

**JULY 31, IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA,  
PRIEST AND MONASTIC, 1556: MASS**

*The First Lesson. The Reader begins*

**A Reading from the**

**First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians**

Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God. Give no offense to Jews or to Greeks or to the church of God, just as I try to please all men in everything I do, not seeking my own advantage, but that of many, that they may be saved. Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ.

*The Reader concludes*    The Word of the Lord.

*Please turn the page to lead the appointed psalm.*

## **Psalm 34: 1–8**

*At Said Mass the Reader says*

Please join me in reading Psalm 34, verses 1 through 8, found in the red Prayer Book beginning on page 627.

*(The Reader repeats the above information as needed.)*

*At Sung Mass the Reader says*

Please join me in reading Psalm 34 as found in the service bulletin.

1. I will bless the LORD at all times; \*  
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
2. I will glory in the LORD; \*  
let the humble hear and rejoice.
3. Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD; \*  
let us exalt his Name together.
4. I sought the LORD, and he answered me \*  
and delivered me out of all my terror.
5. Look upon him and be radiant, \*  
and let not your faces be ashamed.

6. I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me \*  
and saved me from all my troubles.
  
7. The angel of the LORD encompasses those who  
fear him, \*  
and he will deliver them.
  
8. Taste and see that the LORD is good; \*  
happy are they who trust in him!

### **The Gospel Acclamation**

*The Reader leads the appointed acclamation.*

*Reader* Alleluia.

*People* Alleluia.

*Reader* Blessed are the pure in heart, \*  
for they shall see God.

*People* Alleluia.

*The Reader returns to his or her seat.*

*Please turn the page for the Gospel Lesson.*

## The Holy Gospel

*The Minister says*

The Lord be with you.

*People*

And also with you.

*Minister*

✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord  
Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People*

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus and the disciples were going along the road, a man said to him, “I will follow you wherever you go.” And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of man has nowhere to lay his head.” To another he said, “Follow me.” But he said, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.” But he said to him, “Leave the dead to bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” Another said, “I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.” Jesus said to him, “No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.”

*The Minister says*

The Gospel of the Lord.