

ST. MARY

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
STAR CITY

3346 University Ave. Morgantown, WV 26505 • 304-599-3747

October 17, 2021 • 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times: Saturday, 6:00pm, Sunday, 8:30am, 11:00am, en español a la 1:00pm

Daily Mass*: Mon.-Fri. 9:00am, Mon. 6:30pm, Wed. 12:00pm *please see schedule inside for any changes or cancellations. **Radio broadcast at 8:30am** on 1300AM WCLG & 92.1FM, and TuneIn channel Morgan 92.1



29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.” - Mk 10:43-45



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Are you registered in the Parish?

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and to make a commitment to the life of the parish family.

Clearly stating your Catholic commitment in all its dimensions brings many advantages, recognition, and responsibility.

At St. Mary Roman Catholic Church, our policy, is that you must be registered and participating in Sunday Mass regularly before a baptism can take place, or for the initial meeting with the pastor in the case

of marriage.

Regular attendance is also required for adults who are asked to be a godparent or sponsor at another parish, in order that a letter can be sent stating that they are a practicing Catholic and a registered member of a parish faith community.

Even though you may have attended Mass here for months, or even years, we would like for you to be registered.

Please pick up a registration form at the church or parish office, or register online at stmarystarcity.com
For more information, call the parish office at 304-599-3747.

Sacraments

Baptism: (Birth – Age 7) Parents are required to participate in a preparation program before the celebration of Baptism. Parents must be registered and attending Sunday Mass regularly. Please contact the parish office for information.

Reconciliation: 30 minutes prior to each daily Mass

Order of Christian Initiation: Children 7-14 years of age, and Children 15 years of age and older & Adults— *The Order of Christian Initiation*, RCIA, please contact Cynthia Friesen at 304-225-1163 or stmarystarcityfaithformation@gmail.com

Marriage: Engaged couples planning to marry at St. Mary Church should be practicing Catholics, participating in Sunday Eucharist regularly. Also, they must participate in a Marriage Preparation Program. Call the Parish Office for information. At least **six months notice** is required. *No date for a wedding will be set over the phone.*

Holy Communion to the Sick and Homebound: When a parishioner is confined to home or hospital because of illness or advanced age, call the Parish Office. We will be happy to make arrangements to bring Holy Communion.

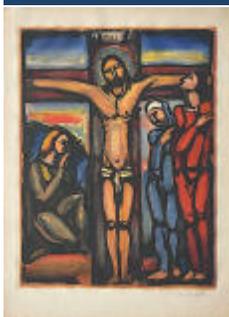
Anointing of the Sick: Upon request and communally as scheduled

Bulletin Deadline:

Tuesday@Noon, email or written copy please,
no bulletin announcements will be taken over the phone

Email: stmaryschurch@comcast.net

Subject line: attn: Bulletin, and include topic of announcement



Spirituality of the Readings – Ask?

–Often we think of God as someone who helps us get everything we need. The great parent in the sky.

The Responsorial Psalm says it well: “See, the eyes of the LORD are upon those who fear him, upon those who hope for his kindness, to deliver them from death.” (Psalm)

James and John say the following to their teacher: “we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.” They rush up to Jesus (Gospel). It a bit blunt, isn’t it, like children making demands. Jesus replies mildly, “What do you wish me to do for you?”

“Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left.”

Not a completely unreasonable request, I suppose. But rude. Moreover, the demand comes immediately—and I mean in the very next line—after he has predicted the passion. He says,

the Son of Man will be handed over to the chief priests and the scribes, and they will condemn him to death and hand him over to the Gentiles who will mock him, spit upon him, scourge him, and put him to death, but after three days he will rise. (Mark 10:33-34).

Hearing this, the apostles do what you and I often do.

They change the subject.

There is nothing in their request about suffering, just glory. Jesus responds that they too must drink the cup that he will drink, or in other words, must also undergo pain.

