

**Sunday, November 2, 2025**  
**All Saints Sunday, Year C**

**First Reading**        Isaiah 1:10-18  
**Psalm**                Psalm 32:1-7  
**Second Reading**    2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

**A READING FROM ISAIAH**

<sup>10</sup> Hear the word of the LORD,  
    you rulers of Sodom!  
Listen to the teaching of our God,  
    you people of Gomorrah!  
<sup>11</sup> What to me is the multitude of your sacrifices?  
    says the LORD;  
I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams  
    and the fat of fed beasts;  
I do not delight in the blood of bulls,  
    or of lambs, or of goats.  
<sup>12</sup> When you come to appear before me,  
    who asked this from your hand?  
    Trample my courts no more;  
<sup>13</sup> bringing offerings is futile;  
    incense is an abomination to me.  
New moon and sabbath and calling of convocation—  
    I cannot endure solemn assemblies with iniquity.  
<sup>14</sup> Your new moons and your appointed festivals  
    my soul hates;  
they have become a burden to me,  
    I am weary of bearing them.  
<sup>15</sup> When you stretch out your hands,  
    I will hide my eyes from you;  
even though you make many prayers,  
    I will not listen;  
    your hands are full of blood.  
<sup>16</sup> Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean;  
    remove the evil of your doings  
    from before my eyes;  
cease to do evil,

<sup>17</sup> learn to do good;  
seek justice,  
rescue the oppressed,  
defend the orphan,  
plead for the widow.

<sup>18</sup> Come now, let us argue it out,  
says the LORD:  
though your sins are like scarlet,  
they shall be like snow;  
though they are red like crimson,

**THE WORD OF THE LORD**  
***THANKS BE TO GOD***

**A READING FROM SECOND THESSALONIANS**

<sup>1</sup> Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,  
To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the  
Lord Jesus Christ:

<sup>2</sup> Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord  
Jesus Christ.

<sup>3</sup> We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and  
sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and  
the love of every one of you for one another is  
increasing. <sup>4</sup> Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the  
churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your  
persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring.

<sup>11</sup> To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will  
make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every  
good resolve and work of faith, <sup>12</sup> so that the name of our Lord  
Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the  
grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

**THE WORD OF THE LORD**  
***THANKS BE TO GOD***

Sunday, November 9, 2025  
Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost, Year C

**First Reading** Job 19:23-27a  
**Psalm** Psalm 17:1-9  
**Second Reading** 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

### **A READING FROM JOB**

<sup>23</sup>“O that my words were written down!  
O that they were inscribed in a book!  
<sup>24</sup>O that with an iron pen and with lead  
they were engraved on a rock forever!  
<sup>25</sup>For I know that my Redeemer lives,  
and that at the last he will stand upon the earth;  
<sup>26</sup>and after my skin has been thus destroyed,  
then in my flesh I shall see God,  
<sup>27a</sup>whom I shall see on my side,  
and my eyes shall behold, and not another.”

### **THE WORD OF THE LORD** ***THANKS BE TO GOD***

### **A READING FROM SECOND THESSALONIANS**

<sup>1</sup>As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, <sup>2</sup>not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. <sup>3</sup>Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. <sup>4</sup>He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. <sup>5</sup>Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

<sup>13</sup>But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and

sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. <sup>14</sup> For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>15</sup> So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

<sup>16</sup> Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, <sup>17</sup> comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

**THE WORD OF THE LORD**  
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**Sunday, November 16, 2025**  
**Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Year C**

**First Reading** Malachi 4:1-2a  
**Psalm** Psalm 98  
**Second Reading** 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

**A READING FROM MALACHI**

<sup>1</sup> See, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. <sup>2a</sup> But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings.

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## **A READING FROM SECOND THESSALONIANS**

<sup>6</sup> Now we command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. <sup>7</sup> For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, <sup>8</sup> and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labor we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. <sup>9</sup> This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. <sup>10</sup> For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. <sup>11</sup> For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. <sup>12</sup> Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. <sup>13</sup> Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

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**Sunday, November 23, 2025**  
**Christ the King Sunday, Year C**

**First Reading**      Jeremiah 23:1-6  
**Psalm**                Psalm 46  
**Second Reading**    Colossians 1:11-20

**A READING FROM JEREMIAH**

<sup>1</sup> Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. <sup>2</sup> Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. <sup>3</sup> Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. <sup>4</sup> I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

<sup>5</sup> The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. <sup>6</sup> In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

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**A READING FROM COLOSSIANS**

<sup>11</sup> May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully <sup>12</sup> giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. <sup>13</sup> He has rescued us from the power of

darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup> in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

<sup>15</sup> He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; <sup>16</sup> for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. <sup>17</sup> He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. <sup>18</sup> He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. <sup>19</sup> For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, <sup>20</sup> and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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**Sunday, November 30, 2025**  
**First Sunday of Advent, Year A**

**First Reading**        Isaiah 2:1-5  
**Psalm**                Psalm 122  
**Second Reading**    Romans 24:36-44

**A READING FROM ISAIAH**

<sup>1</sup> The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

<sup>2</sup> In days to come  
    the mountain of the LORD's house  
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,  
    and shall be raised above the hills;  
all the nations shall stream to it.

<sup>3</sup> Many peoples shall come and say,  
"Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,  
    to the house of the God of Jacob;  
that he may teach us his ways  
    and that we may walk in his paths."  
For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,  
    and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

<sup>4</sup> He shall judge between the nations,  
    and shall arbitrate for many peoples;  
they shall beat their swords into plowshares,  
    and their spears into pruning hooks;  
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,  
    neither shall they learn war any more.

<sup>5</sup> O house of Jacob,  
    come, let us walk  
    in the light of the LORD!

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## **A READING FROM ROMANS**

<sup>11</sup> Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; <sup>12</sup> the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; <sup>13</sup> let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. <sup>14</sup> Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

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