

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectionary: 158

Reading I

Dn 12:1-3

In those days, I Daniel,

heard this word of the Lord:

"At that time there shall arise

Michael, the great prince,

guardian of your people;

it shall be a time unsurpassed in
distress

since nations began until that time.

At that time your people shall escape,

everyone who is found written in the
book.

"Many of those who sleep in the dust
of the earth shall awake;

some shall live forever,

others shall be an everlasting horror
and disgrace.

“But the wise shall shine brightly

like the splendor of the firmament,
and those who lead the many to justice

shall be like the stars forever.”

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11

R. (1) You are my inheritance, O Lord!

O LORD, my allotted portion and my
cup,

you it is who hold fast my lot.

I set the LORD ever before me;

with him at my right hand I shall not
be disturbed.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord!

Therefore my heart is glad and my soul
rejoices,

my body, too, abides in confidence;

because you will not abandon my soul
to the netherworld,

nor will you suffer your faithful one to
undergo corruption.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord!

You will show me the path to life,

fullness of joys in your presence,

the delights at your right hand
forever.

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord!

Reading II

Heb 10:11-14, 18

Brothers and sisters:

Every priest stands daily at his ministry,

offering frequently those same
sacrifices

that can never take away sins.

But this one offered one sacrifice for
sins,

and took his seat forever at the right
hand of God;

now he waits until his enemies are
made his footstool.

For by one offering

he has made perfect forever those who
are being consecrated.

Where there is forgiveness of these,
there is no longer offering for sin.

Alleluia

Lk 21:36

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Be vigilant at all times

and pray that you have the strength to
stand before the Son of Man.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Mk 13:24-32

Jesus said to his disciples:

"In those days after that tribulation
the sun will be darkened,
and the moon will not give its light,
and the stars will be falling from the
sky,
and the powers in the heavens will be
shaken.

"And then they will see 'the Son of Man
coming in the clouds'
with great power and glory,
and then he will send out the angels
and gather his elect from the four
winds,
from the end of the earth to the end of
the sky.

"Learn a lesson from the fig tree.
When its branch becomes tender and
sprouts leaves,
you know that summer is near.

In the same way, when you see these things happening,

know that he is near, at the gates.

Amen, I say to you,

this generation will not pass away

until all these things have taken place.

Heaven and earth will pass away,

but my words will not pass away.

"But of that day or hour, no one knows,

neither the angels in heaven, nor the

Son, but only the Father."