# Proper 14A Psalm 34:4-8; antiphon: v. 1

P I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

**I** sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.

This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.

**P** The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.

• Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessèd is the man who takes refuge in him!

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 Eighth Commandment

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

What does this mean?

We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest way.

LEARN BY HEART Psalm 104:3

He lays the beams of his chambers on the waters; he makes the clouds his chariot; he rides on the wings of the wind;

## **COLLECT**

Almighty and most merciful God preserve us from all harm and danger that we, being ready in both body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish what You want done; 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:** Is 56:1, 6–8; Rom 11:1–2a, 13–15, 28–32; Matt 15:21–28

#### INVOCATION

**INTROIT** (front page)

**MEDITATION:** Portals of Prayer and Catechism

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

### **DAILY READINGS:**

SU:	8/13	1 Samuel 31:1–13	1 Corinthians 7:1–24
M:	8/14	2 Samuel 1:1–27	1 Corinthians 7:25–40
T:	8/15	2 Samuel 5:1–25	1 Corinthians 8:1–13
W:	8/16	2 Samuel 6:1–19	1 Corinthians 9:1–23
TH:	8/17	2 Samuel 7:1–17	1 Corinthians 9:24—10:22
F:	8/18	2 Samuel 7:18–29	1 Corinthians 10:23—11:16
SA:	8/19	2 Samuel 11:1–27	1 Corinthians 11:17–34

**HYMN OF THE MONTH:** LSB #941 We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God

#### **APOSTLES' CREED**

#### IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- For deliverance against temptation and evil; for the addicted and despairing, the tortured and oppressed; for those struggling with sin
- Birthdays this upcoming week: Mike Pickard
- Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week: David; Bradley; Daniel, Ryan, Caleb

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

### **BENEDICTION**

**P** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with us all.

# **C** Amen