

SECOND READING

Special:

2 Corinthians 12:9-10

READER: A reading from the Second Letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians

He said to me, “My grace is enough for you, for in weakness, power reaches perfection.” And so I willingly boast of my weaknesses instead, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

Therefore I am content with weakness, with mistreatment, with distress, with persecutions and difficulties for the sake of Christ; for when I am powerless, it is then that I am strong.

READER: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.