

St. Joseph Church
Dover, Ohio 44622
The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 17 and 18, 2015
17 y 18 Enero del 2015

Mass Intentions



Monday, January 19

No Mass

Readings: 311: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 20

6:00 p.m. Sherry Moran

Readings: 312: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday, January 21

8:15 a.m. Nicole and Aurea Carpio

9:00 a.m. Rosary

Readings: 313: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, January 22

8:15 a.m. Bob Wagner

9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Eucharist

Readings: 314: Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40/Mk 3:7-12

Friday, January 23

8:15 a.m. Karen Tiernan and Richard LeBlanc

Readings: 315: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85/ Mk 3:13-19

Saturday, January 24

The Vigil of The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. Carol Onslow

Sunday, January 25,

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Judy Geers

11:00 a.m. Margaret Seymore

1:30 p.m. The People of the Parish (**Mass in Spanish**)

Readings: 68: Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25/1 Cor 7:29-31/
Mk 1:14-20

Offertory for Sunday, January 10 and 11, 2015

Loose	\$ 904.00
Adult (273 Envelopes)	\$ 7,789.00
Online Giving	\$ 210.00
Total	\$ 8,903.00
Contributions needed each week	\$ 12,192.00
Other Funds:	
Capital Improvement	\$ 121.00
Youth Ministry	\$ 325.00
Poor Fund	\$ 290.00
Initial Offering	\$ 410.00
Propagation of Faith	\$ 10.00
New Year	\$ 35.00

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Ministry Schedules
January 24 and 25, 2015

4:00 p.m. Mass

Lector: Ron Onslow - 1st Reading

Ron Onslow - 2nd Reading

Eucharistic Ministers: Norma Murphy,

Linda West, Vicki Avon, Tim Avon,

Jeri Middaugh, Beth Cecil, Marge Onslow

Hospitality: Pastoral Council Members

Servers: Max Demattio, Sami Demattio,

David Finnell (Alt: Andrea Garcia - Paez)

8:30 a.m. Mass

Lector: Jack Burnham - 1st Reading

Jeannine Kennedy - 2nd Reading

Eucharistic Ministers: Jay O'Donnell,

Vicki Wilhelm, Mary Burnham, Maggie Boring,

Monica Boring, Alyssa Blickensderfer,

Zachary Kline, Sharon Kuczirka, John Kuczirka

Hospitality: Ann Riley and Pastoral Council

Servers: Max Burnham, Therese Burnham,

Merrick Mamarella (Alt: John Chaney)

11:00 a.m. Mass

Lector: Mike Ernest - 1st Reading

Nancy Allen - 2nd Reading

Eucharistic Ministers: Sandy Deetz,

Chris Helbling, Jodi Bambeck, Becky Nylund,

Dave Nylund, Cathy Galbraith,

Dan Galbraith

Servers: Javier Fernandez, Carlos Fernandez,

Jackson Bambeck (Alt: Joseph House)

Mass Intentions: Please be reminded that any parishioner is welcome to request that Masses be celebrated for deceased or living loved ones. To schedule a Mass Intention, please call the Parish Office.

Please Note: If you would like to present the gifts at the Offertory, please contact the Ushers before Mass.

Spiritual Notes:

Today's readings present us with the call narratives of the prophet Samuel and Jesus's first disciples. Samuel's story bridges the time of the Judges with the establishment of the monarchy in biblical Israel. The Book of Judges narrates a time when Israel fell into disarray and sin. As the final verse of the book tells us, "In those days there was no king in Israel; everyone did what was right in their own sight." The author of the Book of Samuel tells us that in Samuel's day, "the word of the Lord was scarce and vision infrequent." Young Samuel begins a long line of prophets who will bring God's word to the people for "the Lord was with him." In the Gospel today, Jesus begins to gather disciples. His first two are originally followers of John the Baptist. When John points Jesus out to them, "Behold the Lamb of God" they begin to follow Jesus. One of them is Andrew, who proceeds to bring his brother Simon to Jesus, telling him, "We have found the Messiah." Like Samuel, these men are called by God to lead others to encounter God, too. Paul writes to the Corinthians in response to a letter they sent to him. He offers advice concerning problems in their community. He cannot be with them, but he can provide guidance through his correspondence. Today's advice concerns sexual immorality. Paul reminds us that our "bodies are members of Christ," and so we should treat them with the appropriate respect. Since Christ redeemed us, the Spirit dwells within us. So Paul calls us to "glorify God in your body."