Jesus himself begged God to take the cup of suffering away, and he used the term, “Abba” (a familiar form of “father”) when he was asking (Mark 14:36). And in another place, “during the days of Jesus’ life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission (Hebrews 5:7).

He was heard?

What? God heard these fiery prayers and then sat by idly while the passion and cruel death went right along?

Such observations put us directly in front of The Terrible Question, the one that has plagued humankind since its beginning. Why does a trustworthy, loving, parental God permit suffering and catastrophe even when he has heard in detail the prayers of those about to be afflicted?

Maybe loss, death and suffering are not the worst thing for us, even though they certainly seem to be.

The worst would be loss of love’s groundwork, the never-ending love of God.

If [my servant] gives his life as an offering for sin, he shall see his descendants in a long life, and the will of the LORD shall be accomplished through him. Because of his affliction he shall see the light in fullness of days. (First Reading)

Suffering may well stretch and widen the human soul, making it large enough to know God, to act on behalf of others, to let in that which is greater than death or life: love.

Love stays even when life does not.

If this is true, then God’s love is parental after all. He is allowing the worst in order to show what the best really is.

John Foley, SJ

Giving Summary

Sunday Offering

\$6,964.28

Online Giving

\$2,831.35

Attendance: 380

Recent/Upcoming Special Collections

10/24— World Mission Sunday

For ease of accounting, **separate checks are preferred** for all donations to different collections and purposes, including special collections, Mass intentions, memorials, and donations to different funds e.g. Trust Fund for the Poor, Debt Reduction, etc. Thank you for your help!



 **DONATE TODAY**

GIVE ONLINE!

by clicking on the image on our website
www.stmarystarcity.com.

THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

October 17, 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 6:00pm	In honor of Phil Faini for his 90th Birthday
Sunday, 8:30am	For the People
Sunday, 11:00am	The Laurita Family, Scott, Clair, and John
Domingo, 1pm	Eloise Herrick

<u>Monday 10/18</u>	<u>St. Luke, Evangelist</u>
9:00am	Edward Estep
6:30pm	John Miller
<u>Tuesday 10/19</u>	<u>Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues</u>
9:00am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
<u>Wednesday 10/20</u>	<u>St. Paul of the Cross</u>
9:00am	John Miller
12:00pm	Kathy Koloff
<u>Thursday 10/21</u>	<u>Weekday in Ordinary Time</u>
9:00am	Bernard Folio
<u>Friday 10/22</u>	<u>St. John Paul II</u>
9:00am	Edward Estep

In the event of Closing of school due to inclement weather, there will be no Daily Mass or Prayer Service.

In the event of a funeral, morning Mass will be cancelled

October 24, 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 6:00pm	Donald Hoylman
Sunday, 8:30am	Steven Miller
Sunday, 11:00am	Amelia Dacanay
Domingo, 1pm	For the People



The Bread and Tabernacle Candle
the week of October 17 are in
memory of **Scott, Clair, and John
Laurita** from Lisa Laurita.



**LITURGICAL
MINISTRIES**

**Ministry
Trainings**

15 minute ministry trainings directly after each Mass. These trainings are meant for any new or returning ministers. Please stay after on your respective date(s)!

Weekend of October 16/17
Eucharistic Minister Training

Weekend of October 23/24
Usher Training

We hope to see you there!

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY

Sunday, October 17

15 Minute Eucharistic Minister Training after each Mass

9:30am	Religious Ed.
9:45am	RCIA
1:00pm	NA Meeting
6-8:00pm	MS Youth—Youth Room

Monday, October 18

7:00pm Parish Pastoral Council Mtg—L/L

Tuesday, October 19

10:00am	Angels in the Bible 2—L/L
6:30pm	Angels in the Bible 2—L/L
6:30pm	NA Meeting
7-9:00pm	Boy Scouts

Wednesday, October 20

6:30pm	Models of the Church 1—L/L
7:00pm	Catholic Homeschoolers Bible Study

Thursday, October 21

12:00pm	AI-Anon—L/L
6:00pm	Spanish Mass Music Rehearsal—L/L
6:30pm	Listening Space—P/H

