We welcome newcomers to our church! If you would like to become a member of our parish family, please complete one of the blue registration forms, which you will find on the table near the front door of the church. You can bring the form to the office during business hours or put it into the collection basket.

Mass Intentions 1/23/22 For the People of the Parish 1/25/22 Georgia Carmichael 1/26/22 Larry Britain 1/27/22 Martha Waggoner Week of January 16 - 22, 2022 Income \$1,819.00 CCD \$103.00 First Offerings \$25.00 Expenses \$2,147.50 Birthday List Jessica Patterson 1/23

Paul Jorgensen 1/24

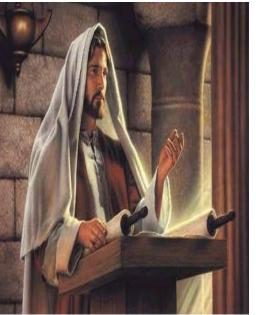
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January 23, 2022 The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Save the dates:

Our 96th Anniversary Mass and Lunch, Sunday, February 27 KCs' Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, March 1, 5:30-7:00 St Joseph Table Altar Celebration, March 20 after Mass

In the Gospel (Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21) we hear only the introductory part of the scene, in which Jesus likewise reads the Scripture in the synagogue of his home town and says words that seem blasphemous and are incomprehensible to his listeners: Today is fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah that "the Spirit of the Lord is upon me ..." so that I might "bring glad tiding to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives, sight to the blind and freedom to the oppressed." Then he applies these words to himself. In front of all those who knew him he steps forward out of the obscurity of his youth into an immense light, right into the role of the Messiah. His listeners' reception of this is related in next Sunday's Gospel: not with tears and rejoicing but with rage. Let us, however, take it to heart and marvel both at the courageous willingness of Jesus to stick to his mission and his humility in calling his work simple obedience to the Spirit of the Lord" that rests upon him. Together these characterize his attitude in a most profound way and indicate its uniqueness: his mission is the fulfillment of all the most sublime promises of God, but he carries it out as the true "Servant of God," in whose Spirit the Isaiah passage was spoken. - from Light of the Word, by Hans Urs von **Balthasar**





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