For reflection: How would I describe my own call narrative. What has God called me to do?

In Our Parish

Please keep Ethel "Peggy" Lengyel, age 94, who died on Friday, January 9, 2015, in your prayers. May her soul and all the souls of our faithful departed rest in peace. We ask that you also keep her family in your prayers.

Thank you to the Family Life Committee for serving breakfast last weekend! It was delicious! St. Joseph is blessed to have such wonderful volunteers!

Save the Date!

On the weekend of May 30 and 31, 2015, Deacon Tony Davis will be ordained to the priesthood and offer his first Mass of Thanksgiving. The Ordination Mass is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 30, 2015, at St. Paul Church in Westerville, and his first Mass will be on May 31st at 5:00 p.m. here at St. Joseph Church. Exact details and more information will follow. Everyone is welcome. In order to better account for attendance, look for RSVP information after Easter!



Dover Knights of Columbus Basketball Free Throw Competition, Sunday, January 25, 2015, at 1:00 p.m. in the school gym. This competition is for Boys and Girls ages 10 to 14. There will be a separate category for each group. The winners will be competing in the district tournament immediately following the council competition.

The Birthright steak dinner fund raiser will be held on Saturday, February 7, 2015, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Dennison. Tickets are \$17.00 each. If you would like to attend, please contact Georgianna Kline at 330-874-3635. We hope you will consider attending and supporting this very worthy organization.



"Love is our Mission: The Family is Fully Alive!"

St. Joseph Parish plans to attend this once-in-a-lifetime event at the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia. Our pilgrimage will begin as we depart from Columbus on Friday, September 25th. There will be internationally known speakers, events for children, and concluding with a Mass celebrated by Pope Francis on Sunday, September 27th. If you are interested in attending, please contact the Parish Office.



Beginning this weekend, and for the next couple of weeks, there will be baskets at each of the entrances to return any of your old blessed palm. We will burn them and they are used on Ash Wednesday.



Notes from Kevin...

Our Choir for the 4:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, January 31st will be the "Singing Saints" from our Elementary School. We welcome them and their voices during the celebration of Catholic Schools Week.

Upcoming Liturgies in the Spiritual Life of Saint Joseph Parish

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Confession times are 3:15 to 3:45 p.m., on Sunday mornings from 7:45 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. and from 10:15 a.m. until 10:45 a.m.

Anointing of the Sick

Following the 4:00 p.m. Mass the first weekend of each month, following the 8:30 a.m. Mass the second weekend of each month, and following the 11:00 a.m. Mass the 3rd weekend of each month.

Adoration of the Eucharist

The Eucharist will be exposed for Adoration every Thursday morning after Mass until 9:30 a.m.

Rosary

Each Wednesday Morning after the 8:15 a.m. Mass, join us as we pray the Rosary.

Upcoming Meetings in the Life of the Parish

Secular Franciscans invite everyone wishing to attend the first Saturday of each month at 9:00 a.m. for Morning Prayer and Eucharistic Prayer followed by coffee and donuts.

Men's Bible Study Group: Saturday mornings at 7:00 a.m. in the Family Life Center. For more information, please call 330-343-8008.

Heart of Mary Bible Study: Come and join us the first and third Fridays of every month from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults): Sunday, January 18, 2015, at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center - Fondriest Room. The Topic will be *The Ten Commandments*.

Isabellas: Monday, January 19, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center - Meeting Room A.

Baptism Prep: Tuesday, January 20, 2015, at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center - Fondriest Room. Please contact the Parish Office to RSVP.

St. Joseph Seniors: Wednesday, January 21, 2015, at 12:00 p.m. (Noon) at the Manor Restaurant in Strasburg.

Help Wanted!

Fund-raising Committee: New members welcome!
Our next meeting will be on Thursday, January 29th at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

Youth Ministry News



Jr.High Youth Group

Sunday, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
in the Family Life Center

High School Youth Group

Sunday, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
in the Family Life Center

Tuscarawas Central Catholic Elementary School

Spaghetti Dinner, Open House and Book Fair!

