

Lectio Divina

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| ➤ Read and re-read , out loud and slowly
the Gospel | ➤ Pray - Thanksgiving - Repentance -
Petition |
| ➤ Meditate on reading as being spoken to
you, an experience in your life | ➤ Action - Attitude (Call to change / to
act / to do) |
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November 9th 2014 Sunday Feast of Dedication of Lateran Basilica - Year A - John 2:13 - 22

In this week's gospel we remember the dedication of the Basilica of St. John Lateran the oldest church in Rome and considered the Mother of all churches. We celebrate the church as a place of encounter with God but also realise that God is not confined to buildings. As people of God we are his temple in which the Spirit of God dwells.

Have there been times in your life when you have been helped by a cleansing of your own reasons for doing something?

Prayer:

Thank you Lord for the times with your help we were able to see reason for what happened in our lives which we did not understand at the time it took place. Forgive us for the times that we as the Body of Christ did not bring life and hope to people who were in need. We injured the body by our often thoughtless acts and words.

Help us Lord to remember that we are your messengers in our world and we are called to bring your hope and love to all with the help of your presence within us.