Saturday, October 23

10am-2:00pm 5 Year Planning Committee Mtg -P/H

5:00-5:40pm Reconciliation

15 Minute Usher Training after each Mass

Sunday, October 24

15 Minute Usher Training after each Mass

9:30am	Religious Ed.
9:45am	RCIA
1:00pm	NA Meeting
6-8:00pm	HS Youth—Youth Room



Lord, look with love upon
**Amanda Marie Dickson and
Ryan Christopher Rojenau**, as they
present **Hayes Michael Snyder** for
baptism next weekend.



Eternal rest for Blanche Lucille Saab,
and condolences to her family and
friends, especially her sister, Agnes
Mancinelli.



Until further notice,
Bishop Brennan asks that all those
in attendance at Mass **and any
other meetings, social events, or
other parish gatherings (including events
with food)** wear a mask, other than young
children under the age of 2.

Thank you for your cooperation in this act of
Christian Charity.

Energizing our Plaza

We are raising money to cover the installation of electrical outlets on the plaza outside the Narthex. These outlets, which were recently installed, will let us decorate for different events, beginning this coming Christmas!

The goal of our fundraiser is \$4,000, which will cover all costs associated with this project.

If you would like to contribute, please make checks payable to St. Mary Church, with the memo for Electrical Outlets.

We are now **30%** of the way to our goal!

Thank you to those who have donated



THE MODELS OF THE CHURCH



What do you think of first when you think about "church"?

All of us probably have an image or ideal that comes to mind.

Join Fr. John on Wednesdays October 20 & 27 and November 10 & 17, at 6:30pm in the Library Lounge, as he unpacks Cardinal Avery Dulles' seminal book "Models of the Church" and discover new ways of seeing the church. Please contact the parish office by phone or email to sign up!

St, Mary Church Social Activities Committee will be hosting

TRUNK OR TREAT



Trunk or Treat on Sunday, October 31, from 2:30-4:30pm in the main parking lot. **Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to set up your car to pass out candy.**

*limited candy supplies will be available for those who can't bring their own candy to pass out, or who run out. Donations of candy are also being accepted at the Parish Office and in the Narthex.



Catholic Daughters Sunday

This Sunday, Oct. 17th has been designated as Catholic Daughters of the Americas Sunday. The Catholic Daughters is a service organization of Catholic women who generously donate their time, talent and funding to local charities, provide scholarships to Catholic Youth and support our local parishes. Morgantown Court St. Ursula is very active and includes women from all of the local Catholic Churches. For more information or to join, please contact Angel Conley

at wvussteacher@hotmail.com or visit the Catholic Daughters of the Americas website at catholicdaughtersoftheamericas.org.

Month of Mums



We are welcoming the donation of **potted mums** of any color and size to decorate the steps of the Altar.

Please bring your mums to Mass over the next few weekends, or drop them off in the church during the week.

NA Meetings St. Mary Church, Star City Tuesdays-6:30pm, Sundays-1pm

To find other meetings near you, visit <https://www.na.org/meetingsearch/>



Mass intentions are still being accepted for 2021.

We have weekday and a few weekend Masses left to fill.

The suggested donation is \$20 for a weekend, \$10 for a weekday. Please call the Parish Office if interested, 304-599-3747.

Please note that any Masses cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances such as a global pandemic, inclement weather, or a funeral, will be moved to the next available 'like' date and time e.g., Daily Mass on Tuesday moved to another Tuesday, 8:30 Sunday Mass moved to another 8:30, as available.



