THE GREEN SHEET

FEBRUARY 25, 2024

Lent 2B Psalm 115:11–13, 18; antiphon: Psalm 25:6

P Remember your mercy, O Lord, and your steadfast love, for they have been from of old.

C You who fear the Lord, trust in the Lord! He is their help and their shield.

The Lord has remembered us; he will bless us; he will bless the house of Israel; he will bless the house of Aaron;

C he will bless those who fear the Lord, both the small and the great.

P We will bless the Lord from this time forth and forevermore. Praise the Lord!

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

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

What do you believe according to these words (of forgiveness)?

I believe that when the called ministers of Christ deal with us by His divine command, in particular when they exclude openly unrepentant sinners from the Christian congregation and absolve those who repent of their sins and want to do better, this is just as valid and certain, even in heaven, as if Christ our dear Lord dealt with us Himself.

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: Ex 20:1-17; 1 Cor 1:18-31; Jn 2:13-22 (23-25)

CONGREGATION AT PRAYER

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: Portals of Prayer and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU:	2/25	Genesis 16:1–9, 15—17:22	Mark 6:1–13
M:	2/26	Genesis 18:1–15 (Genesis 18:16—20:18)	Mark 6:14–34
T:	2/27	Genesis 21:1–21	Mark 6:35–56
W:	2/28	Genesis 22:1–19	Mark 7:1–23
TH:	2/29	Genesis 24:1–31	Mark 7:24–37
F:	3/1	Genesis 24:32–52, 61–67 (Genesis 25:1—26:35)	Mark 8:1–21
SA:	3/2	Genesis 27:1–29	Mark 8:22–38

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #418 O Lord, throughout These Forty Days

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IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed Sacrament of Christ's body and blood
- Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week: Randy

COLLECT (front page); LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

P Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever.

C Amen