



Fourteenth Sunday in ordinary Time – Year C (P 916) – 7/7/2019

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON Cf Ps 47: 10-11

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

FIRST READING 66:10-14 Page 916

A reading from the prophet Isaiah.

I will send toward Jerusalem peace like a river.

Rejoice Jerusalem; be glad for her, all you who love her!
Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her!
That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may saviour with delight her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord. Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spite the glory of the nations. At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lip. Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you.

And by Jerusalem you will be comforted. At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

✠ **The word of the Lord.** ✠



Responsorial Psalm

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians.

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The marks I carry on my body are those of Jesus Christ.

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world in crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature.

Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God. I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen

✠ **The word of the Lord.** ✠



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Page 682 10:1-12, 17-20

The reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.

Your peace will rest upon him.

★ The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, "The harvest is rich but the labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals, no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And of a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; If not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages, do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you. ★

But whatever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, that on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.

The seventy-two came back rejoicing, "Lord", they said, "even the devils submit to us when we use your name." He said to them, "I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven."

◆ **The Gospel of the Lord.** ◆

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Taste and see that the Lord is good, blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, we pray, O Lord, that, having been replenished by such great gifts, we may gain the prize of salvation and never cease to praise you.

◆ **Through Christ our Lord.** ◆