Tuscarawas Central Catholic Elementary School will have a Spaghetti Dinner and Open House Sunday, January 18, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to join us for a delicious Peach Fragasse Spaghetti Dinner and learn more about the school. Registration material for the 2015-16 school year will be available. **Our Book Fair will be open during the dinner and Open House, with additional hours Monday through Thursday from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the Media Center. Everyone is welcome!**

Tuscarawas Central Catholic Elementary School has begun accepting registrations for our preschool and pre-kindergarten programs for the 2015-16 school year. Registration forms are available at the school office or by calling 330-343-9134. We provide a caring, faith-filled environment for the spiritual, social, and cognitive development of three, four, and five-year-old children.

Casino Night - January 24, 2015

6:00 to 10:00 p.m. In the TCCES Gymnasium

Please join us for a winning night of appetizers by Bistro 131, games of chance, a silent auction, and a cash bar. Entertainment provided by Randy Velez and WJER's Michael Roberts. All proceeds to benefit TCCES and the Catholic Schools of Tuscarawas County. Tickets are \$10.00 per person, with advanced sales only, and must be paid for when reserved. For questions or reservations, please contact Sarah Sciarretti at 330-364-2681.

St. Joseph Soup Kitchen

Everyone is welcome!!

The intention for the Soup Kitchen is to serve God's children in need: the poor in spirit, as well as the needy. **If you or anyone else you know lives alone and would like a hot meal to share with others, please feel free to come and have a meal with us.**

Below you will find the upcoming schedule.
Teams, if you need assistance, please contact Andrea Settimio or the Parish Office.

January 21, 2015 - Team B (Sue Capozella)
January 28, 2015 - Team C (Milt Hamilton)
February 4, 2015 - Team I (Sharon Kuczirka)
February 11, 2015 - Team E (Pastoral Council)

Also, if you do not have 6 to 8 people available for your night, please call Andrea or the Parish Office to get the name of a sub.

Please keep all our volunteers in your prayers.

Other Information To Note:

If you know of a friend or family member who is in the hospital, for surgery or due to illness, please call the Parish Office and give them the information, and someone will visit them as soon as possible.

Prayer Chain: To place your request on the prayer chain, please call the Parish Office or Charlene Herzig at 330-343-1063.

Low-Gluten Hosts: If you are a person who needs to receive a **low-gluten host** because of wheat allergies or celiac disease, please call the Parish Office.

Can you help with transportation to Mass?

We often get calls from parishioners in both Dover and New Philadelphia, who need help getting to Mass. If you are able to help, please call the Parish Office.

Bulletin deadline: The bulletin deadline is Monday at 3:00 p.m. Please include your contact information with phone number and email address. Bulletin notices may be in writing, faxed to 330-602-7488, dropped off, or emailed to stjosephchurch@roadrunner.com.

Remember the spark that enlivened the early years of your marriage?

Come on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend and learn how to recover in just 20 minutes a day. The next Marriage Encounter weekend is February 13-15, in Central Ohio. For more information, or to register, call 740-746-9003.

Looking for the perfect weekend for Valentine's Day?

Looking for the perfect weekend to bring a husband and wife closer together. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter is exactly what you are looking for! At WWME you get away from the distractions of everyday life and focus on each other. Celebrate the gift of love God has given you in one another and learn more communication techniques of Christ-centered marriage filled with romance and intimacy. The next weekend is February 13 to 15 and located in Green, Ohio. For more information, call 330-305-9963 or visit www.WWME.org.

Save the Dates!

The 2015 Catholic Women's Conference will be held on Saturday, February 21st at the Ohio Expo Center in Columbus. A week later, on Saturday, February 28th, the Annual Catholic Men's Conference will be held at the same location. More information will be following.

January is Poverty in America Awareness Month

More than 46 million Americans live in Poverty. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development designated January as "Poverty in American Awareness Month." In January, we devote our efforts to heightening the nation's understanding of the scope of problems of poverty and work to break the cycle. For more details, go to www.povertyusa.org.

