

Sunday between 3 and 9 July Proper 14 (page 366)

Sentence

A Blessed is our Father, Lord of heaven and earth, who has revealed these things to the simple.

Collect

Almighty God,
your Son Jesus Christ has taught us
that what we do for the least of your children
we do also for him.
Give us the will to serve others
as he was the servant of all,
who gave up his life and died for us,
but lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Readings

Genesis 24.34–38, 42–49, 58–67
Psalm 45.11–18
Romans 7.15–25a
Matthew 11.16–19, 25–30

Prayer over the Gifts

God of heaven and earth,
receive our sacrifice of praise,
and strengthen us
for the perfect freedom of your service,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Preface of the Lord's Day

Prayer after Communion

O God,
may we who have shared in holy things
never fail to serve you in your world,
and so come to the fullness of joy,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.