

The Order of Vespers

for the Week of Trinity 18

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The Lutheran Hymnal, p. 41

Hymn

TLH #398 – *Renew Me, O Eternal Light*

Stand

Versicles and Responses

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The Psalmody

Psalm 54

The verses are spoken antiphonally between the Pastor and Congregation.

P (*Antiphon*) Behold, God is my Helper; the Lord is with those who uphold my life.

Save me, O God, by your name,
and grant me justice by your strength.

Hear my prayer, O God;
give ear to the words of my mouth.

For strangers have risen up against me, and oppressors are after my life;
they have not set God before their eyes.

Behold, God is my Helper;
the Lord is with those who uphold my life.

He will repay my enemies with evil.
In your faithfulness, put an end to them!

I will offer you a willing sacrifice.
I will praise your name, O LORD; for it is good.

For he has delivered me out of all trouble,
and my eye has looked with triumph on my enemies.

Glory | be to the Father, and to | the Son, *
and to the Holy | Ghost;
as it | was in the beginning, is now, and ever | shall be, *
world without end. A- | men.

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Sit

First Lesson

Deuteronomy 10:12-21

After each Lesson:

P But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



R Thanks be to Thee, O Lord!

Second Lesson

1 John 3:1-8

Third Lesson

John 15:1-17

Hymn

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The Sermon

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