January 22, 2015 - Respect Life Mass/Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. The annual Respect Life Mass will be held on Thursday, January 22nd at 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral; Bishop Campbell will be the celebrant. On this day of the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court decision *Roe V. Wade*, our diocese will join all dioceses of the United States in observing a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact the Office of Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.



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St. Joseph Calvary Cemetery

If you are interested in purchasing lots, or if you have questions regarding rules and regulations, please call Don in the Parish Office, and he will be happy to assist you.



Please help us to update our records. More and more parishioners have begun to eliminate their landlines, and use only cell phones. If you fall into this category, please contact the Parish Office with your correct information. You may fill out this slip and drop it in the collection basket or email any changes to stjosephchurch@roadrunner.com. Thank you!!

Family Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Additional Number: _____

Courage/Encourage:

Courage offers spiritual support for Catholic men and women with same-sex attractions and is endorsed by the Pontifical Council for the Family. Courage was founded in 1980 by Cardinal Cook to help Catholics with same-sex attractions live chaste lives in accordance with the Roman Catholic Church's teachings. EnCourage is the affiliate support group for family members, spouses, and friends of men and women with same-sex attractions. For confidential inquiries, please contact Father Pat Toner at 614-296-7404. For more information, contact the Marriage and Family Life Office at 614-241-2560 or visit www.couragerc.net.

Spirit of Hope Gala of Catholic Social Services will be held on Saturday, February 7th at 6:30 p.m. at the Renaissance Columbus Downtown Hotel. The annual event benefits Catholic Social Services' fourteen programs designed to strengthen individuals and families, provide crisis relief and help seniors age with grace and independence in the 23 counties of our diocese. To purchase tickets, visit www.colscss.org or by calling 614-221-5891.

Daughters of Holy Mary of the Heart of Jesus

prayer movement for the Religious Institute founded in 1984 in Spain (currently in eight countries, including the United States) is located at 700 Lovers Lane, Steubenville, Ohio.

Upcoming Events

Pilgrim Youth: Women ages 17 to 25

January 25, 2015

Traveling Teens: Young Women ages 12 to 16

January 24, 2015

Eucharistic Girls: Girls under the age of 12

February 7, 2015

For more information, or to participate, please contact the Sisters at 740-346-2625. Any contributions for their important ministry are appreciated.



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POVERTY AND ABORTION: A VICIOUS CYCLE

“My boyfriend Jimmy and I had been going from shelter to shelter just to stay warm as winter’s chill coursed through us. I was with Jimmy and pregnant.”
– Anna*

“On several occasions we had to deal with homelessness. I can remember sleeping on a park bench and sleeping at bus stops... In 2009 I discovered I was pregnant, with my daughter Mia. And prior to being pregnant with her I had been pregnant before. I had an abortion... So this time around I wanted to do things the right way. I wanted to choose life.”
– Jacqueline*

Anna and Jacqueline* describe a plight that is too common. If anything, surveys indicate that low-income women are more *against* abortion than other women. Yet economic realities pressure many to act against their convictions. This has been a disturbing reality for a long time, and is getting worse.

In a 2005 study, 73% of women undergoing an abortion said not being able to afford a baby now was a reason for the abortion. That number rose to 81% for women below the federal poverty line.¹ And while the abortion rate for American women declined by 8% between 2000 and 2008, among poor American women it increased by 18%.²



Economic pressure and government abortion policy can combine to make things worse. One study found that poor women on Medicaid had twice the abortion rate of other women in their state. If the state’s Medicaid program paid for elective abortions, their abortion rate was more than *four times* that of other women.³ By offering “free” abortions, the government effectively places its thumb on the scale to favor death for the unborn child. By contrast, if these programs continue funding care for mothers and babies but stop

funding abortion, abortions among women in the program decrease by as much as 35%.⁴

For many years policymakers have debated whether we should reduce abortions by fighting poverty or by passing pro-life laws. The question is misplaced. It is not a matter of either/or, but of both/and. We need to address both poverty *and* bad abortion policies.

So poverty can lead to an increase in abortions. How does abortion affect poverty?

