The Second Sunday after the Epiphany January 16, 2022

Readings

Isaiah 62:1-5

¹For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,

and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,

until her vindication shines out like the dawn,

and her salvation like a burning torch.

²The nations shall see your vindication,

and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name

that the mouth of the LORD will give.

³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD,

and a royal diadem in the hand

of your God.

⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken,

and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;

but you shall be called My

Delight Is in Her,

and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.

⁵For as a young man marries a young woman,

so shall your builder marry you,

and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,

so shall your God rejoice over you.

John 2:1-11

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ¹Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ³He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. ⁵When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹oand said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.