

REFLECTION

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A, July 5, 2026

Scripture: *Zechariah 9.9-10*

This passage discusses a prophecy that encourages us to rejoice because our king is coming, not in military power, but in humility. This prophecy is fulfilled through Jesus Christ.

The world often admires power, wealth, and influence. However, Jesus teaches us that true greatness lies in humility, service, and compassion. He draws near to the poor, the broken-hearted, and those who seek peace. If we allow Christ to reign in our hearts, we become instruments of His peace within our families, communities, and the world. Therefore, we must ask ourselves: “Do we welcome Jesus as the king of our lives? Are we willing to follow His path of humility instead of the world’s pursuit of power?”

Let us joyfully welcome our humble king and emulate his gentleness, trusting that his kingdom of justice, peace, and love is the only one that truly endures.

