

Thursday, December 20, 1696

# Week of Third Sunday in Advent

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## APPOINTED READINGS

### FIRST READING

Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11

### PSALM

Psalm 126 (antiphon:  
v. 5)

### EPISTLE

1 Thessalonians  
5:16-24

### GOSPEL

John 1:6-8, 19-28

## HYMN OF THE DAY

LSB 345 — Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding

## DAILY LECTIONARY

### OLD TESTAMENT

Isaiah 40:18-41:10

### NEW TESTAMENT

Revelation 8:1-13

LSB Daily Lectionary — two readings for personal or family devotion.

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Readings, Hymn of the Day, and Daily Lectionary per the Lutheran Service Book (CPH, 2006) and the LSB Propers of the Day (CPH, 2007).  
Reading references and hymn numbers only; the texts themselves are not reproduced.