



PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

FIRST LESSON

¹ I will extol you, my God and King
and bless your name for ever and ever.

² Every day I will bless you
and praise your name for ever and ever.

³ Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
God's greatness is unsearchable.

⁴ One generation shall laud your works to another,
and shall declare your mighty acts.

⁵ On the glorious splendor of your majesty,
and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

⁶ The might of your awesome deeds shall be proclaimed,
and I will declare your greatness.

⁷ They shall celebrate the fame of your abundant goodness,
and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.

⁸ The Lord is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

⁹ The Lord is good to all,
God's compassion is over all that he has made.

¹⁰ All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your faithful shall bless you.

Psalm 145

SECOND LESSON

Galatians 3:23-29

²³Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. ²⁴Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, ²⁶for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. ²⁷As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. ²⁸There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.