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| John  11: 17-27  Selection C15  (Long Form) | **A Reading from the Holy Gospel According to John**  **When Jesus arrived in Bethany, he found that**  **Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days.**  **Now Bethany was near Jerusalem,**  **only about two miles away.**  **And many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary**  **to comfort them about their brother.**  **When Martha heard that Jesus was coming,**  **she went to meet him; but Mary sat at home.**  **Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if you had been here,**  **my brother would not have died.**  **But even now I know that whatever you ask of God,**  **God will give you.”**  **Jesus said to her, “Your brother will rise.”**  **Martha said to him, “I know he will rise,**  **in the resurrection on the last day.”**  **Jesus told her, “I am the resurrection and the life;**  **whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live,**  **and everyone who lives and believes in me**  **will never die. Do you believe this?”**  **She said to him, “Yes, Lord.**  **I have come to believe that you are the Messiah,**  **the Son of God, the one who is coming into the world.”**  **The Gospel of the Lord** |