



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Week of April 28, 2024

Collect for the week: O God, You make the minds of Your faithful to be of one will. Grant that we may love what You have commanded and desire what You promise, that among the many changes of this world our hearts may be fixed where true joys are found; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

First Reading: Acts 8:26-40

Epistle: 1 John 4:1-11

Holy Gospel: John 15:1-8

Next Sunday's Readings: Acts 10:34-48; 1 John 5:1-8; John 15:9-17

Hymn for the week: **Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray** LSB 663

Notes on the Sermon: _____

Trinity Reads the Bible in 2024: (Psalms in parentheses may be read in the evening.)

April 28	Leviticus 20:1-16, 22-27	Luke 11:37-54	Ps. 93 (136; 117)
April 29	Leviticus 21:1-24	Luke 12:1-12	Ps. 97 (124; 115)
April 30	Leviticus 23:1-22	Luke 12:13-34	Ps. 98 (66; 116)
May 1	Leviticus 23:23-44	Luke 12:35-53	Ps. 99 (8; 119)
May 2	Leviticus 24:1-23	Luke 12:54—13:17	Ps. 47 (68; 113)
May 3	Leviticus 26:1-20	Luke 13:18-35	Ps. 96 (50; 138)
May 4	Leviticus 26:21-33, 39-44	Luke 14:1-24	Ps. 92 (23; 114)

NEXT Week's Readings

May 5	Numbers 3:1-16, 39-48	Luke 14:25—15:10	Ps. 93 (136; 117)
May 6	Numbers 8:5-26	Luke 15:11-32	Ps. 97 (124; 115)
May 7	Numbers 9:1-23	Luke 16:1-18	Ps. 98 (66; 116)
May 8	Numbers 10:11-36	Luke 16:19-31	Ps. 99 (8; 119)
May 9 <i>Ascension</i>	Num. 11:1-23, 31-35	Luke 17:1-19	Ps. 47 (68; 113)
May 10	Num. 11:24-29; 12:1-16	Luke 17:20-37	Ps. 96 (50; 138)
May 11	Num. 13:1-3, 17-33	Luke 18:1-17	Ps. 92 (23; 114)

Kids Hear God's Word during the **Easter Season**

Listen for these important words in today's Scripture readings.
You may use them in your family devotions at home in the week ahead.

From the First Reading

Then Philip opened his mouth,
and beginning with this Scripture
he told him the good news about Jesus.
(Acts 8:35)

From the Epistle

In this is love,
not that we have loved God but that he loved us
and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.
Beloved, if God so loved us,
we also ought to love one another.
(1 John 4:10-11)

From the Holy Gospel

If you abide in me,
and my words abide in you,
ask whatever you wish,
and it will be done for you.
(John 15:7)