Here we have to look at a trend called “the feminization of poverty.” Women are more likely than men to be poor, and to be in “deep poverty” (with an income less than half the federal poverty line). U.S. Census Bureau figures show that 5 million more women than men were poor in 2012. Almost 31% of households headed by a single woman are below the poverty line, compared to 6% of households headed by a married couple.⁵ Women head over 80% of single-parent households, and almost half of children living with only their mother are poor.⁶ So poverty in America is often a story of poor women and children, with no man in the house.

Some social observers once thought legalized abortion would solve this problem. If single poor women had access to abortion, they could avoid the hardships of trying to raise a child alone without resources. But after more than forty years of legalized abortion, out-of-wedlock births have increased, and the plight of poor women has worsened.

Beginning in the 1990s, groundbreaking research has found that the “technology shock” of widely available contraception and abortion has *increased* out-of-wedlock births. Previously, it was widely accepted that an unexpected pregnancy out-of-wedlock should lead a man to offer marriage.

Once contraception and abortion became widespread, the same pregnancy came to be seen as the woman’s responsibility – and as her problem. The man’s obligation can end with an offer to pay for abortion; if the woman refuses, she often soon finds herself to be a single mother. Today over 40% of births are out-of-wedlock.⁷

What if the woman does have the abortion? Besides suffering from psychological and spiritual burdens as an individual, she may find that the abortion has poisoned her relationships. The rate of marital

breakups and relationship dissolution after an abortion is said to be between 40 and 75 percent, often related to a breakdown of intimacy and trust.⁸ And that often leaves women alone to care for themselves and any other children. In fact, sixty percent of abortions are performed on women who already had one or more children.

Marriage has been called “America’s greatest weapon against child poverty.”⁹ By the same token, anything that disrupts lasting relationships undermines the ability of women and men to join together to make a promising future for themselves and their children. In short, poverty can lead to abortion, and abortion can lead to more poverty.

Pope Francis has seen a deeper link between the poor and the unborn. They are both among the first victims of a “throw-away society,” an attitude that sees people as disposable when they do not serve the selfish interests of those with more power.

In *Evangelii Gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel)*,¹⁰ Pope Francis rededicated the Church to solidarity with the poor and marginalized, including women who are “doubly poor” because they endure “situations of exclusion, mistreatment and violence.” He added: “Among the vulnerable for whom the Church wishes to care with particular love and concern are unborn children, the most defenseless and innocent among us.” To those who would abandon the unborn in order to be more “progressive,” he insisted: “It is not ‘progressive’ to try to resolve problems by eliminating a human life.” He went on to say that not enough has been done “to adequately accompany women in very difficult situations, where abortion appears as a quick solution to their profound anguish, especially when the life developing within them is the result of rape or a situation of extreme poverty” (nos. 212-14).

In defending unborn children, whom Mother Theresa called “the poorest of the poor,” we resist a “survival of the fittest” attitude that ignores the needy – including poor women, many of whom feel pressure to undergo abortions. And in standing for the needs of the poor, we oppose a mentality that treats the very lives of some human beings – any human being, from conception to natural death – as unimportant or burdensome.

Anna and Jacqueline were fortunate. They found a network of church support that provides material, emotional and spiritual support for women with

unintended pregnancies. Thousands of pregnancy centers throughout the country provide such help every day, assuring women in crisis that they and their unborn children really matter.**

We should support these centers and consider volunteering for them or opening our homes to a pregnant woman in need. And we can all help encourage our government and other institutions to support life. They must always aid and support mothers and children, and never offer to pay for the destruction of life as a “solution” to the challenges women face. The call to uphold women’s dignity and well-being, and that of their unborn children, is one and the same.

* Names have been changed to protect the privacy of those mentioned.

** To find out what resources may be available locally, contact your diocesan pro-life or respect life office.

1 L. Finer et al. in *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, Sept. 2005, pp. 110-118 at 115.

2 R. Jones and M. Kavanaugh, in *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, June 2011, pp. 1358-1366 at 1362.

3 R. Jones et al. in *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, Sept./Oct. 2002, pp. 226-35 at 231.

4 S. Henshaw and R. Jones, Guttmacher Institute, Sept. 20, 2007, at <http://paa2008.princeton.edu/papers/80673>.

5 “Poverty in the United States: A Snapshot,” National Center for Law and Economic Justice, at <http://www.nclj.org/povertyin-the-us.php> (accessed July 2014).

