

A painting depicting a church service. In the center, a priest in a red and white vestment stands behind a wooden altar, looking towards the right. To the left, a woman in a pink and green dress is kneeling on the floor, her hands clasped in prayer. In the background, other people are visible, including a man in a blue and white vestment and another man in a pink and white vestment. The scene is set in a room with a blue patterned backdrop and a yellow wall. The text "Third Sunday after Pentecost" is overlaid in large white letters, and "Year C" is written in a smaller white font below it.

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Year C

1 Kings 21:1-10, (11-14) and Psalm 5:1-8
or 2 Samuel 11:26-12:10 and Psalm 32
Galatians 2:15-21
Luke 7:36-8:3

Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man's lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him.

2 Samuel 12:4

The Macklin Bible—Nathan's Parable
Richard Martin Paye and Jean Marie Delattre, 1796



I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

Psalm 32:8



Lenten Labyrinth
Mike Moyers, 2012

Yet we know that a person is
justified not by the works of the law
but through faith in Jesus Christ.

Galatians 2:16a



Allegory of Law and Grace, Lucas Cranach, 1529

And a woman in the city, who was a sinner, having learned that he was eating in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster jar of ointment.

Luke 7:37



Anointing the Feet of Jesus in the House of Simon, the Pharisee, Luca Signorelli, ca. 1488-1490

She stood behind him at his feet, weeping, and began to bathe his feet with her tears and to dry them with her hair. Then she continued kissing his feet and anointing them with the ointment.

Luke 7:38



Anointed, Lauren Wright Pittman, 2018

Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself, “If this man were a prophet, he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him—that she is a sinner.”

Luke 7:39



Anointing the Feet of Jesus in the House of Simon, the Pharisee, Allgau, Germany, ca. 1470-1480

Then turning toward the woman, he said to Simon, “Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave me no water for my feet, but she has bathed my feet with her tears and dried them with her hair.”

Luke 7:44

Anointing the Feet of Jesus
in the House of Simon, the
Pharisee

Moretto de Brescia
ca. 1550-1554



Therefore, I tell you, her sins,
which were many, have been
forgiven; hence she has shown
great love. But the one to whom
little is forgiven, loves little.”

Luke 7:47



Jesus Speaks About Forgiveness, JESUS MAFA, 1973

But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves, “Who is this who even forgives sins?”

Luke 7:49

Anointing the Feet of Jesus in
the House of Simon, the
Pharisee

Greco
ca. 1608-1614



And he said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."

Luke 7:50



Anointing the Feet of Jesus in the House of Simon, the Pharisee
Pierre Subleyras, ca. 1737

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