

# At Home In The Word

## “Free to Love Our Neighbors”

Week Of July 4-10, 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

Leviticus 19:18

"You shall love your neighbor as yourself"

### MEMORY PSALM

Psalms 136:1-2

<sup>1</sup>Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

<sup>2</sup>Give thanks to the God of gods, for his steadfast love endures forever.

### CATECHISM

Commandments 5, 7, & 9

"You shall not murder." *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not hurt or harm our neighbor in his body, but help and support him in every physical need.

"You shall not steal." *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not take our neighbor's money or possessions, or get them in any dishonest way, but help him to improve and protect his possessions and income.

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house." *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not scheme to get our neighbor's inheritance or house, or get it in a way which only appears right, but help and be of service to him in keeping it.

### OLD TESTAMENT

(No longer slaves in Egypt, God's people will love like this) Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18

### EPISTLE

(We live by faith in Christ Jesus; love for all the saints.) Colossians 1:1-14

### HOLY GOSPEL

(The good Samaritan shows love for his neighbor.) Luke 10:25-37

### PRAYERS

Lord Jesus Christ, in Your deep compassion, rescue us from those things that hurt us. Teach us to love You above all things and to love our neighbors as ourselves.

Faithful God, whose mercies are new to us every morning, we humbly pray that You would look upon us in mercy and renew us by Your Holy Spirit. Keep safe our going out and our coming in, and let Your blessing remain with us throughout this day. Preserve us in Your righteousness, and grant us a portion in that eternal life which is in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

### 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.

### LUTHER'S MORNING PRAYER

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.

**HYMNS**

"When Israel Was in Egypt's Land" One and All Rejoice (OAR) 345



1 When Is - rael was in E - gypt's land, Let My peo - ple go;  
 4 As Is - rael stood by the wa - ter - side, Let My peo - ple go;  
 6 Oh, let us all from bond - age flee, Let My peo - ple go;



Op - pressed so hard they could not stand, Let My peo - ple go.  
 At God's com - mand it did di - vide, Let My peo - ple go.  
 And let us all in Christ be free, Let My peo - ple go.



Go down, Mo - ses, way down in E - gypt's land,



Tell old Pha - raoh: Let My peo - ple go.

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"Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us" v. 4 LSB 851



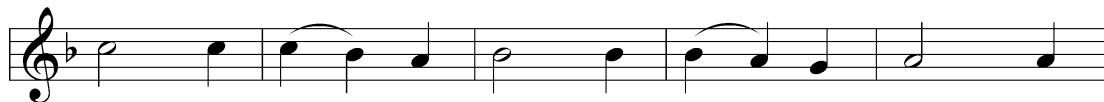
4 Lord of glo - ry, You have bought us With Your



life - blood as the price, Nev - er grudg - ing for the



lost ones That tre - men - dous sac - ri - fice.



Give us faith to trust You bold - ly, Hope, to



stay our souls on You; But, oh, best of



all Your grac - es, With Your love our love re - new.

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**ADDITIONAL HYMNS** "When I Behold Jesus Christ" Lutheran Service Book 542; "May the Peace of God" OAR 330

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