



**Friday, February 2, 2024**  
**Friday of the Fourth Week**  
**in Ordinary Time**



*Good morning!*

We celebrate the Presentation of the Lord. We read Malachi 3:1-4, Psalm 24, Hebrews 2:14-18, and Luke 2:22-40, Today is known as Candlemas Day in many parts of the world. It is a day to bless candles that can be used throughout the year. Jesus is presented in the Temple according to the law of the Lord. Simeon and Anna have their revelations fulfilled as they see in the baby Jesus the fulfillment of God's promise. Our readings portray the fragile and mighty power of God working in us. The fragile light of Jesus Christ that we carry can easily be snuffed out. God's grace and power carry us through many situations in life, when renewed by the light, we realize the Presence that is with us. Allow the light of Jesus to shine in you, your home, and in the world.

*Peace,*

*RevKev*

*"Who is the king of glory? It is the Lord."*

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