

Week of Third Sunday in Advent

Thursday, December 17, 2026 · Advent · 2026–2027 Church Year · Three-Year Series B

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 33:1-24 · **New Testament:** Revelation 5:1-14

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