## Year 2, Proper 29, Tuesday: Mass

*The First Lesson. The Reader begins*

## A Reading from the Revelation to John

I looked, and lo, a white cloud, and seated on the cloud one like a son of man, with a golden crown on his head, and a sharp sickle in his hand. And another angel came out of the temple, calling with a loud voice to him who sat upon the cloud, “Put in your sickle, and reap, for the hour to reap has come, for the harvest of the earth is fully ripe.” So he who sat upon the cloud swung his sickle on the earth, and the earth was reaped. And another angel came out of the temple in heaven, and he too had a sharp sickle. Then another angel came out from the altar, the angel who has power over fire, and he called with a loud voice to him who had the sharp sickle, “Put in your sickle, and gather the clusters of the vine of the earth, for its grapes are ripe.” So the angel swung his sickle on the earth and gathered the vintage of the earth, and threw it into the great wine press of the wrath of God; and the wine press was trodden outside the city, and blood flowed from the wine press, as high as a horse’s bridle, for one thousand six hundred stadia.

*The Reader concludes* The Word of the Lord.

**Psalm 96:1-8**

*The Reader says*

Please join me in reading Psalm 96, verses 1 through 8, found in the red Prayer Book beginning on page 725.

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

1 Sing to the Lord a new song; \*

 sing to the Lord, all the whole earth.

2 Sing to the Lord and bless his Name; \*

 proclaim the good news of his salvation from

day to day.

3 Declare his glory among the nations \*

 and his wonders among all peoples.

4 For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; \*

 he is more to be feared than all gods.

5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but

idols; \*

 but it is the Lord who made the heavens.

6 Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his

presence!\*

 Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!

7 Ascribe to the Lord, you families of the peoples;\*

 ascribe to the Lord honor and power.

8 Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; \*

 bring offerings and come into his courts.

*The Reader says*

Please stand for the Gospel.

**Verse Before the Gospel**

*The Reader leads the appointed acclamation.*

*Reader* Alleluia.

*People* Alleluia.

*Reader*  Blessed is the kingdom of our father

David that is coming; \*

 blessed is he who comes in the name of

the Lord.

*People* Alleluia.

*The Reader returns to his or her seat.*

**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 some spoke of the temple, how it was adorned with noble stones and offerings, Jesus said, “As for these things which you see, the days will come when there shall not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down.” And they asked him, “Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign when this is about to take place?” And he said, “Take heed that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name, saying, ‘I am he!’ and, ‘The time is at hand!’ Do not go after them. And when you hear of wars and tumults, do not be terrified; for this must first take place, but the end will not be at once.”

*The Minister says*  The Gospel of the Lord.