

My Sunday Mass Page

Sunday, 6 December 2026 • Mark 1:1-8

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1 Today's Gospel

John Gets Everyone Ready

Long ago, the prophet Isaiah promised that God would send a **messenger** to call out in the wilderness: **"Prepare a way for the Lord, make His paths straight!"**

That messenger was **John the Baptist!** He wore camel's hair and ate locusts and wild honey. Crowds came to him, told God they were **sorry** for their sins, and John baptised them in the River Jordan. John said, **"Someone greater than I am is coming after me. I baptise you with water, but He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit."**

That Someone is Jesus! In **Advent** we get our hearts ready for Him too — by saying sorry, forgiving others and making room for Jesus.



Big idea: Advent is a time to **get our hearts ready** for Jesus — like clearing a path so He can **come right in!**



Listen at Mass: In the Psalm we sing "Let us see, O Lord, your mercy, and give us your saving help." And in the first reading, Isaiah says God will care for us like a shepherd carrying the lambs in His arms.

2 One Little Question



What helps **YOUR** heart get ready for Jesus this Advent? Circle the good ones!

Write one more idea on the line.

saying sorry

grabbing toys

praying

sharing

grumbling

3 My Prayer



Something I want to say sorry for, or ask Jesus to help me with:

Dear Jesus,

4 Draw It!



Draw John the Baptist by the River Jordan, getting people ready for Jesus.

Ideas: his camel-hair clothes • wild honey • the river • people coming to be baptised • a straight path for Jesus



"Prepare a way for the Lord, make His paths straight." **Mark 1:3**