Second Sunday of Lent
28 February 2021

Entrance   Seek the Lord

Refrain

Seek   the Lord!   Long   for   the Lord!   Search   for   the face   of   God!

Verses

1. Give thanks to the Lord, proclaim his   name   al - - - ways,
2. O sing to him, sing his   praise   al - - - ways;
3. Glory in his holy   name   al - - - ways,

to refrain

Make known his deeds among the   peoples   al - - - ways.
tell all his wonderful   works   al - - - ways!
let the hearts that seek the Lord re - joice   al - - - ways.

Psalm 116 I Will Walk Before the Lord

I   will   walk be - fore the   Lord,   in   the   land   of   the   liv - ing.

I trusted, even when I said, "I am sorely afflicted,"
How precious in the eyes of the LORD is the death of his faithful.

Your servant, LORD, your servant am I, the son of your handmaid;
you have loosened my bonds.
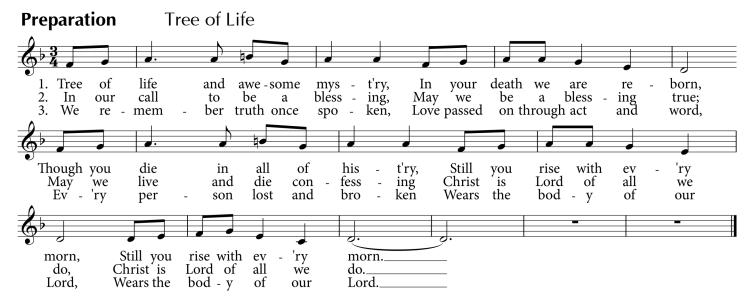A thanksgiving sacrifice I make; I will call on the name of the LORD.

My vows to the LORD I will fulfill before all his people,
in the courts of the house of the LORD, in your midst, O Jerusalem.
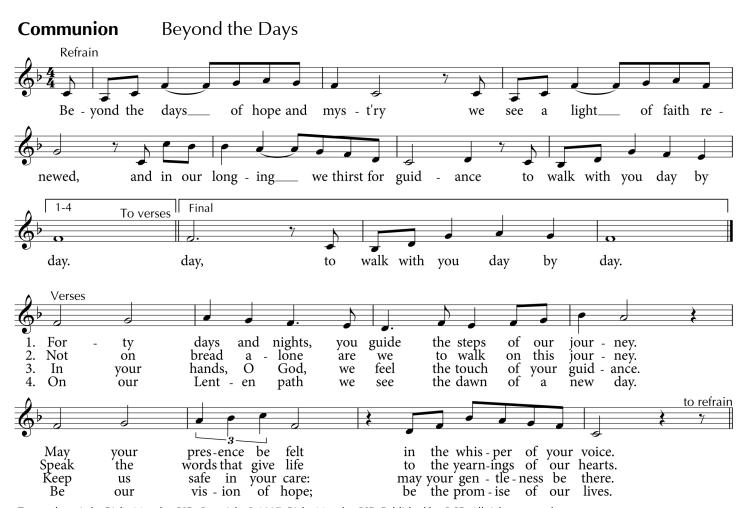
Acclamation   *Mass of Redemption*

Glo - ry   and praise   to_____ you,   Lord__ Je - sus   Christ!

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:
This is my beloved Son, listen to him.

Preparation — Tree of Life

1. Tree of life and awe-some mys-t'ry, In your death we are re-born,
2. In our call to be a bless-ing, May we be a bless-ing true;
3. We re-mem-ber truth once spo-ken, Love passed on through act and word,

Though you die in all of his-t'ry, Still you rise with ev-'ry
May we live and die con-fess-ing Christ is Lord of all we
Ev-'ry per-son lost and bro-ken Wears the bod-y of our

morn, Still you rise with ev-'ry morn.____
do, Christ is Lord of all we do.____
Lord, Wears the bod-y of our Lord.____

Communion — Beyond the Days

Refrain

Be-yond the days____ of hope and mys-t'ry we see a light____ of faith re-

newed, and in our long-ing____ we thirst for guid-ance to walk with you day by

1-4 day. *To verses* *Final* day, to walk with you day by day.

Verses

1. For-ty days and nights, you guide the steps of our jour-ney.
2. Not on bread a-lone are we to walk on this jour-ney.
3. In your hands, O God, we feel the touch of your guid-ance.
4. On our Lent-en path we see the dawn of a new day.

May your pres-ence be felt in the whis-per of your voice.
Speak the words that give life to the yearn-ings of our hearts.
Keep us safe in your care: may your gen-tle-ness be there.
Be our vis-ion of hope; be the prom-ise of our lives.

to refrain

Dismissal The Glory of These Forty Days

1. The glory of these forty days We cel - e - brate with songs of praise;
2. A - lone and fast - ing Mo - ses saw The lov - ing God who gave the law;
3. So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, De - liv - ered from the li - ons' might;
4. Then grant that we like them be true, Con - sumed in fast and pray'r with you;
5. O Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it blest, To you be ev - 'ry pray'er ad - dressed;

For Christ, by whom all things were made, Him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.
And to E - li - jah, fast - ing, came The steeds and char - i - ots of flame.
And John, the Bride-groom's friend be - came The her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.
Our spir - its strength-en with your grace, And give us joy to see your face.
Who are in three - fold Name a - dored, From age to age the on - ly Lord.

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THE FORTY DAYS of LENT RETURN to the LORD YOUR GOD