

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 18, 2026

### **GATHERING SONG:**                    *Gather Us In*

1. Here in this place new light is streaming, now is the darkness vanished away,  
See in this space our fears and our dreamings, brought here to you in the light of this day.  
Gather us in' the lost and forsaken, gather us in' the blind and the lame;  
Call to us now, and we shall awaken, we shall arise at the sound of our name.
2. We are the young' our lives are a mystery, we are the old who yearn for your face,  
We have been sung throughout all of history, called to be light to the whole human race.  
Gather us in' the rich and the haughty, gather us in' the proud and the strong;  
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly, give us the courage to enter the song.
3. Here we will take the wine and the water, here we will take the bread of new birth,  
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth.  
Give us to drink the wine of compassion, give us to eat the bread that is you;  
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.
4. Not in the dark of buildings confining, not in some heaven, light years away,  
But here in this place the new light is shining, now is the Kingdom, now is the day.  
Gather us in and hold us for ever, gather us in and make us your own;  
Gather us in' all peoples together, fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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**GLORIA:**     *Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will!*

### **LITURGY OF THE WORD**    [Readings](#)

**Responsorial Psalm 40:** *Here I am, Lord, here I am. I come to do your will.*

**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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## **Preparation of the Gifts**

## ***You Are the Voice***

*Refrain:* You are the voice of the living God, calling us now  
to live in your love, to be children of God once again!

1. Praise for the light that shines through the night,  
from darkness to light, from death to new life,  
and praise to the morning that brings forth the sun,  
to open our eyes to the Lord!  
To open our eyes to the Lord!
2. Praise for the water that springs from the sea,  
the seed that gives life to all who believe,  
God's love overflowing, our hearts know the joy  
To be daughters and sons of the Lord!  
To be daughters and sons of the Lord!
3. Praise for the singing and praise for the dance,  
with new heart and voice, all raise the song  
of praise to creation; all heaven and earth,  
come sing of the glory of God!  
Come sing of the glory of God!

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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:**

## ***Here I Am, Lord***

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save.  
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?  
  
Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

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**Sending Forth Song:**

***City of God***

1. Awake from your slumber! Arise from your sleep!  
A new day is dawning for all those who weep.  
The people in darkness have seen a great light.  
The Lord of our longing has conquered the night.

***Refrain:***

- Let us build the city of God. May our tears be turned into dancing!  
For the Lord, our light and our love, has turned the night into day!
2. We are sons of the morning; we are daughters of day.  
The One who has loved us has brightened our way.  
The Lord of all kindness has called us to be  
a light for all people to set their hearts free.

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