

but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.  
You are the light of the world.  
A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.  
Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a  
bushel basket;  
it is set on a lampstand,  
where it gives light to all in the house.  
Just so, your light must shine before others,  
that they may see your good deeds  
and glorify your heavenly Father.”

The Gospel of the Lord.



**Sunday, February 15**  
**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Year A**

**FIRST READING**

*A reading from the Book of Sirach 15:15-20*

If you choose you can keep the commandments, they  
will save you;  
if you trust in God, you too shall live;  
he has set before you fire and water  
to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand.  
Before man are life and death, good and evil,  
whichever he chooses shall be given him.  
Immense is the wisdom of the Lord;  
he is mighty in power, and all-seeing.

The eyes of God are on those who fear him;  
he understands man's every deed.  
No one does he command to act unjustly,  
to none does he give license to sin.

The word of the Lord.

## **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

*Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord!*

## **SECOND READING**

*A reading from the first Letter of Saint Paul to the  
Corinthians 2:6-10*

Brothers and sisters:

We speak a wisdom to those who are mature,  
not a wisdom of this age,  
nor of the rulers of this age who are passing away.  
Rather, we speak God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden,  
which God predetermined before the ages for  
our glory,  
and which none of the rulers of this age knew;  
for, if they had known it,  
they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.

But as it is written:

*What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard,  
and what has not entered the human heart,  
what God has prepared for those who love him,  
this God has revealed to us through the Spirit.*