernst, Jackie Donnett, Andrew Grower, Christine Hart and the twin boys Benjamin and Theodore, Nicholas Kirkpatrick, Jenny Moore, Andrew Morlan, Yu Youn Suk

Friends

Emma Cupples, Sunny Maness, Bobbie Keeton, Fr Robert Ponticello, Park Mi Kung, Na Song Ae For all who have Covid 19

YOUR BEST

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

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Monday: Tuesday: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

begins

Wednesday: Julian Calendar Theophany

(Epiphany)

Thursday: St. Fabian; St. Sebastian

Friday: St. Agnes

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection Saturday:

of Unborn Children

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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

Mk 2:18-22

1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28 Tuesday: Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;

Mk 3:1-6

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

Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Saturday:

Mk 3:20-21, or any of a number of readings

for the Day of Prayer

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Sunday:

1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Mass Schedule



Monday: 9:00 am Wednesday: 11:30 am Thursday: 9:00 am **Friday:** 11:30 am Sunday Vigil: 4:30 pm **Sunday:** 9:00 am

Coming Events

There will be NO Scripture Study Group during the month of January.

January 17th: Parish Council will meet at 6:00

January 17th: Office is closed for the holiday.

January 18th: The office is closed but will be open on Thursday due to a conflict.

January 18th: Deacon Moss will not have

class.

Reflection question:

What can I do to help to bring about God's peace? Copyright © J. S. Paluch Company, Inc.