



Catholic Church

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**Wednesday, November 22, 2023**  
**Wednesday of the Thirty-Third**  
**Week in Ordinary Time**



*Good morning!*

We celebrate Saint Cecilia. We read 2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31, Psalm 17, and Luke 19:11-28. Again today we read about strong testaments of faith. A mother watches her seven sons be killed before experiencing her own death because they won't eat pork, which would defile the covenant with God. Her faith in the creator and a better place after death brings light to the resurrection in the Hebrew scriptures. A nobleman prepares for a journey, leaving gold coins with ten of his servants. Upon his return, he desires to see how they invested the coins. Three were interviewed, what happened to the other seven? What kind of return have you received from the talents you were given? How has your faith strengthened your beliefs and life? We can be thankful for many blessings these days and strive to share those blessings with others. May your heart be happy and calm in the days ahead.

*Peace,*

*RevKev*

*"Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full."*

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