

# DIVINE SERVICE

for the Fifth Sunday in Lent, Judica (Vindicate)

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## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

HYMN OF INVOCATION: THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE

*LSB 798*

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

### INTROIT

*Psalm 43:3–5; antiphon: vv. 1–2a*

**L** Vindicate me, | O God,\*

and defend my cause against an ungodly | people,

from the deceitful and unjust man de- | liver me!\*

For you are the God in whom I take | refuge.

**C** Send out your light and your truth; let them | lead me;\*

let them bring me to your holy hill and to your | dwelling!

Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my ex- | ceeding joy,\*

and I will praise you with the lyre, O | God, my God.

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil with- | in me?\*

Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation | and my God.

*The Gloria Patri is not sung during Passiontide.*

**L** Vindicate me, | O God,\*

and defend my cause against an ungodly | people,

from the deceitful and unjust man de- | liver me!\*

For you are the God in whom I take | refuge.

*The Hymn of Praise is not sung during Lent*

### COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, by Your great goodness mercifully look upon Your people that we may be governed and preserved evermore in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

*Genesis 22:1–14*

## GRADUAL

*Psalm 143:9a, 10a; 18:48a, c*

**C** Deliver me from my enemies, | O LORD!\*  
Teach me to do your will, for you | are my God!  
[You] delivered me from my | enemies;\*  
you rescued me from the man of | violence.

## EPISTLE

*Hebrews 9:11–15*

*During Lent, the Alleluia and Verse is replaced by a Tract.*

## TRACT

*Psalm 129:1–4*

**C** “Greatly have they afflicted me | from my youth”—\*  
let Israel | now say—  
“Greatly have they afflicted me | from my youth,\*  
yet they have not prevailed a- | gainst me.  
The plowers plowed up- | on my back;\*  
they made long their | furrows.”  
The LORD is | righteous;\*  
he has cut the cords of the | wicked.

## HOLY GOSPEL

*John 8:42–59*

## HYMN OF THE DAY: MY SONG IS LOVE UNKNOWN

*LSB 430*

# SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

## LEFT COLUMN

*LSB 162*

**DISTRIBUTION HYMN: WHAT WONDROUS LOVE IS THIS**  
**DISTRIBUTION HYMN: NOT ALL THE BLOOD OF BEASTS**

*LSB 543*

*LSB 431*

*The Gloria Patri is not sung during Passiontide.*

**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE: NUNC DIMITTIS**

**HYMN: WE SING THE PRAISE OF HIM WHO DIED**

*LSB 429*

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