

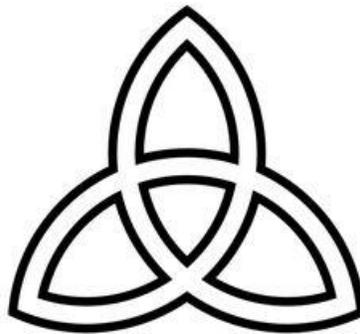
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***THE TWENTY~FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER  
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### *The Collect*

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of thy faithful people; that they may plenteously bring forth the fruit of good works, as they await the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ to restore all things to their original perfection; who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth for ever and ever. *Amen*

### *The Lesson is written in the Twelfth Chapter of the Book of Daniel beginning at the first verse*

"At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever. But you, Daniel, shut up the words and seal the book, until the time of the end.

(4b Many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall increase." Then I, Daniel, looked, and behold, two others stood, one on this bank of the stream and one on that bank of the stream. And someone said to the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the stream, "How long shall it be till the end of these wonders?" And I heard the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the stream; he raised his right hand and his left hand toward heaven and swore by him who lives forever that it would be for a time, times, and half a time, and that when the shattering of the power of the holy people comes to an end all these things would be finished. I heard, but I did not understand. Then I said, "O my lord, what shall be the outcome of these things?" He said, "Go your way, Daniel, for the words are shut up and sealed until the time of the end. Many shall purify themselves and make themselves white and be refined, but the wicked shall act wickedly. And none of the wicked shall

understand, but those who are wise shall understand. And from the time that the regular burnt offering is taken away and the abomination that makes desolate is set up, there shall be 1,290 days. Blessed is he who waits and arrives at the 1,335 days. But go your way till the end. And you shall rest and shall stand in your allotted place at the end of the days."

Daniel 12:1-4a(4b-13)

### *Psalm 16*

- 1** Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.
- 2** I say to the LORD, "You are my Lord; I have no good apart from you."
- 3** As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight.
- 4** The sorrows of those who run after another god shall multiply; their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names on my lips.
- 5** The LORD is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.
- 6** The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.
- 7** I bless the LORD who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart instructs me.
- 8** I have set the LORD always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.
- 9** Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure.
- 10** For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption.
- 11** You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

***The Lesson is written in the Tenth Chapter of the Letter to the Hebrews  
beginning at the thirty-first verse***

It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God. But recall the former days when, after you were enlightened, you endured a hard struggle with sufferings, sometimes being publicly exposed to reproach and affliction, and sometimes being partners with those so treated. For you had compassion on those in prison, and you joyfully accepted the plundering of your property, since you knew that you yourselves had a better possession and an abiding one. Therefore do not throw away your confidence, which has a great reward. For you have need of endurance, so that when you have done the will of God you may receive what is promised. For, "Yet a little while, and the coming one will come and will not delay; but my righteous one shall live by faith, and if he shrinks back, my soul has no pleasure in him." But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed, but of those who have faith and preserve their souls.

Hebrews 10:31-39

***The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Mark***

† "But when you see the abomination of desolation standing where he ought not to be (let the reader understand), then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. Let the one who is on the housetop not go down, nor enter his house, to take anything out, and let the one who is in the field not turn back to take his cloak. And alas for women who are pregnant and for those who are nursing infants in those days! Pray that it may not happen in winter. For in those days there will be such tribulation as has not been from the beginning of the creation that God created until now, and never will be. And if the Lord had not cut short the days, no human being would be saved. But for the sake of the elect, whom he chose, he shortened the days. And then if anyone says to you, 'Look, here is the Christ!' or 'Look, there he is!' do not believe it. For false christs and false prophets will arise and perform signs and wonders, to lead astray, if possible, the elect. But be on guard; I have told you all things beforehand."

Mark 13:14-23