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Psalm Psalm 85 (ESV)
antiphon vs 9

P: Surely his salvation is near to those who | fear him,*
that glory may dwell | in our land.

P: LORD, you were favorable | to your land;*
you restored the fortunes of | Jacob.

C: **You forgave the iniquity of your | people;***
you covered | all their sin.

P: You withdrew | all your wrath;*
you turned from your hot | anger.

C: **Restore us again, O God of our sal- | vation,***
and put away your indignation | toward us!

P: Will you be angry with us for- | ever?*

Will you prolong your anger to all gener- | ations?

C: **Will you not revive | us again,***
that your people may re- | joice in you?

P: Show us your steadfast love, | O LORD,*
and grant us your sal- | vation.

**C: Let me hear what God the | LORD will speak,*
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but
let them not turn back to | folly.**

**P: Surely his salvation is near to those who | fear him,*
that glory may dwell | in our land.**

**C: Steadfast love and faith- | fulness meet;*
righteousness and peace kiss each | other.**

**P: Faithfulness springs up | from the ground,*
and righteousness looks down | from the sky.**

**C: Yes, the LORD will give | what is good,*
and our land will yield its | increase.**

**P: Righteousness will go be- | fore him*
and make his foot- | steps a way.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

**P: Surely his salvation is near to those who | fear him,*
that glory may dwell | in our land.**

Office Hymn *To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord* **LSB 406**

Old Testament **Isaiah 42:1-7 (ESV)**

Behold my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations.

He will not cry aloud or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a faintly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice.

He will not grow faint or be discouraged till he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his law.

Thus says God, the LORD, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people on it and spirit to those who walk in it:

I am the LORD; I have called you in righteousness; I will take you by the hand and keep you; I will give you as a covenant for the people, a light for the nations,

to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the

dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness.

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Epistle 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 (ESV)

For consider your calling, brothers: not many of you were wise according to worldly standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are, so that no human being might boast in the presence of God. He is the source of your life in Christ Jesus, whom God made our wisdom and our righteousness and sanctification and redemption. Therefore, as it is written, Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord.

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Gospel Matthew 3:13-17 (ESV)

Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to John, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, “I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?” But Jesus answered him, “Let it be so now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness.” Then he consented. And when Jesus was baptized, immediately he went up from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened to him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming to rest on him; and behold, a voice from heaven said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.”

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Sermon *When the Trinity Gathered* Matthew 3:13-17

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Collect and Prayers

P: Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen**

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Hymn

The Only Son from Heaven

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