

Psalm 149

1st Scripture Reading for September 10, 2023

(found on page 583 of our pew Bibles)

- 1 Praise the Lord!
Sing to the Lord a new song,
his praise in the assembly of the faithful.
 - 2 Let Israel be glad in its Maker;
let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.
 - 3 Let them praise his name with dancing,
making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.
 - 4 For the Lord takes pleasure in his people;
he adorns the humble with victory.
 - 5 Let the faithful exult in glory;
let them sing for joy on their couches.
 - 6 Let the high praises of God be in their throats
and two-edged swords in their hands,
 - 7 to execute vengeance on the nations
and punishment on the peoples,
 - 8 to bind their kings with fetters
and their nobles with chains of iron,
 - 9 to execute on them the judgment decreed.
This is glory for all his faithful ones.
- Praise the Lord!