

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.

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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