

## Second Sunday of Lent

### Entrance Antiphon

Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face.  
It is your face, O Lord, that I seek;  
hide not your face from me.

### The Liturgy of the Word

**First Reading:** Genesis 22:1-2,9-13,15-18

**Responsorial Psalm 115(116):10,15-19** I will walk in the presence of the Lord  
in the land of the living.

**Second Reading:** Romans 8:31-34

### Gospel Acclamation:

Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!  
From the bright cloud the Father's voice was heard:  
'This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.'  
Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!

**Gospel:** Mark 9:2-10

### The Creed

I believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
*At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin Mary', all bow.*  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy, catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen.

## **The Liturgy of the Eucharist**

### **The mystery of faith.**

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,  
until you come again.

### **Prayer of 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 at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen.