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# Our Lord's Ascension Parish of the PNCC

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## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### News Flash!

Today - After Holy Mass you are invited for Christmas dinner.

### The Readings

Bar 5, 1-9

Psalm 126

**R. THE LORD HAS DONE  
GREAT THINGS FOR US;  
WE ARE FILLED WITH  
JOY!**

Phil 1, 4-6. 8-11

### Eucharistic Prayer II

#### Holy Masses

**TODAY - December 9th - II  
Sunday of Advent**

10:30 A.M. - Holy Mass.

**SUNDAY - December 16th - III  
Sunday of Advent.**

9:00 A.M. - Holy Mass.

### The Lectors

Dec. 9th - Mary Ann Bartone

Dec. 16th - Magda Yurchishin

### Christmas Services:

Christmas Eve Mass - 9 PM

Christmas Day - 10 AM

### Entrance Hymn

*V. Lo, I am sending My messenger to prepare the way before Me; and suddenly there will come to the temple the Lord Whom you seek.*

**R. And the messenger of the covenant Whom you desire, yes, He is coming, says the Lord of hosts.**

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

**R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen.**

### The Gospel (Lk 3, 1-6)

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah, "The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be made low, and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.' **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OUR FRIENDS:** Our prayers are needed for: Gertrude Gron, Eugene O'Callaghan, Amelia Stankus, Gary & Dorothy Villa, **Our Father..**