

The Congregation at Prayer

A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer

For the week of Reminiscere--The Second Sunday in Lent

March 5 - March 11, 2023

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 25

Recite Memory Work (see back page)

Daily Readings

Sunday, March 5 - Matthew 15:21-28

Monday, March 6 - John 8:21-29

Tuesday, March 7 - Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday, March 8 - Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday, March 9 - John 5:30-47

Friday, March 10 - Matthew 21:33b-46

Saturday, March 11 - Luke 15:11-32

Prayers

Let us pray. O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; 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	Dawn Smith	er
The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod	Mark Crouch	Cynthia Ridley
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(The Revd) Bishop Jamison Hardy	Linda Church	Dale Steinke
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(The Revd) Lawrence Rast	Milo Osbun	Dick Tagtmeyer
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Dale Boenker	Amanda Shemwell	Jane Casey
Judy Carter	Kelly Oliver	Nathaniel Pullmann
Priscilla Brewer	Hope Matter	Spencer Warehime
Earl Elowsky	Kelly Klumpp	
Alisha Grant	Brittney Petersen	
Emma Kranz	Amelia Laws	
Juanita Hahn	Sarah Hill	
Warren Messman	Steve & Lucy Blakey	
Emily Walts	Hilda Blasing	
Neeley Owen	Angie Crouch	
Eric Adkins	Maureen DeLassus	
	Jean Dray	
	Rev. Winston Grieser	
	Madeleine & David	
	Herman	
	Russel Kaufman	
	Dawn Littles-El	
	Ed McClure	
	Kurt & Teresa Munding-	

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 - Sacrament of the Altar

Where is this written?

The holy Evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke, and St. Paul write:

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Hymn of the Week *Lord Jesus Christ, with Us Abide* Stanza 9 (TLH 292)

Oh, grant that in Thy holy Word
We hear may live and die, dear Lord;
And when our journey endeth here,
Receive us into glory there.

Memory Verse for the Week

For this week: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. *Psalms 23: 1-2*

For next week: Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel. *Isaiah 7:14.*