



TODAY'S READINGS

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Myeongdong
Catholic Cathedral
Archdiocese
of Seoul
May 11th, 2025

1st Reading: ACTS 13:14, 43-52

Reader: A reading from the Acts of Apostles

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga and reached Antioch in Pisidia.

On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats.

Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God.

On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said. Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said,

“It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles.

For so the Lord has commanded us, I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth.”

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region.

The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers and the leading men of the city, stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas,

and expelled them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: PS 100:1-2, 3, 5

R: We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

1. Sing joyfully to the LORD, all you lands; serve the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful song. **R.**

2. Know that the LORD is God; he made us, his we are; his people, the flock he tends. **R.**

3. The LORD is good: his kindness endures forever, and his faithfulness, to all generations. **R.**

2nd Reading: REV 7:9, 14B-17

Reader: A reading from the book of Revelation

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands.

Then one of the elders said to me, “These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

“For this reason they stand before God’s throne and worship him day and night in his temple. The one who sits on the throne will shelter them.

They will not hunger or thirst anymore, nor will the sun or any heat strike them. For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia: JN 10:14

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

Alleluia.

Gospel: JN 10:27-30

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said:

“My sheep hear my voice;

I know them, and they follow me.

I give them eternal life,

and they shall never perish.

No one can take them out of my hand.

My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all,

and no one can take them out of the Father’s hand.

The Father and I are one.”

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

☐ **There will be second collections for the World Day of Prayer For Vocations today.**

☐ **Midday Concert at Myeongdong Cathedral**

– Date: May 13 (Tue) at 12:30 PM

– Organist: Kyu Hyun Lim (Anna)

– Program: Charles-Marie Widor Symphony for Organ No. 5 and 3 more pieces

☐ **Looking for Volunteers for English Mass**

We are looking for new volunteers to join us:

– For: Baptized Catholics (3+ years), aged 25 - 40

– Apply by: May 17 (Sat), by 12:00 PM (noon)

– Interview: May 25 (Sun), after Mass

– How to Apply: Visit www.mdsd.or.kr

►Switch language to English ►Click ‘News’ on the left menu to download the application form

☐ **Confession for Internationals**

is available in English, Spanish, Italian

Day	Time	Place
Saturday	16:00 - 17:00	GaeSung Girl’s High school, 1 st Fl
Sunday	08:30 - 08:55	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

☐ **Hymnbooks**

a) Order of Mass in number 140

b) Please return the hymnbooks to the volunteers after mass

c) You may purchase new hymnbooks online: <http://ocp.org>

☐ **Today’s Hymns**

Entrance	460	JESUS SHALL REIGN
Offertory	689	SHELTER ME O GOD
Communion	785	BEHOLD THE LAMB
	790	HOLY GIFTS
Recessional	570	ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL

*“I give them eternal life,
and they shall never perish.”*

JN 10:28