



Peace be with you

# TODAY'S READINGS

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Myeongdong  
Catholic Cathedral  
Archdiocese  
of Seoul

November 3rd, 2024

**1st Reading: DT 6:2-6**

**Reader: A reading from the book of Deuteronomy**

Moses spoke to the people, saying:  
"Fear the LORD, your God,  
and keep, throughout the days of your lives,  
all his statutes and commandments which  
I enjoin on you,  
and thus have long life.  
Hear then, Israel, and be careful to observe  
them,  
that you may grow and prosper the more,  
in keeping with the promise of the LORD,  
the God of your fathers,  
to give you a land flowing with milk and  
honey.

"Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God,  
the LORD alone!  
Therefore, you shall love the LORD,  
your God,  
with all your heart,  
and with all your soul,  
and with all your strength.  
Take to heart these words which I enjoin  
on you today."

Reader: The word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm: PS 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51**

**R: I love you, Lord, my strength.**

1. I love you, O LORD, my strength,  
O LORD, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer. **R.**

2. My God, my rock of refuge,  
my shield, the horn of my salvation, my stronghold!  
Praised be the LORD, I exclaim,  
and I am safe from my enemies. **R.**

3. The LORD lives! And blessed be my rock!  
Extolled be God my savior.

You who gave great victories to your king  
and showed kindness to your anointed. **R.**

**2nd Reading: HEB 7:23-28**

**Reader: A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews**

Brothers and sisters:

The levitical priests were many  
because they were prevented by death from  
remaining in office,  
but Jesus, because he remains forever,  
has a priesthood that does not pass away.  
Therefore, he is always able to save those  
who approach God through him,  
since he lives forever to make intercession  
for them.

It was fitting that we should have such a  
high priest:  
holy, innocent, undefiled, separated from  
sinners,  
higher than the heavens.  
He has no need, as did the high priests,  
to offer sacrifice day after day,  
first for his own sins and then for those of  
the people;  
he did that once for all when he offered  
himself.

For the law appoints men subject to  
weakness to be high priests,  
but the word of the oath, which was taken  
after the law,  
appoints a son,  
who has been made perfect forever.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Alleluia: JN 14:23**

Whoever loves me will keep my word,  
says the Lord;  
and my father will love him and we will  
come to him.

**Alleluia.**

**Gospel: MK 12:28b-34**

**Priest: A reading from the holy Gospel  
according to Mark**

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

One of the scribes came to Jesus and asked him,  
"Which is the first of all the  
commandments?"

Jesus replied, "The first is this:

Hear, O Israel!

The Lord our God is Lord alone!

You shall love the Lord your God with all  
your heart,

with all your soul,

with all your mind,

and with all your strength.

The second is this:

You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

There is no other commandment greater than  
these."

The scribe said to him, "Well said, teacher.

You are right in saying,

'He is One and there is no other than he.'

And 'to love him with all your heart,

with all your understanding,

with all your strength,

and to love your neighbor as yourself'

is worth more than all burnt offerings and  
sacrifices."

And when Jesus saw that he answered with  
understanding, he said to him,

"You are not far from the kingdom of God."

And no one dared to ask him any more  
questions.

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

The month of November is dedicated to  
the holy souls. It is a commemorative month  
to remember and pray for all the faithful  
souls.

**There will be second collections for  
Angel's Love today.** The collections will be  
donated to homes for elders.

There will be second collections for the  
Lay Apostolate next Sunday. (Nov.10<sup>th</sup>)

**Confession for Internationals**  
is available in the following languages:  
English, Spanish, Italian

Day	Time	Place
Friday	16:00 - 18:00	GaeSung Girl's High school, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor
Saturday	15:00 - 17:00	
Sunday	08:30 - 08:50	Front left side of the Church

Those who need the sacrament of confession  
or other sacraments can contact Father Isaac  
directly via email: [isaacseoul@gmail.com](mailto:isaacseoul@gmail.com)

**Korean Young Artist Series IV  
- Honggi Kim Piano Recital**  
· Date/place: Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> (Mon.) at 7:30 pm/  
Myeongdong Cathedral Familia Chapel  
· Tickets: 20,000won  
(Available for purchase on Interpark Ticket)

**Today's Hymns**

<b>Entrance</b>	717	<b>CHRISTIANS, LET US LOVE ONE ANOTHER</b>
<b>Offertory</b>	589	<b>O GOD BEYOND ALL PRAISING</b>
	715	<b>GOD IS LOVE</b>
<b>Communion</b>	695	<b>COME TO ME</b>
	792	<b>GOD'S HOLY GIFTS</b>
<b>Recessional</b>	718	<b>LOVE ONE ANOTHER</b>

**"He is One and there is no other than he."  
(MK 12:32)**