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# LESSONS FOR LAMBS

## THE TENTH WEEK AFTER TRINITY

*The color for the Tenth Week after Trinity is green.*



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### **What to listen for during the service?**

Listen for what things your pastor teaches during the service. What is he teaching and what are we learning?

## **Gospel Reading: Luke 19:41-48**

*(The Gospel Reading is from the part of the Bible that is about Jesus and his ministry.)*

41 And when [Jesus] drew near and saw the city, he wept over it, 42 saying, "Would that you, even you, had known on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. 43 For the days will come upon you, when your enemies will set up a barricade around you and surround you and hem you in on every side 44 and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not know the time of your visitation."

45 And he entered the temple and began to drive out those who sold, 46 saying to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be a house of prayer,' but you have made it a den of robbers."

47 And he was teaching daily in the temple. The chief priests and the scribes and the principal men of the people were seeking to destroy him, 48 but they did not find anything they could do, for all the people were hanging on his words.

### **Questions to talk about with your parents:**

- 1) Jesus talks about the things that make for peace as He wept over Jerusalem. What and who gives us true peace in this life?
- 2) Why did Jesus get angry with the people in the temple? Why did He say they were robbers? What were they doing? What did they value?
- 3) What does Jesus say is supposed to happen in the temple?
- 4) What was Jesus teaching in the temple? What do we learn about in church?
- 5) Why did the chief priests and scribes want to destroy Jesus? What was He doing? Were they jealous of Him?

### **People of the Bible: Eve**

Eve was the first woman, and God created her to be a companion for Adam so he would not be alone. God took one of Adam's ribs to make Eve, so she was called a "woman" because she was taken from "man." While in the Garden of Eden, Eve was tempted by the devil, who appeared as a

serpent (or snake), and ate fruit from the forbidden tree. God had told Adam and Eve not to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, but they ate the fruit anyway when the devil lied to them and told them it was okay to eat from it. God punished Adam and Eve, and they had to leave the Garden of Eden. Eve was sorry for what she did and God forgave her. Adam gave Eve her name, which means "mother of all living." Eve had three sons, Cain, Abel, and Seth. Since she was the first woman, all future nations came from Eve, but more importantly, Jesus would be born in her family later. Jesus is the One who gives life to all the living, even Adam and Eve.

### **Catechism Corner: Office of the Keys & Confession**

*What is Confession? Answer:*

Confession embraces two parts: One is that we confess our sins; the other, that we receive absolution, or forgiveness, from the pastor as from God himself, and in no wise doubt, but firmly believe, that by it our sins are forgiven before God in heaven.

*What sins should we confess? Answer:*

Before God we should plead guilty of all sins, even of those which we do not know, as we do in the Lord's Prayer; but before the Pastor we should confess those sins only which we know and feel in our hearts.

*Which are these? Answer:*

Here consider your station according to the Ten Commandments, whether you are a father, mother, husband, wife, son, daughter, master, mistress, servant; whether you have been disobedient, unfaithful, slothful; whether you have grieved any person by word or deed; whether you have stolen, neglected, or wasted aught, or done other injury.

### **Word Scramble**

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