

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YEAR A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 69(68):8-10. 14, 17. 33-35. R. 14c

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In your great mer - cy, in your great mer - cy, an - swer me, O Lord,

an - swer me, O Lord in your mer - cy.

A.M.

1. It is for you that I **suffer** taunts,
that shame has **covered** my face.
To my own kin I have **become** an outcast,
a stranger to the children **of** my mother.
Zeal for your **house** consumes me,
and taunts against **you** fall on me.

2. But I pray to **you**, O LORD,
at an **acceptable** time.
In your great mercy, answer **me**, O God,
with your **faithful** salvation.
Lord, answer, for your **mercy** is kind;
in your great compassion, **turn** towards me. R.

3. The poor when they see it **will** be glad,
and God-seeking hearts **will** revive;
for the LORD attends **to** the needy,
and does not spurn his own **in** their chains.
Let the heavens and the earth **give** him praise,
the seas and everything **that** moves in them. R.

ACCLAMATION BEFORE THE GOSPEL

John 15:26b, 27a

Alleluia, alleluia.

The Spirit of truth will bear witness about me, **says** the Lord,
and you also **will** bear witness.

Alleluia.