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Sunday, February 9, 2025 @ 10:00 a.m.

Homily: Dakota Koenig

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Scriptures Reading: Susan Delaney

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Scriptures: [Luke 15:1-7](#) and [John 10:11-16](#)

### [Luke 15:1-7](#)

<sup>1</sup> Now all the tax-collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to him.

<sup>2</sup> And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, 'This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.'

<sup>3</sup> So he told them this parable:

<sup>4</sup> 'Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it?

<sup>5</sup> When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices.

<sup>6</sup> And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, "Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost."

<sup>7</sup> Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than ver ninety-nine righteous people who need no repentance. [\(top\)](#)



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### [John 10:11-16](#)

<sup>11</sup> 'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

<sup>12</sup> The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them.

<sup>13</sup> The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep.

<sup>14</sup> I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me,

<sup>15</sup> just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep.

<sup>16</sup> I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. [\(top\)](#)