

TODAY's READINGS

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Myeongdong Catholic Cathedral Archdiocese of Seoul

October 19th, 2025

1st Reading: EX 17:8-13

Reader: A reading from the book of Exodus

In those days, Amalek came and waged war against Israel.

Moses, therefore, said to Joshua, "Pick out certain men, and tomorrow go out and engage Amalek in battle. I will be standing on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand." So Joshua did as Moses told him: he engaged Amalek in battle after Moses had climbed to the top of the hill with Aaron and Hur.

As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight, but when he let his hands rest. Amalek had the better of the fight. Moses' hands, however, grew tired; so they put a rock in place for him to sit on.

Meanwhile Aaron and Hur supported his hands.

one on one side and one on the other. so that his hands remained steady till sunset.

And Joshua mowed down Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.

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

Responsorial Psalm: PS 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 R: Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

1. I lift up my eyes toward the mountains; whence shall help come to me? My help is from the LORD, who made heaven and earth. R.

- 2. May he not suffer your foot to slip; may he slumber not who guards you: indeed he neither slumbers nor sleeps, the guardian of Israel. R.
- 3. The LORD is your guardian; the LORD is your shade; he is beside you at your right hand. The sun shall not harm you by day, nor the moon by night. R.

2nd Reading: 2 TM 3:14-4:2 Reader: A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to Timothy

Beloved:

Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, because you know from whom you learned it, and that from infancy you have known the sacred Scriptures, which are capable of giving you wisdom for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work. I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingly power: proclaim the word; be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient; convince, reprimand, encourage through

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

all patience and teaching.

Alleluia: HEB 4:12

The word of God is living and effective, discerning reflections and thoughts of the heart.

Alleluia.

Gospel: LK 18:1-8

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel

according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus told his disciples a parable about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary. He said, "There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being. And a widow in that town used to come to him and say,

'Render a just decision for me against my adversary.'

For a long time the judge was unwilling, but eventually he thought,

'While it is true that I neither fear God nor respect any human being,

because this widow keeps bothering me I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me.'"

The Lord said, "Pay attention to what the dishonest judge says.

Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones

who call out to him day and night?

Will he be slow to answer them?

I tell you, he will see to it that justice is

done for them speedily.

But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

☐ Second Collection for World Mission Sunday

Today, there will be a second collection to support our brothers and sisters in mission areas who face hardships. Let us share our love.

☐ Myeongdong Cathedral Pipe Organ Concert

A pipe organ concert will be held on **Oct.** 30th(Fri.) at 8 p.m. in the Main Cathedral.

- Organist: Agnes Kang Suk-hee
- ▷ Program: Boëly 'Resurrection Offering',Bach 'Organ Fantasy in G Major', and more.
- *** Free admission** for all seats.

☐ 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

☐ Today's Hymns

Entrance	832	THEY'LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS
Offertory	670	AGE TO AGE
Communion	798	SPIRIT AND GRACE
	_	ANIMA CHRISTI
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.

"Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night?"

LK 18:7