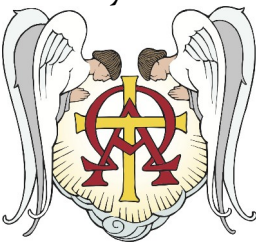
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for the Last Sunday of the Church Year



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CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

HYMN OF INVOCATION: COME, THOU ALMIGHTY KING *LSB 905*

SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT *Psalm 39:4-5a, 7-8, 12; antiphon: 2 Peter 3:13*

L In keeping with his promise we are looking forward to a new heaven and a | new earth,*
the home of | righteousness.

C **O LORD, make me know my end and what is the measure | of my days;***
let me know how fleeting | I am!
Behold, you have made my days a few | handbreadths,*
and my lifetime is as nothing be- | fore you.
And now, O Lord, for what | do I wait?*
My hope | is in you.
Deliver me from all my trans- | gressions.*
Do not make me the scorn | of the fool!
Hear my prayer, O LORD, and give ear to my cry; hold not your peace | at my tears!*
For I am a sojourner with you, a guest, like all my | fathers.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

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THIS IS THE FEAST *LSB 155*

COLLECT OF THE DAY
Eternal God, merciful Father, You have appointed Your Son as judge of the living and the dead. Enable us to wait for the day of His return with our eyes fixed on the kingdom prepared for Your own from the foundation of the world; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24*

GRADUAL *Revelation 7:14b; Psalm 84:5*

C **These are the ones coming out of the great tribu- | lation.***
They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.
Blessèd are those whose strength is | in you,*
in whose heart are the highways to | Zion.

EPISTLE *1 Corinthians 15:20-28*

ALLELUIA AND VERSE *LSB 156*

HOLY GOSPEL *Matthew 25:31–46*

HYMN: THE HEAD THAT ONCE WAS CROWNED WITH THORNS *LSB 532*

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

LEFT COLUMN *LSB 162*

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: THE INFANT PRIEST WAS HOLY BORN *LSB 624*
DISTRIBUTION HYMN: SING WITH ALL THE SAINTS IN GLORY *LSB 671*
POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE: NUNC DIMITTIS *LSB 165*

HYMN: IF CHRIST HAS NOT BEEN RAISED FROM DEATH *LSB 486*

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