

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year A

ENTRANCE HYMN

1. Enter His gates with thanksgiving in your hearts
Enter His courts with praise
Enter His gates with thanksgiving in your hearts
For He has made me glad

He has made me glad (2) Jesus has made me glad

*Enter His courts with thanksgiving in your hearts
For He has made me glad*

2. Sing to the Lord and make music unto Him
Sing to the Lord with joy
Sing to the Lord and make music unto Him
For He has made me glad

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will

We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.



Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world:
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen

FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Isaiah
49:3. 5-6

*I will make you the light of the nations so that my
salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.*

The Lord said to me, 'You are my servant, Israel,
in whom I shall be glorified';

I was honoured in the eyes of the Lord,
my God was my strength.

And now the Lord has spoken,
he who formed me in the womb to be his servant,
to bring Jacob back to him,
to gather Israel to him:

'It is not enough for you to be my servant,
to restore the tribes of Jacob and bring back the
survivors of Israel;
I will make you the light of the nations
so that my salvation may reach to the ends of the
earth.'

The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 39:2.4.7-10. R) vv 8.9

R. Here I am, Lord!
I come to do your will.

1. I waited, I waited for the Lord
and he stooped down to me;
he heard my cry.
He put a new song into my mouth,
praise of our God. (R.)
2. You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings,
but an open ear.
You do not ask for holocaust and victim.
Instead, here am I. (R.)
3. In the scroll of the book it stands written
that I should do your will.
My God, I delight in your law
in the depth of my heart. (R.)
4. Your justice I have proclaimed
in the great assembly.
My lips I have not sealed;
you know it, O Lord. (R.)

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the
Corinthians 1:1-3
*May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you
grace and peace.*

I, Paul, appointed by God to be an apostle, together
with brother Sosthenes, send greetings to the
church of God in Corinth, to the holy people of
Jesus Christ, who are called to take their place
among all the saints everywhere who pray to our
Lord Jesus Christ; for he is their Lord no less than
ours. May God our Father and the Lord Jesus
Christ send you grace and peace.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION cf. Mk 9:8
Alleluia, alleluia!

GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John
1:29-34

*Look, there is the lamb of God that takes away the sin of
the world.*

Seeing Jesus coming towards him, John said,
'Look, there is the lamb of God that takes away the
sin of the world. This is the one I spoke of when I
said: A man is coming after me who ranks before
me because he existed before me. I did not know
him myself, and yet it was to reveal him to Israel
that I came baptising with water'. John also
declared, 'I saw the Spirit coming down on him from
heaven like a dove and resting on him. I did not
know him myself, but he who sent me to baptise
with water had said to me, "The man on whom you
see the Spirit come down and rest is the one who is
going to baptise with the Holy Spirit." Yes, I have