St. Ursula Food Pantry needs:

- *Toilet Paper
- *Liquid Laundry Detergent
(please no pods or powder)

Baby & Toddler Program needs:

- *Baby Wash & Shampoo

St. Ursula needs volunteers Wednesday mornings on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month for a few jobs:

- ◆ 1 person to pick up food at the old Ramada
- ◆ 2 people to help unload the food deliveries and to set up for pantry
- ◆ A few volunteers to help with pantry 1 pm - 4 pm

If you can do one or both Wednesdays, please call Sister Rachel at 304-599-3822

If you, or any parishioner you know, are sick or homebound and would like a visit from Fr. John, please contact the Parish Office 304-599-3747

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

30 minutes prior to each Daily Mass
Saturdays from 5-5:40pm as scheduled
(Mon-Fri: 8:30am, Mon: 6:00pm, Wed: 11:30am)
*times may change based on any changes to the weekly Mass schedule



Volunteers are needed to clean and wipe down pews after the 8:30am Mass each weekend. Please stay after Mass if you are able to help sanitize or clean!

Donations for St. Ursula Food Pantry and Outreach may be **placed in** the labeled bins in **the church**, or **dropped off in the baskets in the CFC entry.**



We have Hearing Assistance Devices available for use during Mass. If you would like one, please ask an Usher.



Please **TTJ** (text-to-join) our Flocknote network. **Text the word "starcity" to 84576** or connect with us online at: **StMaryStarCity.flocknote.com**

If you have signed up for online giving and are still getting offertory envelopes in the mail, please notify the Parish Office so that we can discontinue them. You will retain your envelope number for record keeping.

A LISTENING SPACE

Join us for weekly gatherings called "A Listening Space" for all healthcare professionals who are struggling under the weight of the pandemic. It will be a place to share stories and support one another. Gatherings will be held at St. Mary Peace Hall at 6:30pm on the Thursdays of October (7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th). Socially distant seating and masks will be required. Contact Kathy Kerzak for more information at kkerzak@comcast.net or 304-692-8881.



A Ministry to Catholic Women

Morgantown Magnificat is back! Join us for the Magnificat Visitation, **October 23 2021 from 9:30-11:30am**, at St. John University Parish Hall in Morgantown.

Our speaker is Donna Koller, co-founder of Servant Song Ministries Retreat House and Spirituality Center. Donna will share her story of how the Holy Spirit called her to a healing ministry journey that's lasted a life time. A coffee and muffin breakfast will be served. Register by October 20, 2021 at Magnificat-ministry.net (click on Chapters, States, Morgantown Chapter of WV) Tickets are \$15. Questions? Email Pat at phiggi87@comcast.net.

The Confraternity of Saint Nicholas is a public association of the faithful who, through prayer, fasting, and good works, are dedicated to the protection of all children from scandalization, abuse, and trafficking. Obligations are to attend daily Mass on December 6 and May 9, to say the Litany of St. Nicholas weekly, a brief daily prayer, and skip one meal every Wednesday. See the link to the statutes and required prayers of the Confraternity as well as the link to register online. Thank you.

Statutes and Prayers:

<https://dwc.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Statutes-of-the-Confraternity-of-Saint-Nicholas.pdf>

Online Registration:

<https://dwc.org/evangelization-and-catechesis/confraternity-of-st-nicholas/>

Al-Anon (for those affected by someone else's drinking) meets every Thursday at noon at St. Mary Church. Information: call 1-888-425-2666 or WSO@al-anon.org



St. Mary Church Ruby Read Box, Take a Book, Leave a Book.



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Sunday, Oct 17, 2021

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Come face-to-face with Jesus

Spiritual truths often sound mysterious and paradoxical. God is a Trinity; Jesus is human and divine; the last will be first. But not everything in the life of faith is a mystery. Take poverty. It's where Jesus said we'd always see him face to face. Poverty's roots are well understood: malnutrition, limited healthcare, unsafe housing, dangerous work conditions, unequal access to justice, and no political voice. In founding today's Poverty Eradication Day, French priest Joseph Wresinski dared us to rewrite these terms of modern civilization. Pray the Rosary's Sorrowful Mysteries and commit to undercutting poverty's roots.

