

Lent 2C Psalm 74:1–3; antiphon: Psalm 69:9

P For zeal for your house has consumed me, and the reproaches of those who reproach you have fallen on me.

C O God, why do you cast us off forever? Why does your anger smoke against the sheep of your pasture?

P Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old, which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage! Remember Mount Zion, where you have dwelt.

C Direct your steps to the perpetual ruins; the enemy has destroyed everything in the sanctuary!

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 Second Article

Redemption

And in Jesus Christ, ... to judge the living and the dead.

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

LEARN BY HEART*Titus 2:14*

who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

COLLECT

O God You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; 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: Ezk 33:7-20; 1 Cor 10:1-13; Luke 13:1-9

INVOCATION**INTROIT** (front page)**MEDITATION:** *Portals of Prayer* and Catechism**LEARN BY HEART:** Bible Verse (front page)**DAILY READINGS:**

SU:	3/13	Genesis 16:1–9, 15—17:22	Mark 6:1–13
M:	3/14	Genesis 18:1–15 (Genesis 18:16—20:18)	Mark 6:14–34
T:	3/15	Genesis 21:1–21	Mark 6:35–56
W:	3/16	Genesis 22:1–19	Mark 7:1–23
TH:	3/17	Genesis 24:1–31	Mark 7:24–37
F:	3/18	Genesis 24:32–52, 61–67 (Genesis 25:1—26:35)	Mark 8:1–21
SA:	3/19	Genesis 27:1–29	Mark 8:22–38

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #418 O Lord, throughout These Forty Days**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
- **Birthdays this upcoming week:** Faith; Pauline; Tasha
- **Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week:** Ron; Jeremiah; Curt; Eva

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

P Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.

C Amen