



Read the Gospel and Color



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Today, we celebrate the **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**. We read from the beginning of St. Luke's gospel and continue with a later portion as we study our passage from **Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21**.

St. Luke greatly desired to offer a history of Jesus' life, to share the good news that Jesus was indeed **God**. He began his gospel with an explanation of why he was writing down Jesus' stories and sharing them. In the second portion of Luke's

gospel for this week, Jesus went before the people in the synagogue (a Jewish church) in His hometown of Nazareth. He read to the people from the writings of the prophet Isaiah, who had written to tell the people that a Messiah would come one day. Jesus told the people listening to him, **"Today, this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."**

God sent Jesus, His son, to save each of us and to prepare us for a life in heaven with Him.

For More Fun:

- ✓ Read **Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21** in your family bible. Take some time this week to write down some of your favorite family stories. Which memories would you want to pass along to future members of your family?
- ✓ Learn more about the saints whose lives we celebrate this month at www.CatholicSaints.info.
- ✓ Check out the new **"Chime Travelers"** Catholic fiction series for kids at <http://bit.ly/chimettravelers> & learn about the lives of the Saints!
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**"Your words, Lord,
are spirit and life."**