TODAY'S READINGS: Isaiah 53:10-11; Hebrews 4:14-16; Mark 10:35-45 (146). *"Whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant."*

Monday, Oct 18, 2021

FEAST OF LUKE, EVANGELIST

First in line for Marian devotion

As the author of the Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles, Luke the Evangelist penned over a quarter of the New Testament—more than anyone else. The Virgin Mary has a special place in his gospel—it is only here that we find the story of the Annunciation, her visit to Elizabeth, the Presentation of the infant Jesus in the temple, and the finding of the child Jesus preaching in the temple. In art, Luke is sometimes depicted painting images of Mary (and he is the patron saint of painters). Revisit the richness of what we know about Mary thanks to Luke by giving his gospel another good read.

TODAY'S READINGS: 2 Timothy 4:10-17b; Luke 10:1-9 (661). *"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest."*

Tuesday, Oct 19, 2021

MEMORIAL OF JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

Learn the language of God's love

In 1642, Jesuit missionary John de Brébeuf penned "The Huron Carol." Drawing from the experience of indigenous Americans, it lauds a babe born into modest means—wrapped in a "ragged robe of rabbit skin." Instead of shepherds and Magi, Native American hunters and chiefs arrive to pay homage to "Jesus, your King." While the famous Canadian carol comes under some cultural scrutiny in modern times, it also gets credit for preserving the Huron/Wendat language it was written in. Mostly, it reminds us to speak other people's languages—figuratively, if not literally—when sharing the Good News.

TODAY'S READINGS: Romans 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Luke 12:35-38 (474). *"Where sin increased, grace overflowed all the more."*

Wednesday, Oct 20, 2021

MEMORIAL OF PAUL OF THE CROSS, PRIEST

Need some passion in your life?

"Passion" is a fiery word with various meanings, from an intense love relationship to an activity that we give our all to. Christians also have a unique understanding of "passion" as the suffering and death of Jesus. Saint Paul of the Cross was so fired up by this that he founded a religious community dedicated to the Passion of Jesus. But wait a minute, how did we get from intense love to

suffering? Paul makes the connection for us—the Passion is about Jesus' great love, a love so great that he was willing to suffer and die for us. Take a moment to reflect anew what you live—or would die—passionately for.

TODAY'S READINGS: Romans 6:12-18; Luke 12:39-48 (475). *"But thanks be to God that . . . you have become obedient from the heart."*

Thursday, Oct 21, 2021**God at work**

Summer vacations are now a faded memory as workplaces and schools operate at full swing. The Catholic Church has a rich tradition of seeing work as more than a necessity and duty. Through work we transform nature—a creative act, just as God's ongoing creation of the world is a creative act. A job that contributes to well-being can also be a path toward personal fulfillment. Whatever your work involves today, offer it up to God and take note of how God is able to work through you.

TODAY'S READINGS: Romans 6:19-23; Luke 12:49-53 (476). *"I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!"*

Friday, Oct 22, 2021

MEMORIAL OF JOHN PAUL II, POPE

Reasonable faith

In this era of "alternative facts," it is challenging to find the truth. Saint John Paul II gave us good counsel on seeking truth. In the encyclical letter *Fides et Ratio* ("Faith and Reason") he wrote, ". . . believers do not surrender. They can continue on their way to the truth because they are certain that God has created them 'explorers,' whose mission it is to leave no stone unturned, though the temptation to doubt is always there. Leaning on God, they continue to reach out, always and everywhere, for all that is beautiful, good and true." How might you be an "explorer" in situations where truth is difficult to find?

TODAY'S READINGS: Romans 7:18-25a; Luke 12:54-59 (477). *"Why do you not judge for yourselves what is right?"*

Saturday, Oct 23, 2021

MEMORIAL OF JOHN OF CAPISTRANO, PRIEST

You get as good as you give

Jesus, his disciples, and the early evangelists were all clear about one thing: "the wages of sin is death." Beyond physical death, the selfishness of sin cuts off our relationship with God and the opportunity for true peace and joy. Paying attention to the needs of others as well as yourself keeps us alive in Christ. Study after study shows that happiness comes from social connectedness and a spirit of generosity. Franciscan Saint John Capistrano says of the faithful: "The brightness of their wisdom must make them like the light of the world that brings light to others." Ponder the ways that you can acquire wisdom to share with others.

