

January 25, 2009

Lectionary Readings

Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Jonah proclaims God's judgment in Nineveh, and the people's repentance changes God's mind about punishing them.

Psalm 62:5-12 The psalmist waits on God, from whom alone comes salvation, deliverance, and steadfast love.

1 Corinthians 7:29-31 The nature of what time it is redefines how we live in the world.

Mark 1:14-20 Jesus proclaims the kingdom of God and calls Simon, Andrew, James, and John to follow him.

Call to Worship

The time has arrived! The reign of God is here and now!

We are watching and waiting for the realm of God.

The time is now. The kingdom of God is here!

We are seeking the good news.

Believe the good news! The dreams of God are alive, right here!

We are searching for work to do in God's world.

The moment has come. Let us fish for people!

God's realm is alive in this world! The long-awaited day is here!

Hymns for the Day

	PH	EH	ELW	UMH	NCH	VU	STF	SNC	TFBF	HFTG
Hymns of Praise										
My Soul in Silence Waits for God (Psalm 62)	197					780				
Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above	483	408		126		216				
Christ for the World We Sing		537		568						
Old Testament										
God of Compassion	261									
Let Us With a Glad Mind	244	389			16	234				
There's a Wideness in God's Mercy	298	469, 470	587, 588	121	23	271				
Epistle										
Be Thou My Vision	339	488	388	451	451	642				
Seek Ye First	333	711		405		356				
Fight the Good Fight	307	552, 553				674				
Gospel										
You Walk Along the Shoreline					504					35
Take Up Your Cross	393	675	667	415	204	561				
Jesus Christ is Waiting						117				
Guide My Feet	354				497			153		
You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore			817					269		
The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve			551				2241			
Communion										
Living Word of God Eternal	512									
Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether	504		470	632	337	479				
Sending										
Go to the World						420		294		
Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service	427	610	712	581						
All Who Love and Serve Your City	413	570, 571	724	433						
Important Hymns from Other Sources										
O Christ Who Called the Twelve, Herman Stuempfle, <i>The Word Goes Forth</i> , GIA										

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Prayer of Confession

God who calls, in Jesus you come to the lakeshores of our lives.

We are busy fishing away, casting our nets and hoping for big hauls, great catches of money, respect, and possessions.

We resist answering the One who, smiling, calls our names.

Have mercy on us.

Open our ears and turn us toward our Lord.

Bring us away from our nets full of unfulfilling things.

Help us to follow Jesus, and with him, share the good news of abundant life in you.

Psalm Settings

Psalm 62:5-12 Metrical

"In Silence My Soul Is Waiting" PsP 99

"My Soul in Silence Waits for God" NMP 106

"My Soul Finds Rest in God Alone" PsH 62

Responsorial

"For God Alone" PP1 41

"Lord, Come and Help Me" TPP 62

"Rest in God Alone" P 52

Contemporary Songs

"When Can We Find the Words" John

Thornburg/Jane Marshall *What Gift Can We Bring*

"In God Alone" (Psalm 62) David Haas *Psalms for the Church Year (Celebration), Vol. 3*, GIA

"Wait for the Lord" Jacques Berthier *Songs and Prayers from Taizé*

"Sing Hey for the Carpenter" John Bell/Graham Maule *Heaven Shall Not Wait*

"The Miraculous Catch" John Bell/Graham Maule *Heaven Shall Not Wait*

Global Songs

"Tú has Venido a la Orilla" PH 377

"Sizohamba Naye (We will Walk with God)" (Swaziland) OITB 134

"Toma, oh Dios, mi voluntad" ELW

Anthems for Larger Choirs

"Lord, For Thy Tender Mercy's Sake" Richard Farrant, OXF OCC031, SATB

"For God Alone My Soul Awaits" Ron Nelson, AUG 11-0560, SATB

"Rise, Shine!" Dale Wood, AUG 0800655923, SATB

Anthems for Smaller/Youth Choirs

"Here I Am" Pote, Hope (GC 977), 3-part mixed, keyboard

"A-Fishing We Go" Oliver, MSM (50-6008), 2-part mixed, keyboard

Anthems for Children's Choirs

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand with Lead Me On" Arr. Kathie Hill, (unison, 2-group), KH

"Fairest Lord Jesus" Arr. Carl Schalk, (unison/2-part with keyboard)

"Day by Day" Martin How, 3-part, GIA G-1478

"Jesus, Calls Us" David Hurd, GIA G-2637

"Jesus, Gentlest Savior" Alan MacMillan, opt. 2-part, PPM 08305

"Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" PH 377

Handbell Music

"Lead Me, Lord" Samuel Wesley/Arr. Kevin McChesney, *Ringing Word*, RW8150, 3-5 oct., with opt. voices or C instrument, L3

"Where You Lead Me" Linda R. Lamb, AGEHR, AG35259, 3-5 oct. and opt. 3 oct. hand chimes, vocal solo or ensemble and guitar, L3

"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me" Arr. Sondra K. Tucker, Alfred, 25334, 3-5 oct., L3

Organ Music

"Canonic Variations on With High Delight" (Mit freuden zart), Raymond Haan, CPH (E)

"Prelude on Mit freuden zart" Frederick Candlyn, AP (E+)

"Be Thou My Vision" Dale Wood, *Wood Works for Organ*, SMP (E)

"Prelude on Slane" Gerre Hancock, *The AGO 90th Anniversary Anthology of American Organ Music*, OUP (M)