

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 26: 8-9

Of you my heart has spoken,
Seek his face. It is your face, O
Lord, that I seek; hide not your
face from me.

First Reading

Genesis 12:1-4

The Lord said to Abram,
‘Leave your country, your
family and your father’s house,
for the land I will show you. I
will make you a great nation; I
will bless you and make your
name so famous that it will be
used as a blessing.

‘I will bless those who bless
you: I will curse those who
slight you. All the tribes of the
earth shall bless themselves by
you.’ So Abram went as the
Lord told him.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 32(33):4-5,18-20,22

*Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.*

The word of the Lord is faithful
and all his works to be trusted.
The Lord loves justice and
right and fills the earth with his
love. **R**

The Lord looks on those who
revere him, on those who hope
in his love,
to rescue their souls from
death, to keep them alive in
famine. **R**

Our soul is waiting for the
Lord. The Lord is our help and
our shield. May your love be
upon us, O Lord, as we place
all our hope in you. **R**

Second Reading

2 Timothy 1:8-10

With me, bear the hardships for
the sake of the Good News,
relying on the power of God
who has saved us and called us
to be holy – not because of
anything we ourselves have
done but for his own purpose
and by his own grace. This
grace had already been granted
to us, in Christ Jesus, before the
beginning of time, but it has
only been revealed by the
Appearing of our saviour Christ
Jesus. He abolished death, and
he has proclaimed life and
immortality through the Good
News.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 17:5

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus
Christ, king of endless glory!**

From the shining cloud the
Father’s voice is heard: this is
my beloved Son, hear him.

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Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Jesus took with him Peter and
James and his brother John and
led them up a high mountain
where they could be alone.

There in their presence he was
transfigured: his face shone like
the sun and his clothes became
as white as the light. Suddenly
Moses and Elijah appeared to
them; they were talking with
him. Then Peter spoke to Jesus.
‘Lord,’ he said ‘it is wonderful
for us to be here; if you wish, I
will make three tents here, one
for you, one for Moses and one
for Elijah.’

He was still speaking when
suddenly a bright cloud
covered them with shadow, and
from the cloud there came a
voice which said, ‘This is my
Son, the Beloved; he enjoys my
favour. Listen to him.’ When
they heard this the disciples fell
on their faces, overcome with
fear. But Jesus came up and
touched them. ‘Stand up,’ he
said ‘do not be afraid.’ And
when they raised their eyes
they saw no one but only Jesus.
As they came down from the
mountain Jesus gave them this
order, ‘Tell no one about the
vision until the Son of Man has
risen from the dead.’

Communion Antiphon

Mt 17: 5

This is my beloved Son, with
whom I am well pleased;
listen to him.

**Second Week of Lent
-Year A**

Monday 2nd of March

Daniel 9:4-10, Psalm 78(79):8-9,11,13,
Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday 3rd of March

Isaiah 1:10,16-20, Psalm 49(50):8-9,16-
17,21,23, Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday 4th of March

Jeremiah 18:18-20, Psalm 30(31):5-
6,14-16, Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday 5th of March

Jeremiah 17:5-10, Psalm 1:1-4,6, Luke
16:19-31

Friday 6th of March

Genesis 37:3-4,12-13,17-28, Psalm
104(105):16-21, Matthew 21:33-43,45-
46

Saturday 7th of March

Micah 7:14-15,18-20, Psalm
102(103):1-4,9-12, Luke 15:1-3,11-32

Sunday 8th of March

3rd Sunday of Lent

Exodus 17:3-7, Psalm 94(95):1-2,6-9,
Romans 5:1-2,5-8, John 4:5-16,19-
26,39-42