

Deuteronomy 7:9-11

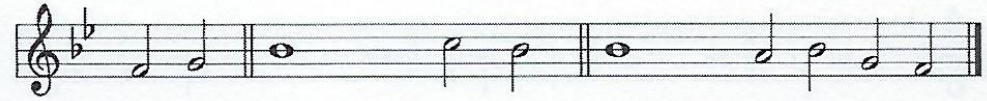
⁹ “Therefore know that the LORD your God, He is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and mercy for a thousand generations with those who love Him and keep His commandments; ¹⁰ and He repays those who hate Him to their face, to destroy them. He will not be slack with him who hates Him; He will repay him to his face. ¹¹ Therefore you shall keep the commandment, the statutes, and the judgments which I command you today, to observe them.”

Philippians 1:3-11

³ I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, ⁴ always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, ⁵ for your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now, ⁶ being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ; ⁷ just as it is right for me to think this of you all, because I have you in my heart, inasmuch as both in my chains and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel, you all are partakers with me of grace. ⁸ For God is my witness, how greatly I long for you all with the affection of Jesus Christ. ⁹ And this I pray, that your love may abound still more and more in knowledge and all discernment, ¹⁰ that you may approve the things that are excellent, that you may be sincere and without offense till the day of Christ, ¹¹ being filled with the fruits of righteousness which are by Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.

St. Matthew 18:23-35

²³ “Therefore the kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. ²⁴ And when he had begun to settle accounts, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents. ²⁵ But as he was not able to pay, his master commanded that he be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and that payment be made. ²⁶ The servant therefore fell down before him, saying, ‘Master, have patience with me, and I will pay you all.’ ²⁷ Then the master of that servant was moved with compassion, released him, and forgave him the debt. ²⁸ But that servant went out and found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and he laid hands on him and took him by the throat, saying, ‘Pay me what you owe!’ ²⁹ So his fellow servant fell down at his feet and begged him, saying, ‘Have patience with me, and I will pay you all.’ ³⁰ And he would not, but went and threw him into prison till he should pay the debt. ³¹ So when his fellow servants saw what had been done, they were very grieved, and came and told their master all that had been done. ³² Then his master, after he had called him, said to him, ‘You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you begged me. ³³ Should you not also have had compassion on your fellow servant, just as I had pity on you?’ ³⁴ And his master was angry, and delivered him to the torturers until he should pay all that was due to him. ³⁵ So My heavenly Father also will do to you if each of you, from his heart, does not forgive his brother his trespasses.”



Introit.

Ant. IF THOU, || LORD, shouldest mark in- | *iqui-* | ties:

O | LORD, | who | shall | stand?

|| But there is forgiveness with | Thee | - :

that Thou mayest be feared, O God | of | Is- | ra- | el.

Psalms. || Out of the depths have I cried unto Thee, O | LORD | - :

Lord, | hear | my | voice.

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, our Refuge and Strength, Who art the Author of all godliness: Be ready, we beseech Thee, to hear the devout prayers of Thy Church; and grant that those things which we ask faithfully, we may obtain effectually; 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. Philippians 1:3–11

Gospel. Matthew 18:23–35

Additional reading: Deuteronomy 7:9–11

Gradual.

|| Behold how good and how pleasant | it | is:

for brethren to dwell together | in | u- | ni- | ty!

|| The LORD commanded | bless- | ing:

even life | for | ev- | er- | more.

|| Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Praise the LORD, O my soul, while I live will I praise the | LORD | - :

I will sing praises unto my God. | Hal- | le- | lu- | jah.

22nd Sunday after Trinity

60. From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee

Martin Luther, 1523

Johann Walther, "Gesangbüchlein"

Tr., Catherine Winkworth, 1863, alt.

Wittenberg, 1524

1. From depths of woe I cry to Thee, Lord,
 2. Thy love and grace a-lone a-vail To
 3. There-fore my hope is in the Lord And
 4. And though it tar-ry till the night And
 5. Though great our sins and sore our woes, His

hear me, I im-plore Thee. Bend down Thy
 blot out my trans-gres-sion; The best and
 not in mine own mer-it; It rests up-
 till the morn-ing wak-en, My heart shall
 grace much more a-boun-deth; His help-ing

gra-cious ear to me, My prayer let come be-
 ho-liest deeds must fail To break sin's dread op-
 on His faith-ful Word To them of con-trite
 nev-er doubt His might Nor count it-self for-
 love no li-mit knows, Our ut-most need it

fore Thee. If Thou re-mem-b'rest each mis-deed,
 pres-sion. Be-fore Thee none can boast-ing stand,
 spir-it That He is mer-ci-ful and just;
 sak-en. Do thus, O ye of Is-rael's seed,
 soun-deth. Our Shep-herd good and true is He,

If each should have its right-ful need,
 But all must fear Thy strict de-mand,
 This is my com-fort and my trust.
 Ye of the Spir-it born in-deed;
 Who will at last His Is-rael free

Who may a-bide Thy pres-ence?
 And live a-lone by mer-cy.
 His help I wait with pa-tience.
 Wait for your God's ap-pear-ing.
 From all their sin and sor-row. A-men.

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* The LORD is my shepherd, therefore can I lack nothing: He shall feed me in a green pasture: and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort. (Psalm 23:1-2). **Psalm 23:3-6.**