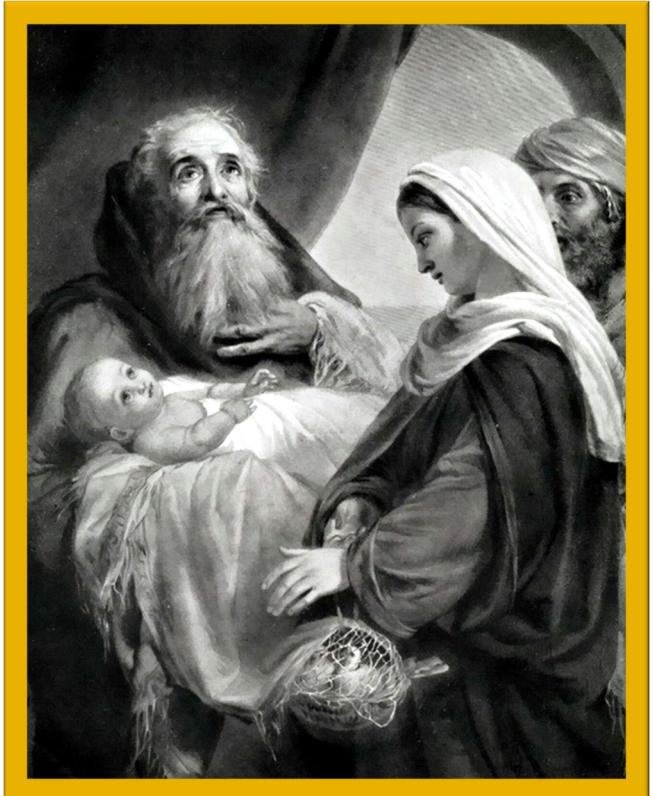


Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My 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 spiritually into my heart. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.



The Presentation of the Lord

Feb. 2nd

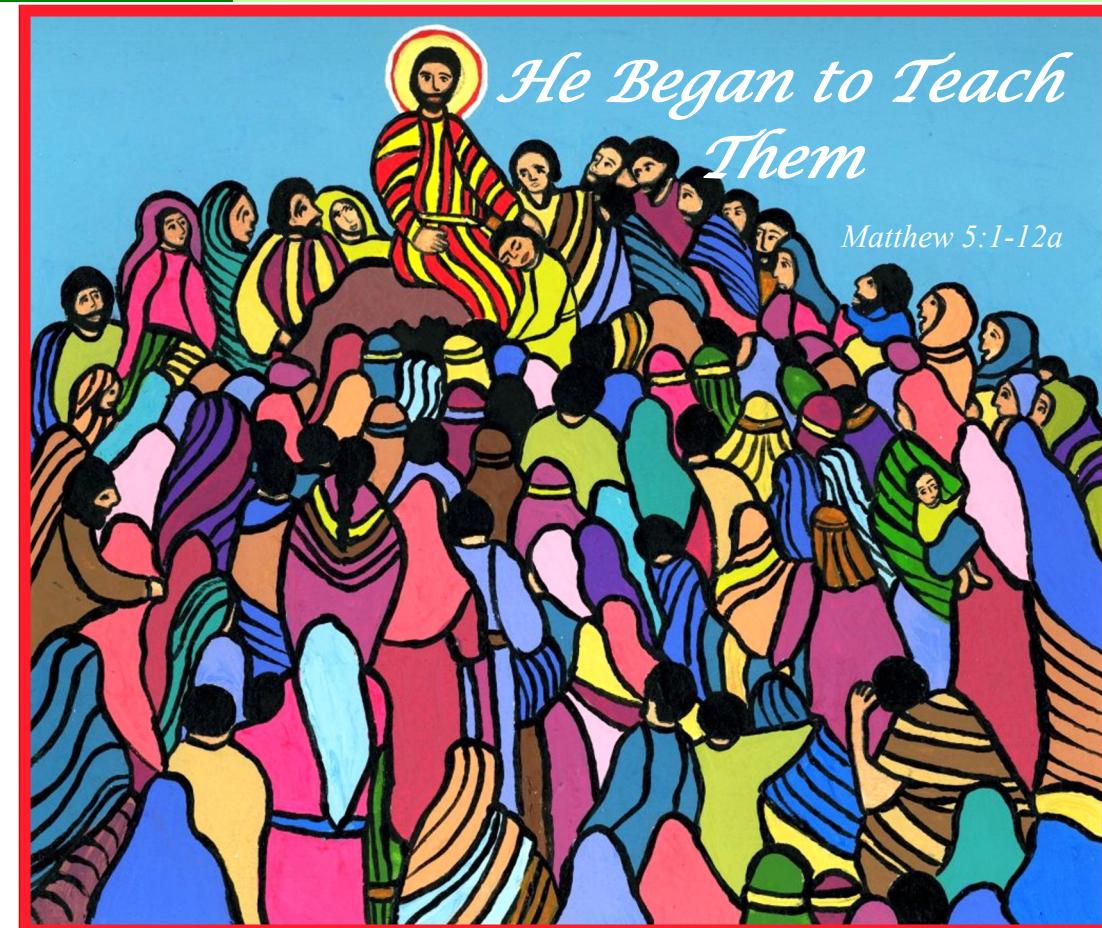
Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples: a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel.

Amen.



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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEK OF FEB 1ST, 2026

All Chapel Services can be viewed on Channel 2493.

Sat. (Jan. 31st) Anticipated Mass For The Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

4:00PM Santa DeGaetano—Bea & Iggy

Sun. (Feb. 1st) Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 AM Joseph DeFranco—Family

Mon. (Feb. 2nd) The Presentation of the Lord (Feast)

10:30 AM The Intentions of Grace DeMarco—Kitty Petronio

Tues. (Feb. 3rd) Weekday in Ordinary Time or Saints Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; Ansgar, Bishop

10:30 AM The Intentions of Faith & Don Keeley—Friend

Wed. (Feb. 4th) Weekday in Ordinary Time

10:30 AM The Intentions of Fred Donofrio—Friend

Thurs. (Feb. 5th) Saint Agatha, Virgin & Martyr (Memorial)

10:30 AM The Intentions of JoAnne & Fran Maier—Friend

Sat. (Feb. 7th) Anticipated Mass for the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM Louise Caputo—Bernie Lasher & Family

Sun. (Feb. 8th) Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 AM Ida Caruso—Her Husband, Carm

Dear Friends,

Today's Gospel offers a contrast to many of the messages we hear in our society today. If we were to accept uncritically the "get ahead" messages of our culture, we would think that happiness means having money, being successful, having many possessions, and so on. When we think this way, we are not unlike the people who heard Jesus teach on the day that he taught the Beatitudes. The crowd that day also associated happiness with material possessions and status.

The beatitudes are some of the most consoling and encouraging words in the gospels, and a reminder of God's desire to care for us when we are at our most broken down. Life can be full of challenges, heartbreak, and drudgery. Jesus desires to meet us precisely in that slog, promising us that the kingdom of God is there. Trusting in the love and mercy of God will be with us in whatever difficulties life presents.

The letter to the Corinthians should give us hope as we accept this call. Paul reminds us that God chooses the foolish of the world, the weak of the world, and the lowly of the world. God gives us everything we need to respond to God's invitation, even when we doubt ourselves.

Let us pray that we may use the gifts God has given us to bring about God's kingdom in our world today.

Have a Blessed Week ~Rose

