

Proper 19B Psalm 31:14–16; antiphon: v. 24

P Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the Lord!

C But I trust in you, O Lord; I say, “You are my God.”

P My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies and from my persecutors!

C Make your face shine on your servant; save me in your steadfast love!

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 Fifth Petition

And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

What does this mean?

We pray in this petition that our Father in heaven would not look at our sins, or deny our prayer because of them. We are neither worthy of the things for which we pray, nor have we deserved them, but we ask that He would give them all to us by grace, for we daily sin much and surely deserve nothing but punishment. So we too will sincerely forgive and gladly do good to those who sin against us.

LEARN BY HEART

Isaiah 42:8

I am the Lord; that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to carved idols.

COLLECT

Lord Jesus Christ, our support and defense in every need, continue to preserve Your Church in safety, govern her by Your goodness, and bless her with Your peace; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Jer 11:18-20; Jas 3:13—4:10; Mk 9:30-37

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: *Portals of Prayer* and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU: 9/15 2 Chronicles 34:1–4, 8–11, 14–33 Colossians 2:8–23
(Nahum 1:1—3:19)

M: 9/16 2 Chronicles 35:1–7, 16–25 Colossians 3:1–25
(Zephaniah 1:1—3:20)

T: 9/17 2 Chronicles 36:1–23 Colossians 4:1–18

W: 9/18 Nehemiah 1:1—2:10 (Haggai 1:1—2:23) 1 Timothy 1:1–20

TH: 9/19 Nehemiah 2:11—20; 4:1–6 1 Timothy 2:1–15

F: 9/20 Nehemiah 4:7–23 1 Timothy 3:1–16

SA: 9/21 Nehemiah 5:1–16; 6:1–9, 15–16 1 Timothy 4:1–16

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #582 God’s Word Is Our Great Heritage

APOSTLES’ CREED**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:**

- For the joy of the resurrection among us; for the fruit of faith nourished by the Word and the Sacraments
- **Birthdays this upcoming week:** Alyssa, Heather, Ding, Brad, Boden, Clara, Terry
- **Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week:** none

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

BENEDICTION

P The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us.

C AMEN