

# FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

*Year C*

Deuteronomy 26:1-11 • Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16  
Romans 10:8b-13 • Luke 4:1-13

Then you, together with the Levites  
and the aliens who reside among  
you, shall celebrate with all the  
bounty that the LORD your God has  
given to you.

Deuteronomy 26:11



Global Refugee Mural -- Joel Bergner

For he will command his angels ...  
to guard you in all your ways. On  
their hands they will bear you up, ...  
you will not dash your foot against  
a stone.

Psalm 91:11ac,12ac



Guardian  
Angel

Antonskirche  
Vienna,  
Austria

For there is no distinction  
between Jew and Greek; the  
same Lord is Lord of all and is  
generous to all who call on him.

Romans 10:12



Last Supper

Elimo Njau  
Fort Hall  
Memorial  
Chapel  
Kenya

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, ... was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil.

Luke 4:1ac, 2a





Temptation in the Wilderness -- Briton Riviere, Guildhall Art Gallery, London, England

The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread."

Luke 4:3



First Temptation of Christ -- Late 15<sup>th</sup> c. manuscript, Getty Center, Los Angeles, CA

Jesus answered him, "It is written,  
'One does not live by bread alone.'"

Luke 4:4

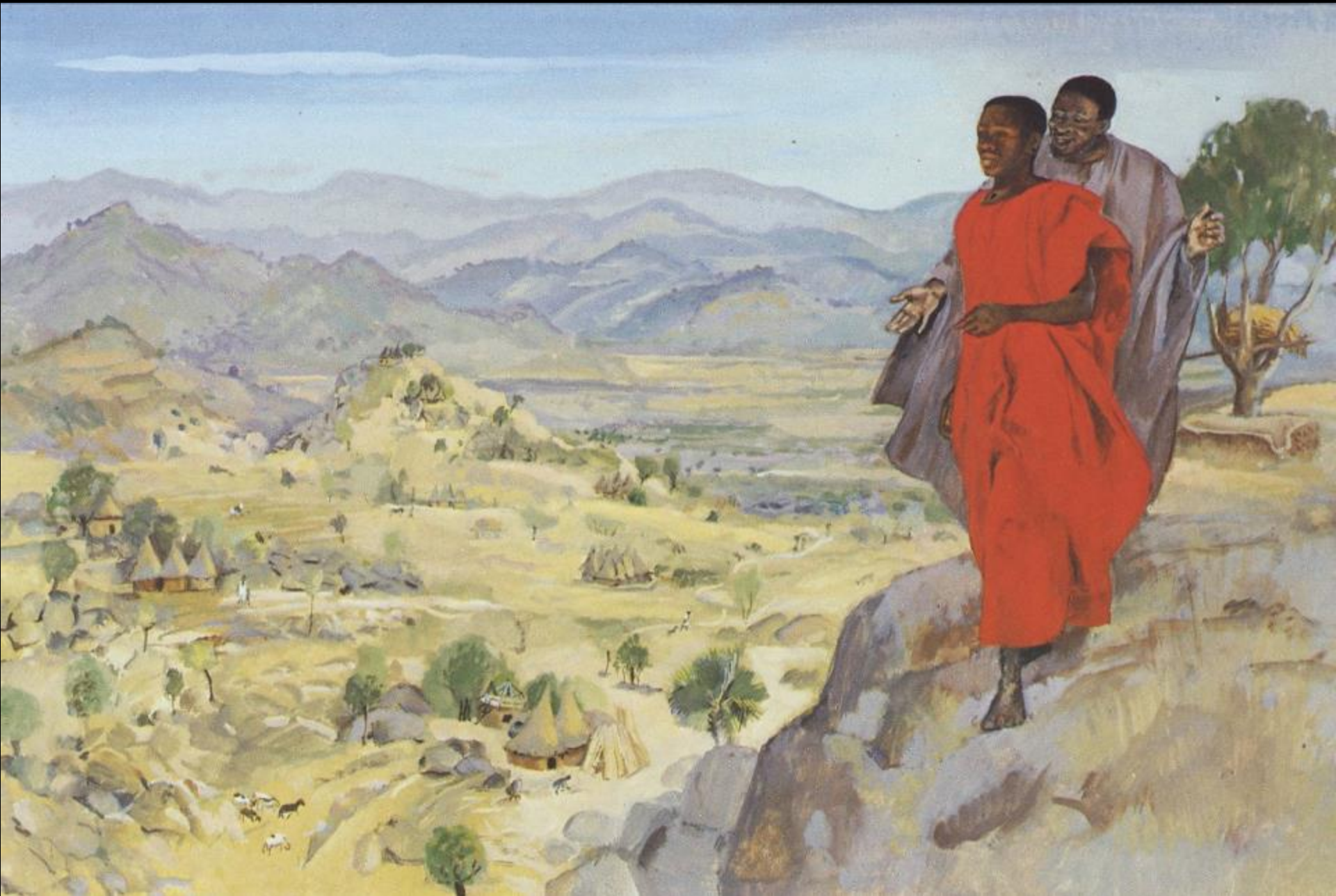


Christ  
Tempted

Monreale  
Cathedral  
Monreale,  
Italy

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world ... "To you I will give their glory and all this authority;

Luke 4:5, 6b



Temptation of Christ -- JESUS MAFA, Cameroon

If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'"

Luke 4:7-8





Temptation in the Wilderness -- John St. John Long, Tate Britain, London, England

Then the devil took him to  
Jerusalem and placed him on the  
pinnacle of the temple, saying to  
him, "If you are the Son of God,  
throw yourself down from here,

Luke 4:9

Jesus Carried Up to the  
Pinnacle of the Temple

James Tissot  
Brooklyn Museum  
New York, NY



for it is written, 'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,' and 'On their hands they will bear you up ...'"

Luke 4:10, 11a

Christ Ministered to by  
Angels

Jacob Cornelisz van  
Oostanen  
Suermondt-Ludwig  
Museum  
Aachen, Germany



Jesus answered him, "It is said,  
'Do not put the Lord your God to  
the test.'"

Luke 4:12

Jesus and the Tempter

Juan de Flandes  
National Gallery of Art  
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