

TODAY's READINGS

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Myeongdong Catholic Cathedral Archdiocese of Seoul February 16th, 2025

1st Reading: JER 17:5-8

Reader: A reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah

Thus says the LORD:

Cursed is the one who trusts in human beings, who seeks his strength in flesh, whose heart turns away from the LORD. He is like a barren bush in the desert that enjoys no change of season, but stands in a lava waste, a salt and empty earth.

Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, whose hope is the LORD.

He is like a tree planted beside the waters that stretches out its roots to the stream: it fears not the heat when it comes; its leaves stay green; in the year of drought it shows no distress, but still bears fruit.

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

Responsorial Psalm: PS 1:1-2,3,4&6 R. Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.

- 1. Blessed the man who follows not the counsel of the wicked, nor walks in the way of sinners, nor sits in the company of the insolent, but delights in the law of the LORD and meditates on his law day and night. **R**.
- 2. He is like a tree planted near running water, that yields its fruit in due season, and whose leaves never fade. Whatever he does, prospers. **R**.

3. Not so the wicked, not so; they are like chaff which the wind drives away.

For the LORD watches over the way of the just, but the way of the wicked vanishes. **R**.

2nd Reading: 1COR 15:12,16-20

Reader: A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians

Brothers and sisters:

If Christ is preached as raised from the dead,

how can some among you say there is no resurrection of the dead?

If the dead are not raised, neither has Christ been raised,

and if Christ has not been raised, your faith is vain;

you are still in your sins.

Then those who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished.

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are the most pitiable people of all.

But now Christ has been raised from the dead,

the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia: LK 6:23ab

Rejoice and be glad; your reward will be great in heaven.

Alleluia.

Gospel: LK 6:17,20-26

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Iesus came down with the Twelve and stood on a stretch of level ground with a great crowd of his disciples and a large number of the people from all Judea and Jerusalem and the coastal region of Tyre and Sidon. And raising his eyes toward his disciples he said:

"Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdom of God is yours.

Blessed are you who are now hungry, for you will be satisfied.

Blessed are you who are now weeping, for you will laugh.

Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude and insult you, and denounce vour name as evil on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice and leap for joy on that day!

Behold, your reward will be great in heaven.

For their ancestors treated the prophets in the same way.

But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.

Woe to you who are filled now,

for you will be hungry.

prophets in this way."

Woe to you who laugh now, for you will grieve and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for their ancestors treated the false

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

☐ Ash Wednesday (March 5th)

Ash Wednesday, on March 5th, marks the beginning of Lent — a time for reflection and repentance. Ashes will blessed and distributed during the Mass. We invite you to bring your blessed palm branches from last year's Palm Sunday Mass to church office by Sunday, March 2nd.

☐ Free Classical Music Concert Hosted by the Embassy of Lithuania

- · Date: Feb.17th (Mon.) at 7:00pm
- · Location: Myeongdong Cathedral Main building

☐ 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

☐ Today's Hymns

Entrance	712	THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY
Offertory	680	AMAZING GRACE
Communion	780	BREAD FOR THE WORLD
	802	ONE LOVE RELEASED
Recessional	589	O GOD BEYOND ALL PRAISING

"Behold. your reward will be great in heaven."