

Lent One: **O Love, How Deep**

Lent I Scripture Reading: Luke 4:1-2a

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tested by the devil..



“Jesus Tempted in the Wilderness” by James Tissot

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O love, how deep, how broad, how high!

For us he was baptized, and bore
His holy fast, and hungered sore;
For us temptations sharp he knew;
For us the tempter overthrew.
wilderness to be tempted by the devil.

~Thomas a Kempis

Walking the Labyrinth

A labyrinth walk is very simple.

There is no right or wrong way to walk.

Every labyrinth walk is different.

“You just begin, and the doing teaches what you need to know.” Barbara Brown Taylor

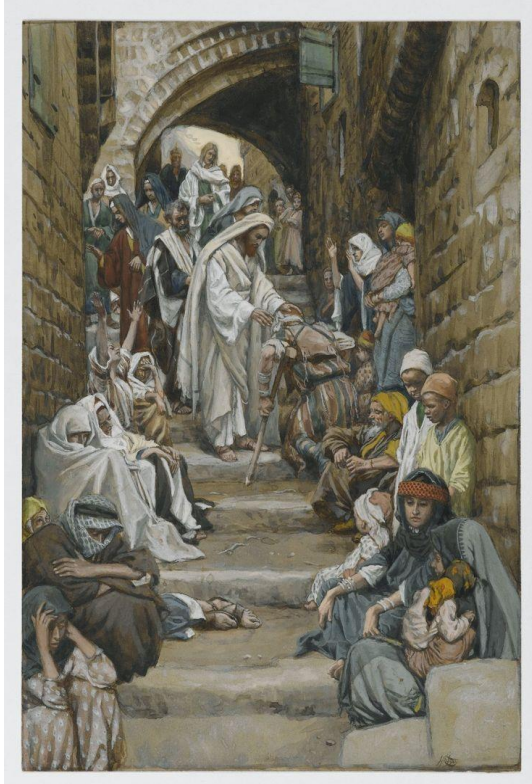
You may find this guideline helpful:

- ④ Find the open entrance and slowly follow the twisting and winding path to the center.
- ④ Once in the center, remain standing or sitting as long as you desire.
- ④ When ready, start back out the path and follow it to where you first entered.

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Lent Two: **O Love, How Broad**



James Tissot

Lent 2 Scripture Reading: Luke 13:32

Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish.

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For us he prayed, for us he taught,
For us his daily works he wrought,
By words, by signs, and actions, thus
Still seeking not himself, but us.

O love, how deep, how broad, how high!

~Thomas a Kempis

Lent Three: **Let my heart overflow**

Lent 3 Scripture Reading: Isaiah 55:1,3

*Hear, all you who are thirsty,
come to the waters...*

*Give ear and come to me;
Listen, that you may live.*



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Fountain of Life and Love, however we thirst may we come to the springs of water you so freely and abundantly provide. May we drink deeply to refresh hearts and souls. **Let my heart overflow with love** for everyone, with every intention of my will and with every deed which I perform. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

Lent Four: **Generous Hearts**

Lent 4 Scripture Reading: Luke 15:24

*For this son of mine was dead
and is alive again; he was lost and is found!*



"Return of the Prodigal Son" Rembrandt

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God of patient love, you await the return of the wayward and wandering and eagerly embrace them in pardon. Give us **generous hearts** to welcome all who seek a place at the table of your unconditional love. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lent Five: **Turned toward Love again!**

Lent 5 Scripture Reading: Isaiah 43:19



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O God who makes all things new, new stars, new dust, new life; take our hearts, every hardened edge and measured beat, and create something new in us.

We need your newness, God, for the rough parts to be made smooth; for the stagnant to be stirred; for the stuck to be freed; for the unkind to be forgiven. And then, by the power of your Spirit, we will be turned toward Love again. Amen.