

February 10, 2019
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflections for the Week

*Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
 "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?"
 "Here I am, "I said,"send me!"*

— Isaiah 6:8

Today's Readings [Click Here](#)

First Reading —Isaiah is called to be a messenger for the Lord and responds, "Send me!" (Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8)

Psalms — In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord (Psalm 138).

Second Reading — Paul reminds us of the gospel he preached through which we are saved, if we believe it (1 Corinthians 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]).

Gospel — Jesus directs Simon to take his boat into deep water for a miraculous catch of fish. (Luke 5:1-11).

Readings for the Week

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20 — 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10

Sunday: Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26



Please pray for our parishioners & extended family:

Rest in Peace:

Judy Laxen, Josephine Small, Martha Araj Ayoub

For Healing For:

Edith Bucoy, Elizabeth Wilson, Pat Hoffman,
 Annette Gabrielli, Maureen Francis,
 Joe Humphreys, Mike Marty,
 Ethel Friedrichs, Patrick Lee, Teresa Hyatt,
 Estela Becerra & Shirley Dela Cuz.

...and a special reminder to pray for those we know now living in care facilities.

Mass Intentions
February 8-14, 2019 (Fri thru Thur)

Fri. Jack O'Keffee (Healing +)	12:10pm
Sat. Shane Andrew Sanchez (RIP+)	9:30am
Sat. Ella Hunt (Baptism +)	11:00am
Sat. Santiago Moreno (Baptism +)	2:00pm
Sat. Ann & John Forsyth (MemorialRIP+)	4:15pm
Sun. Shane Andrew Sanchez (RIP+)	9 :30am
Sun. Edith Bucoy (Good Health!)	11:30am
Sun. Isaac Vallardo (Rest in Peace +)	2:00pm
Mon. Elizabeth Wilson(Good Health!)	12:10pm
Tues. Julia & Martin Howard (Healing +)	12:10pm
Weds. Anthony sullivan (Blessings+)	12:10pm
Thurs. Howard Meehan (1 yr. Memorial +)	12:10pm

Saints and Observances

Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
 World Marriage Day

Monday: Our Lady of Lourdes;
 World Day of the Sick

Tuesday: Lincoln's Birthday

Thursday: Ss. Cyril and Methodius;

Valentine's Day

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

GOD'S SUMMONS

Confronted with God's power and majesty, the first response of the prophet Isaiah was to acknowledge his sinfulness. "Woe is me, I am doomed! For I am a man of unclean lips," he said aloud. Likewise, with his empty fishing nets dramatically filled at Jesus' instruction, Peter fell to his knees and cried out, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man." Next, Peter got up. He docked his boats then left to follow Jesus. Isaiah also had a dramatic change of heart. When he heard the Lord say, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" Isaiah answered, "Here I am, send me."

We are summoned daily by the Risen Lord. We are reminded of the saving power of the gospel and know in our heart of hearts that, as St. Paul wrote, believing in anything else won't lead to anything.

What will it take for you to move past your sinfulness? What will it take for you to get off your knees? What will it take for you to bring to dock what is unimportant and to accept your call to be God's messenger?
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Here I am; send me!



CHOOSING SIDES

My great concern is not whether God is on our side; my great concern is to be on God's side.

—Abraham Lincoln

Shane Andrew Sanchez

A memorial mass for Shane Andrew Sanchez - son of Ben Sanchez - will be held

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 at 9:30am

at St. John of God Church

followed by a reception in the Hall.

All who wish to pay their respects to the family are welcome.

As mentioned in the obituary below those who might like to donate in Shane's memory please consider the Human Rights Campaign.

www.lastingmemories.com/memorial/shane-andrew-sanchez?obituaries

Youth Ministry :Mission Holy Week for Youth, Young Adults, and Families

March 25, 2018 - April 2, 2018

Palm Sunday, March 25 – Easter Sunday, April 1

sfarchdiocese.org/youthministry missionyouthsf.com/

The Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adult Ministry office is sponsoring "Mission Holy Week"—a mission trip in our own backyard for high school and college students. Join in on any day, for a different activity each day. Walk across the Golden Gate Bridge; do street missions; attend a rally; join in Eucharistic Adoration; create living Stations of the Cross; worship at the National Shrine of St. Francis; begin and end the week at Mass with Archbishop Cordileone in the Cathedral, on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. There are full-week and day-long opportunities to participate, with overnight accommodations available, as well as day opportunities for parents and younger children. Logistics missionaries are also needed.

CHINESE NEW YEAR MASS

Saturday, February 9, 2019, 2:30 PM

CHINESE NEW YEAR MASS: Mass commemorating Chinese New Year, St. Mary's Cathedral, Gough Street at Geary Boulevard, San Francisco, 2:30 p.m. Divine Word Father Peter Zhai, director of Chinese ministry, (415) 614-5575; zhaip@sfarch.org; sfchinesecatholic.org. The Chinese Ministry of the archdiocese of San Francisco extends a warm invitation to all priests of the archdiocese and their parishioners to attend the celebration. A ticketed banquet follows the Mass. Contact Father Zhai to purchase tickets.

The Saint John of God Prayer

*Dear God, through the intercession
of St. John of God, patron of the poor and the sick,
grant me the grace this day to greet
every person that I meet with understanding and
compassion. Reveal to me their needs
and give me the means to inspire in my heart
the humility and generosity of St. John so that
I might be to them a revelation of God's Love.
Amen.- Rev. Fr. Thomas L. Seagrave*

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Reign of God comes about because people commit to reversing their lives completely, to embracing new vision, new values. Many popular television shows exploit an unattractive side of human nature by pitting contestants against one another, even to the point of performing dangerous stunts or devious schemes, to gain money or favor.

At the liturgy, we counter that impulse by committing ourselves to live generously. In response to Christ's total gift, we offer bread and wine as the emblems of our lives, our hopes, our joys and sorrows. The bread and wine carried to the altar contain our lives, and by offering our lives to God, we prepare to receive the gift of God's own life. We are to become what we receive: the body of Christ.

On Sundays, this self-giving is often accompanied by a collection and procession of gifts for the poor and money for the upkeep of the parish. There are certainly other methods of collecting money, some perhaps more efficient. Yet the act of giving from our abundance, and attending to the needs of the poor, opens us up to participation in the changes the Reign of God requires.

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Faith Formation

RCIA 6:30-8:30pm **Thursday**

340 Irving Street Entrance

Scripture Study: *Fridays, 6:30 to 8:00 PM,*
340 Irving Street Entrance.

Religious Education classes every Sunday :
there's still time for all kids to join in!

We are looking to start a Confirmation preparation class - a year and a half program with Kathleen Ohm starting in January. If you know students (7th-10th grades) who are interested in beginning this journey, please contact us!
