

## Monday, March 18, 2024 Monday of the Fifth Week of Lent



## Good morning!

We celebrate Saint Cyril of Jerusalem. We read Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62, Psalm 23, and John 8:1-11. As we enter this fifth week of Lent, we ask ourselves, "How are we doing?" We are about to turn the corner towards Jerusalem, and the question arises, "Are we ready?" Today we are called to judge ourselves, not others. Have we been virtuous? Have we been authentic in our discipline this Lent knowing it is God and only God who will judge us? Sometimes we are more concerned as to what others will say. We stop today to reflect so we can freely move forward to follow Jesus in the days ahead. Now is when the real challenges begin. Have we been honest with ourselves? God's grace and mercy will allow us to unload and repack for the journey ahead.

Peace, RevKev

> "Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side."

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