

Saturday, March 20, 2021
Saturday of the Fourth Week of Lent

Jeremiah the great prophet! Courageously he announced the word of the Lord and he suffered for it. “Yet, I, like a trusting lamb led to the slaughter, had not realized that they were hatching plots against me.” He trusted in the Lord and would take refuge in Him! We are called to do the same and should not be surprised if we are treated any differently because of our faith. We are following the Lord Jesus, who asked us to take up our cross daily if we want to be His disciple.

The guards in the Gospel speak from their hearts: “Never has anyone spoken like this man.” Jesus impresses on the simple and the humble, but the proud and arrogant leave no room for Jesus in their hearts. Let us pray that we may not be deceived from the truth nor be afraid to face the truth, even if it means persecution. Our prayer will always be: “O Lord, my God, in you I take refuge!”

God Love You!

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