

Sunday, August 6, 2017

Readings: 1) Daniel 7:9-10, 13-1 2) 2 Peter 1:16-19 3) Matthew 17:1-9

Sunday Liturgy

The focus for today's Mass is :

“This is my beloved son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.”

In the first reading, the Prophet Daniel observes the Ancient One on his throne, to whom is presented one like a Son of Man who will receive everlasting dominion.

The second reading reminds us that Jesus is the beloved son of the Father.

In the Gospel, Jesus takes Peter, James and John up the mountain where he is transfigured. The disciples then see Moses and Elijah conversing with him.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

PRIEST:

**Having been nourished by the word of God,
let us present to him our prayers for our needs and
the needs of our sisters and brothers.**

**For those in the Church who are charged with proclaiming the Gospel,
may they continue to faithfully proclaim the word of God to all people,**

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

**For lands ravaged by war, especially the Middle East,
may it be transfigured by lasting peace,**

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For the ill and disabled and for those who care for them;

Especially for:

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For our beloved dead,

Especially for:

may they enjoy peace in heaven.

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

**For all who gather at this table,
may we find the Lord's glory in word,
in Eucharist and in one another,**

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For our own personal intentions, (long pause),

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

PRIEST:

**Loving God, we ask that you graciously hear the prayers we bring to you,
and grant them according to your will. Through Christ our Lord.**