

*SUNDAY MORNING – Student M. Heijboer
02-28-2021*

Pre-service Psalter 392:1, 2**

Silent Congregational Prayer

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 246: All**

Reading of the Law: Deuteronomy 5:1-24

Response to the Law: Psalter 334:1, 4**

Scripture Reading: Luke 23:35-44

Congregational Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service***

Psalter 91: All**

Text: Luke 23:43

Theme: Christ the Great Comforter

1: For a least likely convert

2: With a sure affirmation

3: Expressed as a present reality

4: Regarding a blessed future

Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service***

Psalter 284:1-2. 5**

Doxology: Psalter 412**

Benediction

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- 1: Who was the criminal on the cross, and why did that make him such an unlikely convert?
- 2*: Who was it that saved this criminal on the cross, and why him and not the other one?
- 3: Which were the fruits of the Spirit that became evident in what the criminal spoke?
- 4*: The criminal on the cross is the only example of a last-moment conversion in the Bible, why?
- 5: What is so comforting to the believer about the word “verily” (think of Who spoke it and when)
- 6: What is so comforting for the believer about the word “today”?
- 7: What makes paradise paradise?

Questions for self-reflection:

- 1: If God could, would, and did save this criminal to the uttermost, what does that tell you about His ability and willingness to save you?
- 2: What is your definition of paradise; what (and who) is at the center of it?

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Pre-service Psalter 393:1, 3**
Silent Congregational Prayer
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Psalter 267: All**

Scripture Reading: Deuteronomy 27
Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 50, p. 86
Congregational Prayer

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Psalter 260;1, 3-5**

Deuteronomy 27:26 – Heidelberg Catechism, LD 4

Theme: God's Justice and Our Misery

1: God's just demand vindicated

2: God's just wrath vindicated

3: God's just punishment vindicated

Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service***

Psalter 212: All**

Doxology: Psalter 413**

Benediction

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- 1: What are the reasons behind the question if God is unjust by requiring from us that which we cannot perform?
- 2*: Why is God not unjust when He requires of us that we keep the whole law perfectly?
- 3: Why would man think that God should overlook sin?
- 4: Why is God's judgment over sin just?
- 5*: Why is God angry with sin?
- 6: In light of Luke 13:1-5, what is the purpose of temporal judgment? (And what is it not?)
- 7: What does it mean to be under the curse of God?
- 8: Why is man asking if God is merciful or not, and what do they overlook?
- 9: Why is God's punishment so extreme; eternal for both body and soul?

Question for self-reflection:

Have you come to see God as righteous and just when He condemns your sinfulness?

* Questions for younger children