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The First Lesson. The Reader begins

A Reading from the

First Letter of Paul to the Ephesians

Of this gospel I was made a minister according to the gift of God's grace which was given me by the working of his power. To me, though I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given, to preach to the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ, and to make all men see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; that through the church the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known to the principalities and powers in the heavenly places. This was according to the eternal purpose which he has realized in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have boldness and confidence of access through our faith in him.

The Reader concludes **The Word of the Lord.**

Please turn the page and lead the Psalm.

Psalm 119: 97–104

At Said Mass the Reader says

Please join me in reading Psalm 119, verses 97 through 104, found in the red Prayer Book beginning on page 771. *(The Reader repeats the above information as needed.)*

At Sung Mass the Reader says

Please join me in reading Psalm 119 as found in the service bulletin.

97. Oh, how I love your law! *
 all the day long it is in my mind.
98. Your commandment has made me wiser than
 my enemies, *
 and it is always with me.
99. I have more understanding than all my teachers, *
 for your decrees are my study.
100. I am wiser than the elders, *
 because I observe your commandments.
101. I restrain my feet from every evil way, *
 that I may keep your word.

102. I do not shrink from your judgments, *
because you yourself have taught me.

103. How sweet are your words to my taste! *
they are sweeter than honey to my mouth.

104. Through your commandments I gain
understanding; *
therefore I hate every lying way.

The Gospel Acclamation

The Reader leads the appointed acclamation.

Reader Alleluia.

People Alleluia.

Reader Jesus said to them, “Follow me *
and I will make you fishers of men and
women.”

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 John.

People

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God; all things were made through him, and without him was not anything made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came for testimony, to bear witness to the light, that all might believe through him. He was not the light, but came to bear witness to the light. The true light that enlightens every man was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world knew him not. He came to his own home, and his own people received him not. But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God; who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God. And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth; we have

beheld his glory, glory as of the only Son from the
Father.

The Minister says The Gospel of the Lord.