TODAY'S READINGS: Romans 8:1-11; Luke 13:1-9 (478). *"The concern of the flesh is death, but the concern of the spirit is life and peace."*

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.*

*Salve, Guardián del Redentor
Esposo de la Bendita Virgen María.
A ti Dios te confió su único Hijo;
en ti Maria depositó su confianza;
contigo Cristo se hizo hombre.*

*Bendito José, para nosotros también
muéstrate padre
y guíanos en el camino de la vida.
Obten para nosotros gracia, misericordia y coraje
y defiéndenos de todo mal. Amén.*

Safe Environment Reporting

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact WV Child Protective Services at 800.352.6513. In addition to civil authorities, to report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

Will or Estate Planning

Are you thinking of remembering St. Mary Church in your will or estate plans? A bequest through a Last Will and Testament is the simplest way of creating a lasting legacy of support for St. Mary Church. Bequests should be made out to:

"The Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, or his successors in office," with a specification of the purpose for which the bequest is to be used, e.g. "for the use of St. Mary Parish"

READINGS FOR THE WEEK October 17, 2021

Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

Monday: 2 Tm 4:10-17/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20-21/Ps 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 17 [8 and 9]/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1-3, 4-6, 7-8 [8]/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5]/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 [68]/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

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The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops, and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation. Where a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential. If you have any other kind of complaint about a bishop—such as parish assignments, church closings, or homily contents—please address those directly to your diocesan or eparchial bishop instead. Sexual abuse by a priest, deacon or a staff member or volunteer of the Church should be reported to the Office of Safe Environment for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston. So, to be sure you get the help you need, phone numbers and addresses may be found at www.dwc.org under the accountability tab. If you are the victim of sexual abuse (or any other crime), please contact local law enforcement.

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectionary: 146

Reading I

Is 53:10-11

The LORD was pleased
to crush him in infirmity.

If he gives his life as an offering for
sin,
he shall see his descendants in a
long life,
and the will of the LORD shall be
accomplished through him.

Because of his affliction
he shall see the light in fullness
of days;
through his suffering, my servant
shall justify many,
and their guilt he shall bear.

Reading II

Heb 4:14-16

Brothers and sisters:
Since we have a great high priest
who has passed through the heav-
ens,
Jesus, the Son of God,
let us hold fast to our confession.
For we do not have a high priest
who is unable to sympathize with
our weaknesses,
but one who has similarly been
tested in every way,
yet without sin.
So let us confidently approach the
throne of grace
to receive mercy and to find grace
for timely help.

Gospel

Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee,
came to Jesus and said to him,
"Teacher, we want you to do for us
whatever we ask of you."

He replied, "What do you wish me to
do for you?"

They answered him, "Grant that in
your glory
we may sit one at your right and the
other at your left."

Jesus said to them, "You do not know
what you are asking.

Can you drink the cup that I drink
or be baptized with the baptism with
which I am baptized?"

They said to him, "We can."

Jesus said to them, "The cup that I
drink, you will drink,
and with the baptism with which I am
baptized, you will be baptized;
but to sit at my right or at my left is
not mine to give
but is for those for whom it has been
prepared."

When the ten heard this, they became
indignant at James and John.

Jesus summoned them and said to
them,

"You know that those who are recog-
nized as rulers over the Gentiles
lord it over them,
and their great ones make their au-
thority over them felt.

But it shall not be so among you.
Rather, whoever wishes to be great
among you will be your servant;
whoever wishes to be first among you
will be the slave of all.

For the Son of Man did not come to be
served

but to serve and to give his life as a
ransom for many."



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