Liturgical Calendars

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Jesus In The Synagogue

And he began by saying to them, "Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." Luke 4:21 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 4:14-21 (NIV).



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J U Y T K T P H Q S R I F V N
P O W E R O K O S X P E X W T
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W P Z A N O I N T E D P A Y T
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poor	prophet	Galilee	power	news
Sabbath	good	scroll	prisoners	today
synagogue	freedom	taught	anointed	scripture
Spirit	proclaim	sight	preach	blind

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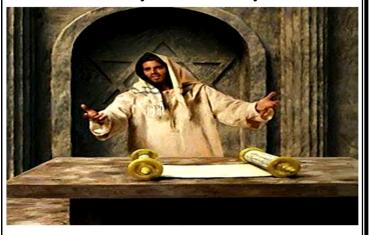
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Church Council Chair: Edward Shoucair

MASS TIMES: Sunday 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Monday – Saturday 6:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION: Appointment/Announced

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Year C - January 23, 2022

Today's Readings

1st Reading: 2nd Reading: Gospel Reading:



Neh. 8: 2-6, 8-10 1 Cor. 12: 12-30 Lk. 1: 1-4; 4:14-21

Response: Your words are spirit, Lord, a light for our lives



Beloved in Christ,

Paul reminds us that, "As it is, there are many parts, but one body" (1 Cor. 12:20). We tend to think that the body comprises only human beings. However, the body is to be understood as everything in creation.

We are called by God to be each other's keeper (*Gen. 4:9; Mt. 22:39*). We are also given the responsibility of being stewards for creation (*Gen. 2:15; Rev. 5:13*). This implies that every believer should cultivate healthy relationships with humans, animals, plants and the environment. God created everything to be loved, respected and treated well. Our faith journey is linked to our existence and experiential responsibility in our world.

Saint Ignatius reminds us:

These are the beginning and the end of life: faith the beginning, love the end. When these two are found together, there is God, and everything else concerning right living follows from them. No one professing faith sins; no one possessing love hates. A tree is known by its fruit. So those who profess to belong to Christ will be known by what they do. For the work we are about is not a matter of words here and now, but depends on the power of faith and on being found faithful to the end.

May the God of creation grant us the grace to express our faith in the love and care we manifest by our positive relationship with our world.

Fr. Howard Thompson



Thought To Ponder

