

Wednesday of the First Week in Ordinary Time

Gospel text (Mk 1:29-39): On leaving the synagogue he entered the house of Simon and Andrew with James and John. Simon's mother-in-law lay sick with a fever. They immediately told him about her. He approached, grasped her hand, and helped her up.



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Today Jesus goes out to preach, already in the company of his first Apostles. He has not come to preach a theory and weird doctrines; the Son of God has come to save us all with deeds. That is why he cures all the sick that are brought to Him.

- Besides, “at the break of dawn, when it was still dark, He got up, and set off to a lonely place to pray”. Prayer, here is the remedy!