

LITURGY PLANNING GUIDE FOR OPENING THE DOORS OF MERCY FOR THE FIRST WEEK OF SCHOOL

Suggested Readings – Readings for the Liturgy of the Day as taken from the Ordo 2015-2016

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Thematic Readings
First Reading	Rm. 8:28-30	Col. 3:1-11	Col. 3:12-17	1 Tim 1:1-2, 12-14	1 Peter 1:3-5
Psalm	Ps. 135,6 (R. With delight I rejoice in the Lord.)	Ps. 145: 2-3, 10-11, 12-13a (R. The Lord is compassionate to all creatures.)	Ps. 150: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 (R. Let everything that breathes praise the Lord.)	Ps. 16: 1-2a +5, 7-8, 11 (R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.)	Ps. 25: 1-2, 4-5, 6-7 (R. Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord.)
Gospel	Mt. 1:1-6, 18-23	Lk. 4:38-44	Lk. 6:27-38	Lk. 6:39-42	Matt. 5:3-9

Suggested Music

All Are Welcome ~ Marty Haugen
 Bread for the World ~ Bernadette Farrell
 The Servant Song ~ Richard Gillard
 The Spirit Sends Us Forth ~ Azmon
 Here I Am, Lord ~ Dan Schutte
 God Has Chosen Me ~ Bernadette Farrell
 Take My Hands ~ Sebastien Temple
 You Are the Healing ~ Scott Soper
 This Alone ~ Tim Manion
 There Is A Longing ~ Anne Quigley
 With All The Saints ~ Bob Hurd
 Blessed Be The Lord ~ Dan Schutte
 We Are Called ~ David Haas
 Lead Me, Lord ~ John D. Becker
 We Belong To You ~ Trevor Thomson
 Remember Your Love ~ Darryl Ducote & Gary Daigle
 With the Lord ~ Michael Joncas
 Healing Waters ~ Trevor Thomson

Seek Ye First ~ Karen Lafferty
 You Are Mine ~ David Haas
 Eye Has Not Seen ~ Marty Haugen
 The Lord Is Kind and Merciful ~ Rick Modim
 Love One Another ~ Bob Dufford, SJ
 There's A Wideness in God's Mercy ~ In Babilone
 We Remember ~ Marty Haugen
 The Eyes and Hands of Christ ~ Tom Kendzia
 Litany of Peace ~ Barbara Bridge
 Lift Up Your Hearts ~ Roc O'Connor, SJ
 Sing of the Lord's Goodness ~ Ernest Sands
 Whatsoever You Do ~ Willard F. Jabusch
 Blest Are They ~ David Haas
 Beatitudes ~ Darryl Ducote
 River of Glory ~ Dan Schutte
 Loving and Forgiving ~ Scott Soper
 Bring Forth the Kingdom ~ Marty Haugen



Prayer of the Faithful

Our response to each prayer is: *Lord, hear our prayer*

As we begin this new school year of learning, be with us God, we pray. **R**

As we begin this new year, help us to be full of mercy, we pray. **R**

As we begin this new year, help us welcome those new to our school, we pray. **R**

As we begin this new year, help us to be loving and forgiving with our family and classmates, we pray. **R**

As we begin this new year, help us to be faithful to living the Gospel message, we pray. **R.**

As we begin this new year, may our relationship with You, God, give us reasons to rejoice, we pray. **R**

