**7TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** 

**JULY 27, 2025** 

**CONGREGATION AT PRAYER** 

# Proper 12C Psalm 119:145–149; antiphon: Psalm 50:15

P Call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.

With my whole heart I cry; answer me, O Lord! I will keep your statutes.

**P** I call to you; save me, that I may observe your testimonies.

I rise before dawn and cry for help; I hope in your words.

P My eyes are awake before the watches of the night, that I may meditate on your promise.

• Hear my voice according to your steadfast love; O Lord, according to your justice give me life.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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**C**ATECHISM

Holy Baptism - Second

What benefits does Baptism give?

It works forgiveness of sins, rescues from death and the devil, and gives eternal salvation to all who believe this, as the words and promises of God declare.

Which are these words and promises of God?

Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Mark: "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned." (Mark 16:16)

LEARN BY HEART Colossians 4:2

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.

#### COLLECT

O Lord, let Your merciful ears be attentive to the prayers of Your servants, and by Your Word and Spirit teach us how to pray that our petitions may be pleasing before You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:** Eccl 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-26; Col 3:1-11; Luke 12:13-21

#### INVOCATION

**INTROIT** (front page)

**MEDITATION:** Portals of Prayer and Catechism

**LEARN BY HEART:** Bible Verse (front page)

### **DAILY READINGS:**

SU:	7/27	1 Samuel 12:1–25	Acts 22:30—23:11
M:	7/28	1 Samuel 13:1–18	Acts 23:12-35
T:	7/29	1 Samuel 14:47—15:9	Acts 24:1–23
W:	7/30	1 Samuel 15:10–35	Acts 24:24—25:12
TH:	7/31	1 Samuel 16:1–23	Acts 25:13-27
F:	8/1	1 Samuel 17:1–19	Acts 26:1–23
SA:	8/2	1 Samuel 17:20–47	Acts 26:24—27:8

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #869 With the Lord Begin Your Task

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

## IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying
- Birthdays this upcoming week: Hattie, Silas
- Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week: Karen, Kathy, Steven

**COLLECT** (front page); **LORD'S PRAYER** 

### **BENEDICTION**

P Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.

# **C** Amen