Jeremiah 15:19-21

¹⁹Therefore thus says the LORD: "If you return, then I will bring you back; You shall stand before Me; If you take out the precious from the vile, you shall be as My mouth. Let them return to you, but you must not return to them. ²⁰ And I will make you to this people a fortified bronze wall; And they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail against you; For I am with you to save you and deliver you," says the LORD. 21 "I will deliver you from the hand of the wicked, and I will redeem you from the grip of the terrible."

Romans 8:12-17

¹² Therefore, brethren, we are debtors—not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, "Abba, Father." ¹⁶ The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, that we may also be glorified together.

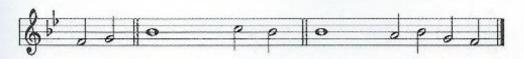
St. Matthew 7:15-23

¹⁵ "Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves. ¹⁶ You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thornbushes or figs from thistles? 17 Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. ¹⁸ A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. 19 Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. ²⁰ Therefore by their fruits you will know them. ²¹ Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven. ²² Many will say to Me in that day, 'Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?' 23 And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!""

Communion Psalm: Ant.

Bow down You ear unto me: and hasten to deliver me. (Psalm 31:2). **Psalm 31.**

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY. (GREEN) PSALM 119, 8TH PART/126



Introit.

Ant. WE HAVE | thought of Thy lovingkindness, O | God | -: in the midst | of | Thy | Tem- | ple.

|| According to Thy Name, O God, so is Thy praise unto the ends of the | earth | -: Thy right hand is full | of | right - | eous - | ness.

Psalm. || Great is the LORD, and greatly to be | prais- | ed:

in the city of our God, in the mountain of | His | ho- | li- | ness.

GLO-RY || be to the Father and to the | Son | -: and to | the | Ho- | ly | Ghost.

AS IT | was in the beginning, is now, and ever | shall | be: world with- | out | end. | A- | men. (Ant. Repeated.)

Collect.

Grant to us, Lord, we beseech Thee, the Spirit to think and do always such things as are right; that we, who cannot do anything that is good without Thee, may by Thee be enabled to live according to Thy will; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.

Epistle. Romans 8:12-17 Gospel. Matthew 7:15-23 Additional reading: Jeremiah 15:19-21

Gradual.

|| Be Thou my strong | rock | -:
for an house of de- | fense | to | save | me.

|| In Thee, O Lord, do I put | my | trust:

let me never | be | a- | sham- | ed.

| Hallelujah. The LORD knoweth the way of the | right - | eous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish. | Hal - | le - | lu - | jah.

8th Sunday after Trinity 46. The Will of God Is Always Best



