

1st Scripture for April 21, 2024

Psalm 77: 1, 13-20

To the leader: according to Jeduthun. Of Asaph. A Psalm.

¹ I cry aloud to God,

aloud to God, that he may hear me.

¹³ Your way, O God, is holy.

What god is so great as our God?

¹⁴ You are the God who works wonders;

you have displayed your might among the peoples.

¹⁵ With your strong arm you redeemed your people,

the descendants of Jacob and Joseph. *Selah*

¹⁶ When the waters saw you, O God,

when the waters saw you, they were afraid;

the very deep trembled.

¹⁷ The clouds poured out water;

the skies thundered;

your arrows flashed on every side.

¹⁸ The crash of your thunder was in the whirlwind;

your lightnings lit up the world;

the earth trembled and shook.

¹⁹ Your way was through the sea,

your path, through the mighty waters;

yet your footprints were unseen.

²⁰ You led your people like a flock

by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

This is the Word of the Lord, Thanks be to God

Second Scripture for April 21, 2024

Colossians 3: 12-17

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. ¹³Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. ¹⁴Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. ¹⁵And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. ¹⁶Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. ¹⁷And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

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