



Proper 13

August 6<sup>th</sup> 2017

## LECTIONARY

### FIRST READING

#### EXODUS 34:29-35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterwards all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

**Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.**

**People: Thanks be to God**

#### PSALM 99

<sup>1</sup> The Lord is king; let the peoples tremble! \*  
He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

<sup>2</sup> The Lord is great in Zion; \*  
he is exalted over all the peoples.

<sup>3</sup> Let them praise your great and awesome name. \*  
Holy is he!

<sup>4</sup> Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; \*  
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

<sup>5</sup> Extol the Lord our God; worship at his footstool.

Holy is he!	gave them.
<sup>6</sup> Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel also was among those who called on his name. *	<sup>8</sup> O Lord our God, you answered them; *
They cried to the Lord, and he answered them.	you were a forgiving God to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings.
<sup>7</sup> He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; *	<sup>9</sup> Extol the Lord our God, and worship at his holy mountain; *
they kept his decrees, and the statutes that he	for the Lord our God is holy.

## SECOND READING

### 2 PETER 1:13-21

I think it right, as long as I am in this body, to refresh your memory, since I know that my death will come soon, as indeed our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me. And I will make every effort so that after my departure you may be able at any time to recall these things.

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

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**People: Thanks be to God**

**Sequence Hymn:** “*All People That on Earth do Dwell*” G746

**Priest:** *The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.*

**People:** **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

## GOSPEL

### LUKE 9:28-36

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed



down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, ‘Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah’—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, ‘This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!’ When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

**Priest:** *The Gospel of the Lord.*

**People:** **Praise to you, Lord Christ**

## Prayers of the People

*After the lay leader has said the first prayer, please feel free, as the spirit moves you, to say the next prayer. If two or more start together please continue together*

Please respond to each of these prayers with the phrase: **Christ hear us!**

Let us pray for the worldwide Anglican Communion especially for the Church of Puerto Rico;

We Pray... **Christ hear us!**

We pray also for all in the Episcopal Diocese of Arizona, especially the parish of Church of the Advent, Sun City West;

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

Let us pray for our nation, as more evidence of police corruption surfaces in the city of Baltimore, we pray for all the innocent persons affected both among the citizenry and within the department;

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

We pray for our Armed Forces, for their safety and the wellbeing of their families and loved ones;

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

Let us pray for our world, asking God's blessings for the people of Venezuela during this time of unrest and oppression;

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

We pray for Sierra Vista and our surrounding area, asking God to bless us with the fitting awareness of our safety as we enjoy the great doors;

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

Let us pray for those who are poor, sick, mourning or experiencing any kind of suffering. Please say aloud the names of any for whom you wish to pray;

*Pause for people to mention names then say:*

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**

Let us pray for our friends and loved ones, who have departed this life, may they enjoy the glory of the heavenly city. Please say the names of any for whom you wish to pray;

*Pause for people to mention names then say:*

We pray. . . **Christ hear us!**