At Home In The Word

"Joy in Jesus' Name"

Week Of May 16-22, 2022 Zion Lutheran Church, El Paso, Texas

Repetition yields memorization, contemplation, and deeper understanding. Draw from these scriptures, prayers, catechetical materials, and hymn(s) throughout your week of personal and family devotion, prayer, or homeschool family instruction. Then let them resonate in new ways as we all gather together in worship on Sunday.

MEMORY VERSE John 16:24

"Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full."

MEMORY PSALM Psalm 67:1–2

¹May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, ²that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.

CATECHISM

The Lord's Prayer, The First Petition

"Hallowed be Thy name."

What does this mean? God's name is certainly holy in itself, but we pray in this petition that it may be kept holy among us also.

How is God's name kept holy? God's name is kept holy when the Word of God is taught in its truth and purity, and we, as the children of God, also lead holy lives according to it. Help us to do this, dear Father in heaven! But anyone who teaches or lives contrary to God's Word profanes the name of God among us. Protect us from this, heavenly Father!

FIRST LESSON EPISTLE LESSON GOSPEL LESSON (Paul and Luke stay with Lydia after her Baptism.) Acts 16:9–15 (Nothing unclean will ever enter the heavenly Jerusalem.) Revelation 21:9–14, 21–27 (Because of Christ's victory, we can pray directly to our Father in heaven.) John 16:23–33

PRAYER

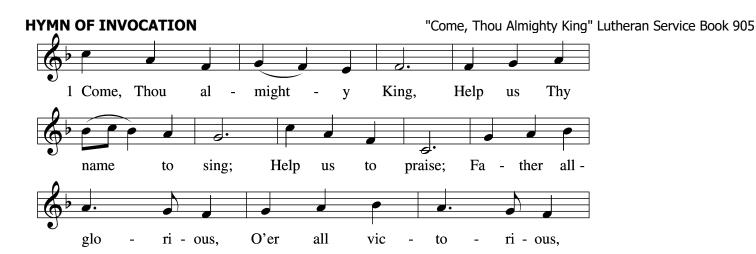
O God, the giver of all that is good, by Your holy inspiration grant that we may think those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding accomplish them.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

MORNING PRAYER (Martin Luther)

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.



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O ever be our guide, Our shepherd, and our pride, Our staff and song. Jesus, O Christ of God, By Your enduring Word Lead us where You have trod; Make our faith strong.

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ADDITIONAL HYMNS

"Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won" LSB 490
"We Praise You, O God" v.1-2 LSB 785
""God Bless Our Native Land" LSB 965