

MONDAY 19 JANUARY 2026
MONDAY OF THE 2ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

: ENTRANCE VERSE: All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to your name, O Most High!

First Reading: *1 Samuel 15: 16-23*

PSALM RESPONSE To the upright I will show the saving power of God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! The Word of God is living and active; it probes the thoughts and motives of our hearts. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Mark 2: 18-22*

COMMUNION VERSE: You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst

TUESDAY 20TH JANUARY 2026
TUESDAY OF THE 2ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

: ENTRANCE VERSE: All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to your name, O Most High!

First Reading: *1 Samuel 16:1-13*

PSALM RESPONSE: I have found David, my servant

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Mark 2:23-28*

COMMUNION VERSE: You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst

WEDNESDAY 21 JANUARY 2026
SAINT AGNES

Died at Rome, perhaps in the early fourth century. One of the most widely venerated of the Roman martyrs. According to early accounts, she gave her life to preserve her virginity consecrated to Christ. Remembered in Eucharist Pray 1 (The Roman Canon).

ENTRANCE VERSE

Blessed is the virgin who by denying herself and taking up her cross imitated the Lord, the spouse of virgins and prince of martyrs.

First Reading: *1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51*

PSALM RESPONSE:

Blessed be the Lord, my rock.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick.

Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Mark 3: 1-6*

COMMUNION VERSE:

The Lamb who is at the centre of the throne will lead them to the springs of the waters of life.

THURSDAY 22 JANUARY 2026
THURSDAY OF THE 2ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High.

First Reading: ***1 Samuel 18: 6-9; 19:1-7***

PSALM RESPONSE:

In God I trust; I shall not fear

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death
and brought us life through the Gospel.

Alleluia!

The Gospel: ***Mark 3: 7-12***

COMMUNION VERSE:

You have prepared a table before me,
and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.

FRIDAY 23 JANUARY 2026
FRIDAY OF THE 2ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE: All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to your name, O Most High!

First Reading: *1 Samuel 24: 3-21*

PSALM RESPONSE: Have mercy on me, God, have mercy

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and The Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Mark 3: 13-19*

COMMUNION VERSE: You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst

SATURDAY 24 JANUARY 2026
SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES

ENTRANCE VERSE: I will look after my sheep, says the Lord, and I will appoint a shepherd to pasture them, and I, the Lord, will be their God

First Reading: *2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 17, 19, 23-27*

PSALM RESPONSE: Let us see your face Lord, and we shall be saved

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Open our hearts, O Lord, to listen to the words of your Son. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Mark 3:20-21*

COMMUNION VERSE: It was not you who chose me, says the Lord, But I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last.