

# Week of Third Sunday in Advent

Saturday, December 21, 2013 · Advent · 2013–2014 Church Year · Three-Year Series A

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## Appointed Readings

**First Reading:** Isaiah 35:1-10

**Psalm:** Psalm 146 (antiphon: v. 5)

**Epistle:** James 5:7-11

**Gospel:** Matthew 11:2-15

## Hymn of the Day

LSB 345 — Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding

## Daily Lectionary

**Old Testament:** Isaiah 42:1-25 · **New Testament:** Revelation 9:1-12

## Also Commemorated: St. Thomas, Apostle

*O ALMIGHTY God, Whom to know is everlasting life: Grant us perfectly to know Thy Son Jesus Christ to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life; that following His steps we may steadfastly walk in the way that leadeth to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.*

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