

# TODAY's READINGS

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

Myeongdong Catholic Cathedral Archdiocese of Seoul

November 2nd, 2025

1st Reading: WIS 3:1-9

Reader: A reading from the book of Wisdom

The souls of the just are in the hand of God, and no torment shall touch them.

They seemed, in the view of the foolish, to be dead;

and their passing away was thought an affliction and their going forth from us, utter destruction.

But they are in peace.

For if before men, indeed, they be punished, yet is their hope full of immortality;

chastised a little, they shall be greatly blessed, because God tried them

and found them worthy of himself.

As gold in the furnace, he proved them, and as sacrificial offerings he took them to himself.

In the time of their visitation they shall shine, and shall dart about as sparks through stubble; they shall judge nations and rule over peoples,

and the LORD shall be their King forever. Those who trust in him shall understand truth, and the faithful shall abide with him in love:

because grace and mercy are with his holy ones, and his care is with his elect.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: PS 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6 R: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

1. The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul. R.

- 2. He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage. R.
- **3.** You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. **R.**
- 4. Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for years to come. R.

2nd Reading: ROM 5:5-11
Reader: A reading from the letter of
St. Paul to the Romans

Brothers and sisters:
Hope does not disappoint,
because the love of God has been poured
out into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit that has been

given to us.

For Christ, while we were still helpless,

died at the appointed time for the ungodly.

Indeed, only with difficulty does one die for a just person,

though perhaps for a good person one might even find courage to die.

But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us.

How much more then, since we are now justified by his Blood,

will we be saved through him from the wrath.

Indeed, if, while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, how much more, once reconciled, will we be saved by his life.

Not only that, but we also boast of God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Reader: The word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia: MT 25:34

Come, you who are blessed by my Father; Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.

#### Alleluia.

Gospel: JN 6:37-40

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel

according to John

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to the crowds:

"Everything that the Father gives me will come to me.

and I will not reject anyone who comes to me,

because I came down from heaven not to do my own will

but the will of the one who sent me.

And this is the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me,

but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life,

and I shall raise him on the last day."

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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☐ There will be second collections for the Lay Apostolate next Sunday. (Nov.9<sup>th</sup>)

### ☐ Confession for Internationals

is available in English, Spanish, Italian.

Day	Time	Place		
Saturday	16:00 - 17:00	GaeSung Girl's High school, 1 <sup>st</sup> 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: <a href="mailto:isaacseoul@gmail.com">isaacseoul@gmail.com</a>

#### ☐ Today's Hymns

Entrance	283	MARANATHA				
Offertory	364	SAVE YOUR PEOPLE				
Communion	514	YOU HAVE CALLED US				
Communion	780	BREAD FOR THE WORLD				
Recessional	_	PILGRIMS OF HOPE				

## Pilgrims of Hope

Hymn for the Jubilee Year 2025

Like a flame my hope is burning, may my song arise to you: Source of life that has no ending, on life's path I trust in you.

Ev' ry nation, tongue, and people find a light within your Word.

Scattered fragile sons and daughters find a home in your dear Son.

"The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us."

ROM 5:5