



# DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

## Office of Worship

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# Memo

TO: Priests, Deacons, and Liturgy Coordinators

FROM: Dcn. Greg McAvoy-Jensen

DATE: May 4, 2026

RE: Parish Readings and Prayers for Monday, June 28, 2026: Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral

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On Monday June 28, 2026 (and the anticipatory Mass the night before) both the prayers and readings for the Mass come from the Common of the Dedication of a Church on the Anniversary of the Dedication, in commemoration of the anniversary of the dedication of the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament (in accordance with Diocesan Statutes 123(2)(a)). Option II has the prayers for non-Cathedral parishes. See page 166 of the Ordo. For the readings, each parish is free to select from the options provided for the Common of the Dedication of a Church, found in the *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*.

For Liturgy of the Hours, the Common of the Dedication of a Church is used, including for Evening Prayer I the night before.

This means that on June 28, 2026 the evening Mass and Evening Prayer II of the Liturgy of the Hours are observed as the Solemnity of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral rather than anticipating the Solemnity of the Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles.