



Catholic Church

215 South 8th Street
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Tuesday, February 21, 2023
Tuesday of the Seventh
Week in Ordinary Time



Good morning!

We celebrate Saint Peter Damian. We read Sirach 2:1-11, Psalm 37, and Mark 9:30-37. "Compassionate and merciful is the Lord; he forgives sins, he saves in times of trouble and he is a protector to all who seek him in truth." As we seek the Lord in truth, we rely on God to lead us and provide us with wisdom. Following Jesus calls us to serve and love another. Jesus says, "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and servant of all." We are about to enter Lent, how will this define you during the next 40 days? Knowing what is ahead can paralyze us. Sirach states, "Study the generations long past and understand; has anyone hoped in the Lord and been disappointed?" Knowing what we know today may take the surprise and fun away as we await a pending snowstorm that may come or may not. May we be like the child Jesus places in the midst of his disciples, and enter into Lent with eyes wide open and expecting surprises and greater gifts.

Peace,

RevKev

"Commit your life to the Lord, and he will help you."

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