THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT December 7, 2025

GATHERING SONG: O Come, O Come Emmanuel

3. O come, O come, Thou Lord of might, Who to thy tribes on Sinai's height In ancient times didst give the law, In cloud and majesty and awe.

4. O come, Thou Rod of Jesse's stem, From ev'ry foe deliver them That trust thy mighty pow'r to save, And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.

Text: LM with refrain; 'O' Antiphons, Latin, 9th cent.; verses 1, 3–6 para. in Psalteriolum Cantionum Catholicarum, Cologne, 1710; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818–1866; verses 2, 7 tr. fr. The Hymnal 1940, alt. Music: Chant, Mode I; Processionale, French, 15th cent.; adapt. by Thomas Helmore, 1811–1890.

<u>LITURGY OF THE WORD</u> – click <u>HERE</u> for the readings

Responsorial Psalm 72: *In his days justice will flourish*;

in his days fullness of peace forevermore.

Prayer of the Faithful: You may un-mute and share your prayers.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

My Sunday Offering to God



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Refrain: Justice shall flourish all our days, Fullness of peace forever.

Peace 'til the moon is no more,
This is the glory of God.

1. Precious the lives of the lowly and poor in the sight of God.

- 2. Mountains and hills yield a message of peace. Children shall be saved.
- 3. Welcome as rain on the meadow and field, Showers for thirsty soil.

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Spiritual Communion Prayer

Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.

Communion Song: You Are Near

O Lord, I know you are near, standing always at my side. You guard me from the foe, and you lead me in ways everlasting.

- 1. Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I sit and when I stand. Your hand is upon me protecting me from death, keeping me from harm.
- 2. Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the heavens you are there; if I fly to the sunrise or sail beyond the sea, still I'd find you there.
- 3. You know my heart and its ways, you who formed me before I was born in the secret of darkness before I saw the sun in my mother's womb.
- 4. Marvelous to me are your works; how profound are your thoughts, my Lord. Even if I could count them, they number as the stars, you would still be there.

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Sending Forth Song: Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord!