

## Propers for the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent (Mothering Sunday) 27<sup>th</sup> March 2022

### Entrance Antiphon

Rejoice Jerusalem!  
Be glad for her, you who love her;  
rejoice with her, you who mourned for her,  
and you will find contentment at her consoling breasts

### The Collect

#### Lent 4

Merciful Lord,  
absolve your people from their offences,  
that through your bountiful goodness,  
we may all be delivered from the chains of those sins which by our frailty we have committed;  
grant this, heavenly Father,  
for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen.

#### Mothering Sunday

God of compassion,  
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,  
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,  
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:  
strengthen us in our daily living,  
that in joy and in sorrow,  
we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### The Readings

#### Lent 4

<i>Missal (St Mark's)</i>	Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 34:2-7 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
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<i>RCL (St Gabriel's)</i>	Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 32 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
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## **Mothering Sunday**

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Exodus 2:1-10

Psalm 34:11-20

2 Corinthians 1:3-7

John 19:25-27