

THE GREEN SHEET

All Saints' Day

November 5, 2023

Introit

Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; antiphon: Revelation 7:14b

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They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

In you, O Lord, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame;
in your righteousness deliver me.

For you are my rock and my fortress;

and for your name's sake you lead me and guide me.

Into your hand I commit my spirit;

you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

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is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Gradual

Revelation 7:14b, Psalm 84:5

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Blessèd are those whose strength is in you,

in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

Learn by Heart:

Hebrews 12:1a, 2a

Alleluia. Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us [look] to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith. Alleluia.

Readings for Next Sunday: Amos 5:18-24; Psalm 70; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13

Congregation at Prayer and Devotions for the Week

INVOCATION

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MEDITATION: Psalm 149. The 149th psalm is a psalm of thanks for the blessing that God is gracious and merciful to His people, that they know they have a gracious God, and that they rightly should rejoice. They have this blessing or grace—which is rightly called the forgiveness of sins—that God will not avenge how evil and sinful they are. Prayer: Praise, honor, and thanksgiving to you, O Christ, King of glory, because by suffering and death and the shedding of your blood You redeemed us from the kingdom of darkness, and made us partakers of Your victory over Satan, sin, and death. Grant us a cheerful faith to sing of Your grace with heart and soul and to make known Your salvation among men. Amen. (*Excerpt from [Reading the Psalms with Luther](#)*)

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

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W 11/8: Jeremiah 20:1-18; Matthew 24:29-51

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F 11/10: Jeremiah 23:1-20; Matthew 25:14-30

SA 11/11: Jeremiah 23:21-40; Matthew 25:31-46

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- Pray for all who are suffering
 - that those wandering from the Body of Christ would return to receive His gifts of grace and mercy
 - Pray that we are all hungry for the Word of God.
 - Pray for our congregation: that we would continue to worship and fellowship with one another

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