

Wednesday, June 9, 2021

Wednesday of the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

*Saint Ephrem, Deacon, Doctor of the Church*

Jesus fulfills the law and the prophets and He is the greatest in the Kingdom of heaven. He has come to give us the Spirit to enable us to obey and teach the commandments. As St. Paul says to the Corinthians today: “our qualification comes from God, who has indeed qualified us as ministers of a new covenant, not of letter but of spirit; for the letter brings death, but the Spirit gives life.” St. Ephrem was filled with the Spirit, thus receiving the nickname “Harp of the Spirit” because of the beautiful hymns he composed, many of them still being sung in the Syriac liturgy.

St. Ephrem, pray for us!

God Love You!

*Fr. Jim Starasovich*

