



Peace be with you

TODAY'S READINGS

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

Myeongdong
Catholic Cathedral
Archdiocese
of Seoul

November 23rd, 2025

1st Reading: 2 SM 5:1-3

Reader: A reading from the second book
of Samuel

In those days, all the tribes of Israel
came to David in Hebron and said:
“Here we are, your bone and your flesh.
In days past, when Saul was our king,
it was you who led the Israelites out
and brought them back.
And the LORD said to you,
‘You shall shepherd my people Israel
and shall be commander of Israel.’”
When all the elders of Israel came to
David in Hebron,
King David made an agreement with them
there before the LORD,
and they anointed him king of Israel.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: PS 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5

**R: Let us go rejoicing to the house
of the Lord.**

1. I rejoiced because they said to me,
“We will go up to the house of the LORD.”
And now we have set foot
within your gates, O Jerusalem. **R.**

2. Jerusalem, built as a city
with compact unity.
To it the tribes go up,
the tribes of the LORD. **R.**

3. According to the decree for Israel,
to give thanks to the name of the LORD.
In it are set up judgment seats,
seats for the house of David. **R.**

2nd Reading: COL 1:12-20

Reader: A reading from the letter of St. Paul
to the Colossians

Brothers and sisters:
Let us give thanks to the Father,
who has made you fit to share
in the inheritance of the holy ones in light.
He delivered us from the power of
darkness and transferred us
to the kingdom of his beloved Son,
in whom we have redemption,
the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God,
the firstborn of all creation.
For in him were created all things
in heaven and on earth,
the visible and the invisible,
whether thrones or dominions
or principalities or powers;
all things were created through him
and for him.
He is before all things,
and in him all things hold together.
He is the head of the body, the church.
He is the beginning, the firstborn from
the dead,
that in all things he himself might be
preeminent.
For in him all the fullness was pleased
to dwell, and through him to reconcile
all things for him,
making peace by the blood of his cross
through him, whether those on earth
or those in heaven.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia: MK 11:9,10

Blessed is he who comes in the name
of the Lord!

Blessed is the kingdom of our father
David that is to come!

Alleluia.

Gospel: LK 23:35-43

**Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel
according to Luke**

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said,
“He saved others, let him save himself
if he is the chosen one,
the Christ of God.”
Even the soldiers jeered at him.
As they approached to offer him wine
they called out,
“If you are King of the Jews,
save yourself.”
Above him there was an inscription
that read, “This is the King of the Jews.”

Now one of the criminals hanging there
reviled Jesus, saying,
“Are you not the Christ?
Save yourself and us.”
The other, however, rebuking him,
said in reply,
“Have you no fear of God, for you are
subject to the same condemnation?
And indeed, we have been condemned
justly, for the sentence we received
corresponds to our crimes,
but this man has done nothing criminal.”
Then he said,
“Jesus, remember me when you come
into your kingdom.”
He replied to him,
“Amen, I say to you,
today you will be with me in Paradise.”

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

☐ Due to an increase of visitors recently,
we are facing a lack of seats in the back.
To prevent congestion, we would
appreciate it if you can take seats
starting from the front row, center aisle.

☐ **Myeongdong Cathedral 2026 Calendar**

- Date: Nov. 30th (First Advent)
- Place: Booths at the cathedral courtyard
- Please bring a copy of *Today's Readings*
to receive one, as only one copy can be
provided per household.

☐ **Confession for Internationals**

is available in English, Spanish, Italian.

Day	Time	Place
Saturday	16:00 - 17:00	GaeSung Girl's High school, 1 st Fl
Sunday	08:30 - 08:55	Front left side of the Church

Those who need the sacrament of confession
or other sacraments can contact Father Isaac
directly via email: isaacseoul@gmail.com

☐ **Hymnbooks**

- Order of Mass in number 140
- Please return the hymnbooks to the
volunteers after mass**
- You may purchase hymnbooks online:
<http://ocp.org>

☐ **Today's Hymns**

Entrance	838	O SACRAMENT MOST HOLY
Offertory	760	AS WE GATHER AT YOUR TABLE
Communion	794	I AM THE LIVING BREAD
	796	TASTE AND SEE
Recessional	841	BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR

*“For in him were created all things
in heaven and on earth.”*

COL 1:16