

Proper for August 18, 2019, the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Proper 15)

Theme: “Walking in Accurate Analysis”

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, You have given Your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of this redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of His most holy life; through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

Old Testament Proclamation: Jeremiah 23: 23-29

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 82

New Testament Proclamation: Hebrews 12: 1-6

Gospel Proclamation: Luke 12: 49-56

Gradual Verse:

The words of the Lord are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace on the earth, refined seven times.

The Concluding Collect

Presider: O holy Lord, in these times of purging by fire, burn away the chaff of wood, hay, and stubble, and leave remaining a Church of gold, silver, and diamonds; pure, refined, and useful for Your service. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Proper Preface

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Father, all powerful and everliving God, we do well always and everywhere to give You thanks.

In You we live and move and have our being. Each day You show us a Father’s love; Your Holy Spirit, dwelling within us, gives us on earth the hope of unending joy.

Your gift of the Spirit is the foretaste and promise of the paschal feast of heaven.

With thankful praise, in company with the angels, we glorify the wonders of Your power: