Benediction Hymns Prayer

O SAVING VICTIM

O saving victim, op'ning wide The gate of heav'n to us below. Our foes press on from ev'ry side, Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend For evermore, blest One in Three; O grant us life that shall not end, In our true native land with thee. Amen.

HYMN OF ADORATION

Down in adoration falling. This great sacrament we hail; Ancient types have long departed Newer rites of grace prevail Faith for all defects supplying Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing To the Father and the Son, honour, might and praise addressing while eternal ages run: Equal praise to him confessing who proceeds from both as one. AMFN

V. You have given them bread from heaven R. Having in itself all delight.

GOD WITH HIDDEN MAJESTY

(Gather Aust. 388) God with hidden majesty, lies in presence here, I with deep devotion my true God revere: Whom this outward shape and form secretly contains, Christ in his divinity manhood still retains.

All my other senses, cannot now perceive, But my hearing, taught by faith, always will believe: I accept whatever God the Son has said: Those who hear the word of God, by the truth are fed.

Blest reminder of the death suffered for the world, Sacrament of living bread, health to every mind, Let my soul approach you, live within your grace, Let me taste the perfect joys time shall not efface.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS **VOCATIONS**

Celebrant: At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved.

Response: For they were like sheep

without a shepherd.

Celebrant: Jesus said, 'The harvest is

ready.'

Response: But the labourers are few. Celebrant: Ask the Lord to send our

labourers for the harvest.

Response: O Lord, we pray for more young people to answer the call to become priests and religious in your harvest.

Celebrant: And shepherd for your people.

Response: Amen.



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WEEKDAY PRAYER SHEET

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MONDAY 17 JULY 2023

Monday of the fifteenth week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

Exodus 1:8-14, 22 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 123 (JB)

R. Our help is in the name of the Lord.

'If the Lord had not been on our side.' this is Israel's song. 'If the Lord had not been on our side when men rose against us, then would they have swallowed us alive when their anger was kindled. R.

Then would the waters have engulfed us, the torrent gone over us: over our head would have swept the raging waters.' Blessed be the Lord who did not give us a prey to their teeth! R.

Our life, like a bird, has escaped from the snare of the fowler. Indeed the snare has been broken and we have escaped. Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy are they who suffer persecution for justice' sake; the kingdom of heaven is theirs. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 10:34 - 11:1 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home. and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

TUESDAY 18 JULY 2023

Tuesday of the fifteenth week in Ordinary time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face: I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

Exodus 2:1-15 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 68:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 (JB) R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

I have sunk into the mud of the deep and there is no foothold. I have entered the waters of the deep and the waves overwhelm me. R.

This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour. In your great love, answer me, O God, with your help that never fails. R.

As for me in my poverty and pain let your help, O God, lift me up. I will praise God's name with a song, I will glorify him with thanksgiving. R.

The poor when they see it will be glad and God-seeking hearts will revive: for the Lord listens to the needy and does not spurn his servants in their chains. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 11:20-24 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Holy Father, keep in your name those you have given

that they may be one as we are one, says the Lord.



WEDNESDAY 19 JULY 2023

Wednesday of the fifteenth week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 102:1-4, 6-7 (JB)

R. The Lord is kind and merciful.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord, all my being, bless his holy name. My soul, give thanks to the Lord and never forget all his blessings. R.

It is he who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills, who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion. R.

The Lord does deeds of justice, gives judgement for all who are oppressed. He made known his ways to Moses and his deeds to Israel's sons. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 11:25-27 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

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THURSDAY 20 JULY 2023

Thursday of the fifteenth week in Ordinary Time Saint Apollinaris (OM)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

Exodus 3:13-20 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 104:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27 (JB)
R. The Lord remembers his covenant for ever.
or
R. Alleluia!

Give thanks to the Lord, tell his name, make known his deeds among the peoples. Remember the wonders he has done, his miracles, the judgements he spoke. R.

He remembers his covenant for ever, his promise for a thousand generations, the covenant he made with Abraham, the oath he swore to Isaac. R.

He gave his people increase; he made them stronger than their foes, whose hearts he turned to hate his people and to deal deceitfully with his servants. R.

Then he sent Moses his servant and Aaron the man he had chosen. Through them he showed his marvels and his wonders in the country of Ham. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come to me, all you that labour and are burdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 11:28-30 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him. says the Lord.

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FRIDAY 21 JULY 2023

Friday of the fifteenth week in Ordinary Time Saint Lawrence of Brindisi (OM)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

Exodus 11:10 - 12:14 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 115:12-13, 15-18 (JB)
R. I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

R. Alleluia!

How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me?
The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name. R.

O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful. Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; you have loosened my bonds. R.

A thanksgiving sacrifice I make: I will call on the Lord's name. My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 12:1-8 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

OR

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

SATURDAY 22 JULY 2023

Saint Mary Magdalene (F)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

The Lord said to Mary Magdalene: Go to my brothers and tell them: I am going to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.

FIRST READING:

Song of Songs 3:1-4 (JB)

OF

2 Corinthians 5:14-17 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 62:2-6, 8-9 (JB)
R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord, my God.

O God, you are my God, for you I long; for you my soul is thirsting. My body pines for you like a dry, weary land without water. R.

So I gaze on you in the sanctuary to see your strength and your glory. For your love is better than life, my lips will speak your praise. R.

So I will bless you all my life, in your name I will lift up my hands. My soul shall be filled as with a banquet, my mouth shall praise you with joy. R.

For you have been my help; in the shadow of your wings I rejoice. My soul clings to you; your right hand holds me fast. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Tell us Mary, what did you see on the way? I saw the glory of the risen Christ, I saw his empty tomb. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

John 20:1-2, 11-18 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The love of Christ impels us, so that those who live may live no longer for themselves,

but for him who died for them and was raised.