



Catholic Church

215 South 8th Street
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**December 11, 2023
Monday of the
Second Week of Advent**



Good morning!

We celebrate Saint Damasus I. We read Isaiah 35:1-10, Psalm 85, and Luke 5:17-26. What is it you need from God today? What can Jesus give to you?

The wonder and glory of God is proclaimed in Isaiah. God can work marvelous deeds in our lives. Forgiveness and healing are Jesus' focus as friends lower a paralyzed man down through the roof to where Jesus was.

These are the kind of friends we need, who care for the spiritual and physical needs of others. Are we the same kind of instruments of God's love? Do we seek the human dignity in the other? We too need to be forgiven to bring others to forgiveness. This second week of Advent may see the totality of human life and extend our concerns to others, leaving them with a sense of hope, joy, peace, and love.

Peace,

RevKev

"Our God will come to save us."

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