

The Congregation at Prayer
A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer
For the week of the The Second Sunday after Epiphany
January 16-22, 2022

The Order of Meditation and Prayer

Pray and confess out loud as much from the order of meditation and prayer as you are able, or as your family size and ages dictate. Learn by heart the catechism and hymn of the week.

Invocation

In the Name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.

Psalm Psalm 97

Recite Memory Work (see back page)

Daily Readings

Sunday, January 16 - Ezekiel 38:1-23

Monday, January 17 - Ezekiel 39:1-10, 17-29

Tuesday, January 18 - Ezekiel 40:1-4; 43:1-12

Wednesday, January 19 - Ezekiel 44:1-16

Thursday, January 20 - Ezekiel 47:1-14, 21-23

Friday, January 21 - Joel 1:1-20

Saturday, January 22 - Joel 2:1-17

Prayers

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

O Lord, look down from heaven, behold, visit, and relieve Your servants who stand in need of our prayers:

Redeemer Lutheran Church	Emma Casey	Paul Smith
The Lutheran Church--	Taitlyn Preus	Ed Snyder
Missouri Synod	Laura Steinbacher	Dale Steinke
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(The Revd) Bishop Jamison	Elizabeth Van Hemert	Juanita Wasson
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nary	Tessa Muench	(The Revd Dr.) Daniel
(The Revd) Lawrence Rast	Abby Smith	Reuning
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Willie Schwartz	Jean Dray	
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Milo Osbun	Madeleine & David Herman	
Barbara Wieting	Russel Kaufman	
Bob & Barbara Johnston	Jean Lahrman	
Felix Smith	Dawn Littles-El	
Jean Brillinger	Ed McClure	
Larry & Sandy Stewart	Kurt & Teresa Mundinger	
Chelsea Shaw & family	Cynthia Ridley	
Kim Wieting	Heidi Sias	

Look upon them with the eyes of Your mercy; grant them comfort and sure confidence in You; defend them from all danger, and keep them in perpetual peace and safety, through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Morning or Evening Prayer from the Catechism

(Morning) I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

(Evening) I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands, I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Memory Work

The Catechism: The Apostle's Creed

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn of the Week :

We Praise You, Jesus, At Your Birth (LSB 382, st. 7)

All this for us our God has done
Granting love through His own Son.
Therefore, all Christendom, rejoice
And sing His praise with endless voice.
Alleluia!

Memory Verse for the Week

For this week: Therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written,
The just shall live by faith. *Romans 1:17*