

## TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY

### INTROIT

*Salus populi*

*Cf. Ps 37 (36): 38, 40, 28*

IV

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord; \*

from whate-ver tribu-lations they cry out to me, I will

give heed to them; and I will be their Lord for e-ver.

### Psalm 78 (77)

1. Give ear, my people, to my **teaching**; \*  
incline your ear to the words *of my mouth*.  
I will open my mouth in a **parable** \*  
and utter hidden lessons *of the past*.
2. The things we have heard and understood, \*  
the things our *fathers have told* us,  
these we will not hide from their **children** \*  
but will tell them to the next *generation*:  
the glories of the LORD and his **might**, \*  
and the marvelous deeds *he has done*.

3. He established a decree in Jacob; \*  
 in Israel he set *up a law*.  
 To our fathers he gave a command \*  
 to make it known *to their children*,  
 that the next generation might know it, \*  
 the children yet *to be born*.

Glory be to the Father ...

OFFERTORY

*Si ambulavero*

*Ps 138 (137): 7*

VIII

I F I walk in the midst of tribulation \* you shall  
 preserve my life, O Lord; you shall stretch forth your  
 hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand  
 has delivered me.

Psalm 138 (137)

1. I thank you, LORD, with *all my heart*; \*  
 you have heard the words *of my mouth*.  
 In the presence of the angels I praise you. \*  
 I bow down toward your *holy temple*.

2. I give thanks to your name †  
 for your merciful love *and your faithfulness*. \*  
 You have exalted your name *over all*.  
 On the day I called, you *answered me*; \*  
 you increased the strength *of my soul*.
  
3. All earth's kings shall thank *you, O LORD*, \*  
 when they hear the words *of your mouth*.  
 They shall sing of the ways *of the LORD*, \*  
 "How great is the glory *of the LORD!*"
  
4. The LORD is high, yet he looks *on the lowly*, \*  
 and the haughty he knows *from afar*.  
 You give me life though I walk *amid affliction*; \*  
 you stretch out your hand against the anger *of my foes*.

## COMMUNION

*Tu mandasti*

*Ps 119 (118): 4, 5*

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**Y**OU have ordered that your commandments be kept  
 dil-igently; \* O that my ways may be guided towards  
 the keeping of your statutes.

Psalm 119 (118)

1. Blessed are those whose way *is* **blameless**, \*  
who walk in the law *of the* **LORD**!

Blessed are those who keep his *decrees*! \*  
With all their *hearts they* seek him.

They never do *anything* evil, \*  
but walk *in his* ways.

2. I will keep *your* **statutes**; \*  
do not ever *forsake* me.

How shall a youth remain pure on *his* way? \*  
By *obeying your* **word**.

3. I declared my ways and you answered **me**; \*  
teach *me your* **statutes**.

I have pondered *my* ways, \*  
and turned my steps to *your* **decrees**.

I made haste; I did not *delay* \*  
to obey *your* **commands**.

4. Redeem me from man's *oppression*, \*  
and I will *keep your* **precepts**.

I obey your precepts and *decrees*; \*  
all my ways *are before* you.

Glory be to the Father ...

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