

TODAY's READINGS

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Myeongdong Catholic Cathedral Archdiocese of Seoul Sep 29th, 2024

1st Reading: NM 11:25-29

Reader: A reading from the books of Numbers

The LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to Moses. Taking some of the spirit that was on Moses, the LORD bestowed it on the seventy elders; and as the spirit came to rest on them, they prophesied.

Now two men, one named Eldad and the other Medad, were not in the gathering but had been left in the camp.

They too had been on the list, but had not gone out to the tent; yet the spirit came to rest on them also, and they prophesied in the camp.

So, when a young man quickly told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp," Joshua, son of Nun, who from his youth had been Moses' aide, said, "Moses, my lord, stop them."

But Moses answered him, "Are you jealous for my sake?

Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets!

Would that the LORD might bestow his spirit

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

on them all!"

Responsorial Psalm: PS 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 R: The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

1. The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul; the decree of the LORD is trustworthy, giving wisdom to the simple. R.

- 2. The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true, all of them just. **R**.
- 3. Though your servant is careful of them, very diligent in keeping them, yet who can detect failings?

 Cleanse me from my unknown faults! R.
- 4. From wanton sin especially, restrain your servant, let it not rule over me.

 Then shall I be blameless and innocent

Then shall I be blameless and innocent of serious sin. **R**.

2nd Reading: JAS 5:1-6

Reader: A reading from the letter to the James

Come now, you rich, weep and wail over your impending miseries.

Your wealth has rotted away, your clothes have become moth-eaten, your gold and silver have corroded, and that corrosion will be a testimony against you; it will devour your flesh like a fire. You have stored up treasure for the last days. Behold, the wages you withheld from the workers who harvested your fields are crying aloud; and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts.

You have lived on earth in luxury and pleasure; you have fattened your hearts for the day of slaughter. You have condemned; you have murdered the righteous one;

he offers you no resistance.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God

Alleluia: Cf. JN 17:17B, 17A

Your word, O Lord, is truth; consecrate us in the truth.

Alleluia.

Gospel: MK 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel

according to Mark

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

At that time, John said to Jesus,

"Teacher, we saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us."

Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him.

There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me. For whoever is not against us is for us. Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ,

"Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin.

amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward.

it would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck

and he were thrown into the sea.

If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed than with two hands to go into Gehenna, into the unquenchable fire.

And if your foot causes you to sin, cut if off. It is better for you to enter into life crippled than with two feet to be thrown into Gehenna. And if your eye causes you to sin, pluck it out. Better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into Gehenna, where 'their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched.'"

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

☐ There will be second collections for
angel's love next Sunday. The collections
will be donated to women's shelters.

☐ Midday concert for 2024 at Myeongdong Cathedral

- Date/place: Oct 8th 29th / Main building
- Pipe organ concerts are held every Tuesday at 12:30pm during the month of October.

☐ Confession for Internationals

is available in the following languages: English, Spanish, Italian

Day	Time	Place
Friday	16:00 - 18:00	GaeSung Girl's
Saturday	15:00 - 17:00	High school, 1 st floor
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

☐ The Following Behaviors Are NOT Permitted in Church

- Take pictures during the mass.
- Bring food or drink inside the church.
- Step up onto the left side of the altar after mass.

☐ If you would like to park in the basement parking lots, please use the parking areas on the B3 and B4 first and leave within 2 hours to prevent congestion.

☐ Today's Hymns

Entrance	574	GLORY AND PRAISE
Entrance		TO OUR GOD
Offertory	773	THE GOD OF
		ALL GRACE
Communion	774	THE SUPPER OF
		THE LORD
	775	LOOK BEYOND
Recessional	818	HERE I AM, LORD

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