

**Epiphany 2B Psalm 40:1–5; antiphon: vv. 10a, b**

**P** I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart; I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;

**C** I waited patiently for the Lord; he inclined to me and heard my cry.

**P** He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.

**C** He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

**P** Blessed is the man who makes the Lord his trust, who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!

**C** You have multiplied, O Lord my God, your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us; none can compare with you! I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can be told.

**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.

**P** I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart; I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation.

**CATECHISM**

What sins should we confess?

Before God we should plead guilty of all sins, even those we are not aware of, as we do in the Lord's Prayer; but before the pastor we should confess only those sins which we know and feel in our hearts.

*Which are these?*

Consider your place in life according to the Ten Commandments: Are you a father, mother, son, daughter, husband, wife, or worker? Have you been disobedient, unfaithful, or lazy? Have you been hot-tempered, rude, or quarrelsome? Have you hurt someone by your words or deeds? Have you stolen, been negligent, wasted anything, or done any harm?

**LEARN BY HEART**

2 Corinthians 1:20

For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.

**COLLECT**

Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; 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:** Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Cor 7:29-31 (32-35); Mk 1:14-20

**INVOCATION**

**INTROIT** (front page)

**MEDITATION:** *Portals of Prayer* and Catechism

**LEARN BY HEART:** Bible Verse (front page)

**DAILY READINGS:**

SU:	1/17	Ezekiel 39:1–10, 17–29	Romans 7:21—8:17
M:	1/18	Ezekiel 40:1–4; 43:1–12 (Ezekiel 40:5—42:20; 43:13–27)	Romans 8:18–39
T:	1/19	Ezekiel 44:1–16, 23–29	Romans 9:1–18
W:	1/20	Ezekiel 47:1–14, 21–23	Romans 9:19–33
TH:	1/21	Joel 1:1–20	Romans 10:1–21
F:	1/22	Joel 2:1–17	Romans 11:1–24
SA:	1/23	Joel 2:18–32	Romans 11:25—12:13

**HYMN OF THE MONTH:** LSB #397 As with Gladness Men of Old

**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
- Todd & Deb, Sam; Pati; Sonja; Wayne & Sandi

**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