

TWO-YEAR DAILY LECTIONARY

Year 2 • Proper 10

Week of the Sunday closest to July 13

Sunday, July 14, 2024

Psalms 148, 149, 150 (*morning*)
Psalms 114, 115 (*evening*)
Joshua 1:1-18
Acts 21:3-15
Mark 1:21-27

Monday, July 15, 2024

Psalm 25 (*morning*)
Psalms 9, 15 (*evening*)
Joshua 2:1-14
Rom. 11:1-12
Matt. 25:1-13

Tuesday, July 16, 2024

Psalms 26, 28 (*morning*)
Psalms 36, 39 (*evening*)
Joshua 2:15-24
Rom. 11:13-24
Matt. 25:14-30

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

Psalm 38 (*morning*)
Psalm 119:25-48 (*evening*)
Joshua 3:1-13
Rom. 11:25-36
Matt. 25:31-46

Thursday, July 18, 2024

Psalm 37:1-18 (*morning*)
Psalm 37:19-42 (*evening*)
Joshua 3:14—4:7
Rom. 12:1-8
Matt. 26:1-16

Friday, July 19, 2024

Psalm 31 (*morning*)
Psalm 35 (*evening*)
Joshua 4:19—5:1, 10-15
Rom. 12:9-21
Matt. 26:17-25

Saturday, July 20, 2024

Psalms 30, 32 (*morning*)
Psalms 42, 43 (*evening*)
Joshua 6:1-14
Rom. 13:1-7
Matt. 26:26-35

Sunday, July 21, 2024

Psalms 63:1-8(9-11), 98 (*morning*)
Psalm 103 (*evening*)
Joshua 6:15-27
Acts 22:30—23:11
Mark 2:1-12

For Your Study and Reflection This Week **8th Sunday after Pentecost**

Amos 7:7-15

Then Amos answered Amaziah, “I am no prophet nor a prophet’s son, but I am a herdsman and a dresser of sycamore trees, and the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, ‘Go, prophesy to my people Israel.’” (vv. 14-15)

Psalm 85:8-13

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;
righteousness and peace will kiss each other. (v. 10)

Ephesians 1:3-14

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will. (vv. 3-5)

Mark 6:14-29

When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests, and the king said to the girl, “Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it.” And he swore to her, “Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom.” She went out and said to her mother, “What should I ask for?” She replied, “The head of John the baptizer.” Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, “I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.” (vv. 22-25)

Questions for Reflection

To experience one's self as God's beloved is a gift beyond compare. For some, it is difficult to receive such a gift; for others, such grace comes more easily. How can we deepen our experience of that gift in ourselves? How might we encourage this gift in others?

Household Prayer: Morning

O God of steadfast love and faithfulness,
as I awaken this day in expectation,
I turn my heart toward you, for I am your beloved.
Fill me with your wisdom and insight,
and guide my feet into the way of peace
as I walk your righteous path. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Recounting both the blessings and challenges of this day,
I give thanks to you, O God,
for my hope is in Christ who makes all things new,
and so I rest this night. Amen.