A CONGREGATION AT PRAYER

Week of the Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 5, 2017

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who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.

For as high as the heavens are above the earth,

so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;

as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY — Collect

Almighty God, you sent your one and only Son as the Word of life for our eyes to see and our ears to hear. Help us to believe what the Scriptures proclaim about him and do the things that are pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

LEARN BY HEART

Verse — John 8:12

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Catechism: Fifth Commandment w/ meaning

THEME FOR NEXT SUNDAY

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