Tuesday of Holy Week Year A

Isaiah 49:1-7 • Psalm 71:1-14 • 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 • John 12:20-36
And now the LORD says ... “I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth.”

Isaiah 49:5a, 6b
Interior of the Church of the Light

Tadao Ando
Ibaraki, Japan
For you, O Lord, are my hope...
Upon you I have leaned from my birth; it was you who took me from my mother's womb.

Psalm 71:5a, 6a
Childbirth

Mural in brick and stucco
Gdansk, Poland
God chose what is low and despised in the world, ... so that no one might boast in the presence of God.

1 Corinthians 1:28a, 29
Abandoned

Octave Tassaert
Musee Fabre
Montpellier, France
... unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.

John 12:24b
Jesus said to them, "The light is with you for a little longer."

John 12:35a
Cristo Es Nuestra Luz

LaSalette Festival of Light
Attleboro, MA
“Walk while you have the light, so that the darkness may not overtake you.”

John 12:35b
Light upon the Cathedral

Gerry Hofstetter
Washington Cathedral
Washington, DC
“While you have the light, believe in the light, so that you may become children of light."

John 12:36a
We Are the Children of Light

Poster on building in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, NY
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