

PROPER 13A PSALM 105:39–43;

ANTIPHON: V. 1

P Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

C He spread a cloud for a covering, and fire to give light by night.

P They asked, and he brought quail, and gave them bread from heaven in abundance.

C He opened the rock, and water gushed out; it flowed through the desert like a river.

P For he remembered his holy promise, and Abraham, his servant.

C So he brought his people out with joy, his chosen ones with singing.

C Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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CATECHISM

The Close of the Commandments

What does God say about all these commandments?

He says: "I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate Me, but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love Me and keep My commandments." (Exodus 20:5–6)

What does this mean?

God threatens to punish all who break these commandments. Therefore, we should fear His wrath and not do anything against them. But He promises grace and every blessing to all who keep these commandments. Therefore, we should also love and trust in Him and gladly do what He commands.

LEARN BY HEART*Psalms 119:9*

How can a young man keep his way pure? By guarding it according to your word.

COLLECT

Heavenly Father, though we do not deserve Your goodness, still you provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your gifts, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Job 38:4–18; Rom 10:5–17; Matt 14:22–33

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: *Portals of Prayer* and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU:	8/2	1 Samuel 17:20–47	Acts 26:24–27:8
M:	8/3	1 Samuel 17:48–18:9	Acts 27:9–26
T:	8/4	1 Samuel 18:10–30	Acts 27:27–44
W:	8/5	1 Samuel 19:1–24	Acts 28:1–15
TH:	8/6	1 Samuel 20:1–23	Acts 28:16–31
F:	8/7	1 Samuel 20:24–42 (1 Samuel 21:1–23:29)	1 Corinthians 1:1–25
SA:	8/8	1 Samuel 24:1–22	1 Corinthians 1:26–2:16

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #645 Built on the Rock

APOSTLES' CREED**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:**

- For faith to live in the promises of Holy Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the unemployed
- John & Lisa, Bryton, Aadon, Aubrianna, Aleeah, Alyssa, Faith

COLLECT (front page); **LORD'S PRAYER**

BENEDICTION

P The Lord Almighty bless us and direct our days and our deeds in His peace.

C Amen