

DIVINE SERVICE

for Septuagesima (about 70 days to Easter)



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CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

HYMN: COME, LET US JOIN OUR CHEERFUL SONGS

LSB 812

SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT

Psalm 18:1–2a, 27, 32, 49; antiphon: vv. 5–6a

L The cords of Sheol en- | tangled me,*
the snares of death con- | fronted me.
In my distress I called up- | on the LORD.*
From his temple he | heard my voice.

C I love you, O | LORD, my strength.*
The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my de- | liverer.
For you save a humble | people,*
but the haughty eyes | you bring down.
[You have] equipped | me with strength*
and made my way | blameless.
For this I will praise you, O LORD, among the | nations,*
and sing | to your name.

GLORIA PATRI

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the snares of death con- | fronted me.
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From his temple he | heard my voice.

The Gloria in Excelsis is not sung until Easter.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; 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

Exodus 17:1–7

PSALM

Psalms 95:1–9

The psalms are found toward the front of Lutheran Service Book.

We will sing the psalm responsively between leader and congregation.

EPISTLE

1 Corinthians 9:24–10:5

TRACT

Psalms 130:1–4

Alleluias are not sung until Easter. The Tract replaces the Alleluia and Verse

Out | of the depths*

I cry to you, | O LORD!

O Lord, | hear my voice!*

Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for | mercy!

If you, O LORD, should mark in- | iquities,*

O Lord, | who could stand?

But with you there is for- | givenness,*

that you | may be feared.

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 20:1–16

HYMN OF THE DAY: SALVATION UNTO US HAS COME

LSB 555 sts. 1–5

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: SALVATION UNTO US HAS COME *LSB 555 sts. 6–10*

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL *LSB 791*

CLOSING HYMN: RISE! TO ARMS! WITH PRAYER EMPLOY YOU *LSB 668*

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