

Lent

moment to celebrate God's mercy



The season of Lent during this Jubilee Year should also be lived more intensely as a privileged moment to celebrate and experience God's mercy.

How many pages of Sacred Scripture are appropriate for meditation during the weeks of Lent to help us rediscover the merciful face of the Father!

We can repeat the words of the prophet Micah and make them our own:

You, O Lord, are a God who takes away iniquity and pardons sin, who does not hold your anger forever, but are pleased to show mercy.

You, Lord, will return to us and have pity on your people.

You will trample down our sins and toss them into the depths of the sea (cf. 7:18-19).

Misericordiae Vultus, 17