

Appendix: Texts, Psalms, and Hymns

The sermons above are based on the readings from Mark. At the same time, each reading was paired with a reading from the Old Testament and sometimes with a Psalm, also. And each Sunday, of course, hymns were sung as a part of the service. In case any of this information might also be helpful (even as a starting point which is rejected) to others who are called to preach and to lead worship in this way, it is provided below.

Mark 1:1-15, “The Beginning of the Gospel”

Isaiah 40:1-11

“Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”

“Prepare the Way”

“My Country, 'Tis of Thee”

Mark 1:16-31, “Fishers of Men”

Deuteronomy 18:15-22

“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

“Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts”

“O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”

Mark 1:32-45, “Let’s Go!”

Leviticus 13:1-3, 45-46

“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”

“All People That on Earth Do Dwell”

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

Mark 2:1-12, “Your Sins Are Forgiven!”

Isaiah 43:14-25, Psalm 51:1-17

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

“God, Be Merciful to Me”

“What Wondrous Love Is This”

Mark 2:13-22, "Follow Me!"

Hosea 2:14-20, Psalm 103

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

"Lord of Light, Your Name Outshining"

Mark 2:23-3:6, "Do Good, Save Life!"

Deuteronomy 5:12-15

"Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

"With Grateful Hearts Our Faith Professing"

"God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand"

Mark 3:7-19, "To Be with Him"

Exodus 19:1-6

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

"God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength"

"Let All Things Now Living"

Mark 3:20-35, "Whoever Does the Will of God"

Genesis 3:8-21

"I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art"

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Mark 4:1-20, "What Harvest?"

Isaiah 6:1-13

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

"Here I Am"

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

Mark 4:21-34, "The Kingdom of God"

Ezekiel 17:22-24

"Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun"

"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"

"Lord of Light, Your Name Outshining"

Mark 4:35-41, "When the Storms Come"
Job 38:1-11
"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"
"God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength"
"Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

Mark 5:1-20, "Life Beyond the Grave"
Hosea 6:1-6
"Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!"
"Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know"
"The Strife Is O'er"

Mark 5:21-43, "Do Not Fear, Only Believe"
Genesis 4:3-10
"Praise the Lord, His Glories Show"
"How Firm a Foundation"
"Fight the Good Fight"

Mark 6:1-6, "How Shall We Respond?"
Ezekiel 2:1-5
"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"
"Faith of Our Fathers!"
"Lead On, O King Eternal"

Mark 6:7-13, "Two by Two"
Exodus 19:1-6
"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"
"O Jesus, I Have Promised"
"Called As Partners in Christ's Service"

Mark 6:14-29, "What Strange Gift?"
Amos 7:12-17, Psalm 130
"Earth and All Stars"
"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
"Thy Life Was Given for Me"

Mark 6:30-44, “The Compassion of Christ”

Jeremiah 23:1-6, Psalm 23

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

“The Lord’s My Shepherd”

“Break Thou the Bread of Life”

Mark 6:45-56, “The Peace of God”

Job 9:1-10, Psalm 107:1-22

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”

“God, the Omnipotent!”

“My Country, ’Tis of Thee”

Mark 7:1-23, “From the Heart!”

Isaiah 29:13-16, Psalms 121, 122

“I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art”

“Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated”

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

Mark 7:24-37, “Ears to Hear, Tongues to Speak”

Isaiah 35:1-10

“Now Thank We All Our God”

“We Gather Together to Ask the Lord’s Blessing”

“Let All Things Now Living”

Mark 8:1-21, “The Bread of Life”

Isaiah 56:1-8

“What Star Is This, with Beams So Bright”

“As with Gladness Men of Old”

“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

Mark 8:22–9:1, “Who Do You Say That I Am?”

Isaiah 50:4-9

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

“Lift High the Cross”

Mark 9:2-29, “Courage for Living”

Genesis 22:1-19

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

“O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright”

“Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory”

Mark 9:30-50, “First and Last”

Jeremiah 11:18–12:6

“Christ Is Made the World’s True Light”

“Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed”

“O God of Every Nation”

Mark 10:1-16, “Let the Children Come!”

Genesis 1:26-31; 2:18-25

“From All That Dwell Below the Skies”

“The Lord’s My Shepherd”

“Jesus, Friend, So Kind and Gentle”

Mark 10:17-31, “Come, Follow Me!”

Exodus 20:1-17

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

“Lord, God of Hosts”

“Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken”

Mark 10:32-52, “A Ransom for Many”

Isaiah 52:13–53:12

“Praise the Lord, His Glories Show”

“Call Jehovah Thy Salvation”

“God of Grace and God of Glory”

Mark 11:1-11, “Hosanna!”

Zechariah 9:9-12

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

“Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates”

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

Mark 11:12-25, “When You Pray, Forgive”

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-29

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

“Be Still, My Soul”

“God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand”

Mark 11:27–12:12, “Christ the Cornerstone!”

Isaiah 5:1-7

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

“Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us”

“I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art”

Mark 12:13-17, “The Things That Are God’s”

Isaiah 26:1-8

“Now Thank We All Our God”

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

“We Give Thee but Thine Own”

Mark 12:18-27, “The Power of God”

Exodus 3:1-12

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

“The God of Abraham Praise”

“For All the Saints”

Mark 12:28-34, “With All Your Heart!”

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

“This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made”

“Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!”

Mark 12:35-44, “Victory over Death”

I Kings 17:8-16

“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

“That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright”

“Thine Is the Glory”

Mark 13:1-37, "Stay Awake!"

Daniel 12:1-4

"O Lord, Thou Art My God and King"

"O What Their Joy and Their Glory Must Be"

"Lord Christ, When First You Came to Earth"

Mark 14:1-11, "Anointed Beforehand!"

Exodus 12:1-13

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

"Hail to the Lord's Anointed"

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Mark 14:12-25, "This Is My Body"

Exodus 12:14-28

"Now Thank We All Our God"

"The Lord's My Shepherd"

"Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts"

Mark 14:26-52, "Not What I Will, But What You Will"

Zechariah 13:7-9

"Praise the Lord, His Glories Show"

"Be Still, My Soul"

"God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand"

Mark 14:53-72, "Are You the Christ?"

Daniel 7:9-14

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

Mark 15:1-15, "King of the Jews"

Deuteronomy 21:22-23

"O Worship the King, All Glorious Above"

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

"Abide with Me"

Mark 15:16-47, “The Son of God!”
Psalm 22:1-18
“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”
“What Wondrous Love Is This”
“Lift High the Cross”

Mark 16:1-8, “He Has Risen!”
Isaiah 25:6-9
“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”
“The Strife is O’er”
“Thine Is the Glory”

Mark 16:9-20, “Go into All the World!”
Isaiah 52:7-12
“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!”
“Lord, You Give the Great Commission”
“My Country, ’Tis of Thee”

In the series of sermons above, one sermon was preached on Mark 10:32-52, “A Ransom for Many.” If and when I am able to preach through this gospel again, I think I will divide this into two sermons, one on Mark 10:32-45, “A Ransom for Many,” and another on Mark 10:46-52, “Go Your Way!”

Moreover, the division of texts above includes two sermons from chapter 15, one on Mark 15:1-15, “King of the Jews,” and the other on Mark 15:16-47, “The Son of God!” I would continue to suggest two sermons from this chapter, and I would even use the same titles, but I think that next time I will change the division so that the readings will be 15:1-20 and 15:21-47.

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