6 “Single Mother Statistics,” June 23, 2014, at <http://singlemotherguide.com/single-mother-statistics/>.

7 See H. Alvarez in *Villanova Law Review* (2013), pp. 379-436 at 408-11, http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2272821.

8 The deVeber Institute, *Women’s Health after Abortion: The Medical and Psychological Evidence*, Chapter 15, at <http://www.deveber.org/text/whealth.html#fifteen> (accessed July 2014).

9 R. Rector, Heritage Foundation Backgrounder #2465, Sept. 16, 2010, at http://www.heritage.org/research/reports/2010/09/marriage-americas-greatest-weapon-against-child-poverty#_ftn1

10 See Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel: Evangelii Gaudium* (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 2013).

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Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

17 y 18 de Enero del 2015

Calendario Litúrgico:



Misas en Español

Domingo 18 de Enero 1:30 p.m.
Domingo 25 de Enero 1:30 p.m.

Misas en Ingles

Sabados 4:00 p.m.
Domingos 8:30 a.m. y 11:00 a.m.

Confesiones

Antes d misa de español de 12:15 p.m. a 12:45 p.m.

Grupo "Corazón de María": Todas las mujeres están invitadas a participar cada viernes, de 11:00 a.m. a 2:00 p.m., en este grupo para Oración, Evangelización, clases de Inglés, labores del hogar y consejos prácticos para la vida.

El "Grupo de hombres" se reúne todos los viernes en Family Life 7:30 p.m. (en el edificio nuevo en frente de la Iglesia San José).



Invitación al coro "Guadalupe"

Están cordialmente invitados a practicar en el coro, todos los viernes a las 2:00 p.m. Si tiene preguntas llame a Carmen al tel: 330-432-0811 ó a la oficina al 330-364-6661.

Clase de Bautismo: La próxima clase será en el Centro Familiar San José al 330 364 6661 o a los Ministerios Hispanos al 330-432-0811.

Capilla de la Virgen de Guadalupe. Todos somos bienvenidos a venerar en la Capilla de la Virgen de Guadalupe. Podemos encender una vela que permanece prendida por tres días, con una donación de \$ 3.00. (2 velas por \$6.00, etc.). **Por favor usar sólo las velas de la Capilla.**

Notas Espirituales:

La lectura de hoy nos presentan los relatos de la llamada del profeta Samuel y los primeros discípulos de Jesús. La historia de Samuel llena el tiempo de los jueces con el establecimiento de la monarquía en Israel bíblico. El Libro de los Jueces narra un momento en que Israel cayó en el caos y el pecado. Como el verso final del libro nos dice: "En aquellos días no había rey en Israel; cada uno hacía lo que ellos mismos creían que estaba bien ." El autor del libro de Samuel nos dice que en los días de Samuel "la palabra del SEÑOR escaseaba y la visión poco frecuente." El joven Samuel comienza una larga línea de profetas que traerán la palabra de Dios a la gente, porque "el Señor estaba con él."

En el evangelio de hoy Jesús comienza a reunir discípulos. Sus dos primeros son originalmente seguidores de Juan el Bautista. Cuando Juan señala a Jesús les respondió: "He aquí el Cordero de Dios," y comienzan a seguir a Jesús. Uno de ellos es Andrés, quien procede a llevar a su hermano Simón a Jesús, diciéndole: "Hemos encontrado al Mesías." Al igual que Samuel, estos hombres son llamados por Dios para llevar a otros a encontrar la buena nueva de Dios.

Pablo escribe a los Corintios, en respuesta a una carta que le enviaron. Él ofrece asesoramiento en relación con los problemas de su comunidad. Él no puede estar con ellos, pero puede proporcionar una guía a través de su correspondencia. El consejo de hoy se refiere a la inmoralidad sexual. Pablo nos recuerda "los cuerpos son miembros de Cristo," y por eso debemos tratarlos con el respeto apropiado. Puesto que Cristo nos redimió, el Espíritu habita en nosotros. Así que Pablo nos llama a "glorificar a Dios en vuestro cuerpo."

Para reflexionar: ¿Cómo voy a describir mi propia historia? ¿Qué Dios me ha llamado a hacer?