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COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God,
you are always more ready to hear than we to pray
and to give more than either we desire or deserve:
pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy,
forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid
and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask
but through the merits and meditation
of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

1 CORINTHIANS 4. 1-5

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Think of us in this way, as servants of Christ and stewards of God's mysteries. Moreover, it is required of stewards that they should be found trustworthy. But with me it is a very small thing that I should be judged by you or by any human court. I do not even judge myself. I am not aware of anything against myself, but I am not thereby acquitted. It is the Lord who judges me. Therefore do not pronounce judgement before the time, before the Lord comes, who will bring to light the things now hidden in darkness and will disclose the purposes of the heart. Then each one will receive commendation from God.

For the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 37. 1-11

R: Let your delight be in the Lord .

Fret not because of evildoers;
be not jealous of those who do wrong.
For they shall soon wither like grass
and like the green herb fade away.
Trust in the Lord and be doing good;
dwell in the land and be nourished with truth. **R:**

Let your delight be in the Lord
and he will give you your heart's desire.
Commit your way to the Lord and put your trust in him,
and he will bring it to pass.
He will make your righteousness as clear as the light
and your just dealing as the noonday. **R:**

Be still before the Lord and wait for him;
do not fret over those that prosper
as they follow their evil schemes.
Refrain from anger and abandon wrath;
do not fret, lest you be moved to do evil. **R:**

For evildoers shall be cut off,
but those who wait upon the Lord shall possess the land.
Yet a little while and the wicked shall be no more;
you will search for their place and find them gone.
But the lowly shall possess the land
and shall delight in abundance of peace. **R:**

LUKE 5. 33-39

Alleluia. Alleluia.
Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening;
you have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia.

The Lord be with you
And also with you.

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Then they said to Jesus, 'John's disciples, like the disciples of the Pharisees, frequently fast and pray, but your disciples eat and drink.' Jesus said to them, 'You cannot make wedding-guests fast while the bridegroom is with them, can you? The days will come when the bridegroom will be taken away from them, and then they will fast in those days.' He also told them a parable: 'No one tears a piece from a new garment and sews it on an old garment; otherwise the new will be torn, and the piece from the new will not match the old. And no one puts new wine into old wineskins; otherwise the new wine will burst the skins and will be spilled, and the skins will be destroyed. But new wine must be put into fresh wineskins. And no one after drinking old wine desires new wine, but says, "The old is good." '

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

God of life and health,

in your Son Jesus Christ we find forgiveness of all that is past:

grant that in this eucharist today we may find the healing of

all our sins;

we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of compassion,

in this eucharist you have set aside our sins

and given us your healing:

grant that we who are made whole in Christ

may bring that healing to this broken world,

in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**