

# தவக்காலத்தின் மூன்றாம் ஞாயிறு

## 3rd Sunday in Lent

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## பழைய ஏற்பாடு (Old Testament)

Deuteronomy 18:9-15

Verse Text

18:9 When thou art come into the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee, thou shalt not learn to do after the abominations of those nations.

18:10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch,

18:11 Or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer.

18:12 For all that do these things are an abomination unto the Lord: and because of these abominations the Lord thy God doth drive them out from before thee.

18:13 Thou shalt be perfect with the Lord thy God.

18:14 For these nations, which thou shalt possess, hearkened unto observers of times, and unto diviners: but as for thee, the Lord thy God hath not suffered thee so to do.

18:15 The Lord thy God will raise up unto thee a Prophet from the midst of thee, of thy brethren, like unto me; unto him ye shall hearken;

## திருமுகம் (Epistle)

Ephesians 5:1-9

Verse	Text
5:1	Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children;
5:2	And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweetsmelling savour.
5:3	But fornication, and all uncleanness, or covetousness, let it not be once named among you, as becometh saints;
5:4	Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor jesting, which are not convenient: but rather giving of thanks.
5:5	For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God.
5:6	Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience.
5:7	Be not ye therefore partakers with them.
5:8	For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light:
5:9	(For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and righteousness and truth;)

## நற்செய்தி (Gospel)

Luke 11:14-28

Verse	Text
11:14	And he was casting out a devil, and it was dumb. And it came to pass, when the devil was gone out, the dumb spake; and the people wondered.
11:15	But some of them said, He casteth out devils through Beelzebub the chief of the devils.
11:16	And others, tempting him, sought of him a sign from heaven.
11:17	But he, knowing their thoughts, said unto them, Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation; and a house divided against a house falleth.
11:18	If Satan also be divided against himself, how shall his kingdom stand? because ye say that I cast out devils through Beelzebub.
11:19	And if I by Beelzebub cast out devils, by whom do your sons cast them out? therefore shall they be your judges.
11:20	But if I with the finger of God cast out devils, no doubt the kingdom of God is come upon you.
11:21	When a strong man armed keepeth his palace, his goods are in peace:
11:22	But when a stronger than he shall come upon him, and overcome him, he taketh from him all his armour wherein he trusted, and divideth his spoils.
11:23	He that is not with me is against me: and he that gathereth not with me scattereth.
11:24	When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest; and finding none, he saith, I will return unto my house whence I came out.
11:25	And when he cometh, he findeth it swept and garnished.
11:26	Then goeth he, and taketh to him seven other spirits more wicked than himself; and they enter in, and dwell there: and the last state of that man is worse than the first.
11:27	And it came to pass, as he spake these things, a certain woman of the company lifted up her voice, and said unto him, Blessed is the womb that bare thee, and the paps which thou hast sucked.
11:28	But he said, Yea rather, blessed are they that hear the word of God, and keep it.