

**Jeremiah 16:14-21**

<sup>14</sup>“Therefore behold, the days are coming,” says the LORD, “that it shall no more be said, ‘The LORD lives who brought up the children of Israel from the land of Egypt,’ <sup>15</sup>but, ‘The LORD lives who brought up the children of Israel from the land of the north and from all the lands where He had driven them.’ For I will bring them back into their land which I gave to their fathers. <sup>16</sup>Behold, I will send for many fishermen,” says the LORD, “and they shall fish them; and afterward I will send for many hunters, and they shall hunt them from every mountain and every hill, and out of the holes of the rocks. <sup>17</sup>For My eyes are on all their ways; they are not hidden from My face, nor is their iniquity hidden from My eyes. <sup>18</sup>And first I will repay double for their iniquity and their sin, because they have defiled My land; they have filled My inheritance with the carcasses of their detestable and abominable idols.” <sup>19</sup>O LORD, my strength and my fortress, my refuge in the day of affliction, the Gentiles shall come to You from the ends of the earth and say, “Surely our fathers have inherited lies, worthlessness and unprofitable things.” <sup>20</sup>Will a man make gods for himself, which are not gods? <sup>21</sup>“Therefore behold, I will this once cause them to know, I will cause them to know My hand and My might; And they shall know that My name is the LORD.

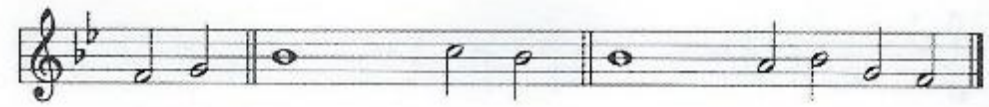
**1 Peter 3:8-15a**

<sup>8</sup>Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, be tenderhearted, be courteous; <sup>9</sup>not returning evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary blessing, knowing that you were called to this, that you may inherit a blessing. <sup>10</sup>For He who would love life and see good days, let him refrain his tongue from evil, and his lips from speaking deceit. <sup>11</sup>Let him turn away from evil and do good; Let him seek peace and pursue it. <sup>12</sup>For the eyes of the LORD are on the righteous, and His ears are open

to their prayers; But the face of the LORD is against those who do evil. <sup>13</sup>And who is he who will harm you if you become followers of what is good? <sup>14</sup>But even if you should suffer for righteousness’ sake, you are blessed. And do not be afraid of their threats, nor be troubled. <sup>15</sup>But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts.

**St. Luke 5:1-11**

<sup>1</sup>So it was, as the multitude pressed about Him to hear the word of God, that He stood by the Lake of Gennesaret, <sup>2</sup>and saw two boats standing by the lake; but the fishermen had gone from them and were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup>Then He got into one of the boats, which was Simon’s, and asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught the multitudes from the boat. <sup>4</sup>When He had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, “Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch.” <sup>5</sup>But Simon answered and said to Him, “Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net.” <sup>6</sup>And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking. <sup>7</sup>So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. <sup>8</sup>When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord!” <sup>9</sup>For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish which they had taken; <sup>10</sup>and so also were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid. From now on you will catch men.” <sup>11</sup>So when they had brought their boats to land, they forsook all and followed Him.

**Introit.**

HEAR, O || Lord, when I cry with my | voice | - :

Thou | hast | been | my | help.

|| Leave me not, neither for- | sake | me:

O God of | my | sal- | va- | tion.

*Psalm.* || The Lord is my Light and my sal- | va- | tion:

— | whom | shall | I | fear?

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.**

O God, Who hast prepared for them that love Thee such good things as pass man’s understanding: Pour into our hearts such love toward Thee, that we, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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.** 1 Peter 3:8–15

**Gospel.** Luke 5:1–11

**Additional reading:** Jeremiah 16:14–21

**Gradual.**

|| Behold, O God, our | Shield | - :

and look up- | on | Thy | ser- | vants.

|| O LORD God | of | Hosts:

— | hear | our | prayer.

|| Hallelujah. Hallelujah. In Thee, O LORD, do I put my trust; let me never be | a- | shamed:

deliver me in Thy righteousness. | Hal- | le- | lu- | jah.

**Communion Psalm:** *Ant.* The Lord is my stony rock, the Lord is my defense and my deliverer: my Savior, my God, also my refuge. (Psalm 18:2). **Psalm 18.**

# 43. My Inmost Heart Now Raises

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1. My in - most heart now rais - es, In this fair  
2. For Thou from me hast ward - ed All per - ils

morn - ing hour, A song of thank - ful prais - es  
of the night; From ev - 'ry harm has guard - ed

To Thine al - migh - ty pow'r. O God, up - on Thy throne!  
My soul till morn - ing's light, Hum - bly to Thee I cry.

To hon - or and a - dore Thee,  
O Sav - ior, have com - pas - sion,

I bring my praise be - fore Thee,  
And par - don my trans - gres - sion;

Through Christ, Thine on - ly Son.  
Have mer - cy, Lord most high! A - men.

3. And shield me from all evil,  
O gracious God, this day,  
From sin, and from the Devil,  
From shame and from dismay,  
From fire's consuming breath,  
From water's devastation,  
From need and consternation,  
From evil, sudden death.

4. My life, my soul—defend them!  
My wife, child, goods, and home,—  
To Thy hand I commend them,  
From Thee my blessings come;  
Thy bounteous hand bestows  
My household and my treasures,  
My parents, friends, and pleasures;  
My cup with good o'erflows.

5. Let not Thine angel leave me,  
While here on earth I stay,  
Lest Satan's arts deceive me,  
And lead my soul astray!  
Then keep Thine angel near  
At night and each new morrow,  
Lest soul and body sorrow,  
And falt'ring cost me dear.

6. God shall do my advising,  
Whose might with wisdom blends;  
May He bless rest and rising,  
My efforts, means, and ends!  
To God, forever blessed,  
Will I with mine confide me,  
And willing let Him guide me  
As seemeth to Him best.

7. Amen! I say, not fearing  
That God rejects my prayer;  
I doubt not He is hearing  
And granting me His care.  
So I put forth my hands,  
And look not long behind me,  
But ply the task assigned me  
By God, as He commands.