

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

YEAR A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 146(145):6c-7. 8-9a. 9b-10. R. cf. Isaiah 35:4

Richard Lloyd

Come, Lord, and_ save_ us, come, Lord, and_ save us.

A.M.

1. It is the LORD who preserves fidelity for ever,
who does justice to those who **are** oppressed.
It is he who gives bread **to** the hungry,
the LORD who sets **prisoners** free.
2. The LORD who opens the eyes **of** the blind,
the LORD who raises up those
who **are** bowed down.
R. It is the LORD who **loves** the just,
the LORD who **protects** the stranger. R.
3. The LORD upholds the orphan **and** the widow,
but thwarts the path **of** the wicked.
The LORD will **reign** for ever,
your God, O Sion, from **age** to age. R.

ACCLAMATION BEFORE THE GOSPEL

Isaiah 61:1 (Luke 4:18)

Alleluia, alleluia.

The Spirit of the Lord is **upon** me;

he has sent me to proclaim good news to **the** poor.

Alleluia.