# At Home In The Word

# "Jesus King of Kings"

Week Of January 2-8, 2023 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: Isaiah 60:1

"Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you."

MEMORY PSALM Psalm 72:11–14

- <sup>11</sup>May all kings fall down before him, all nations serve him!
- <sup>12</sup>For he delivers the needy when he calls, the poor and him who has no helper.
- <sup>13</sup>He has pity on the weak and the needy, and saves the lives of the needy.
- <sup>14</sup>From oppression and violence he redeems their life, and precious is their blood in his sight.

CATECHISM Ten Commandments: 1, 2 & 3

"You shall have no other gods." What does this mean? We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things.

"You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God." *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks.

"Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy." What does this mean? We should fear and love God so that we do not despise preaching and His Word, but hold it sacred and gladly hear and learn it.

OLD TESTAMENT EPISTLE GOSPEL (The Lord promises to visit His people as light, attracting other nations to His glory.) Isaiah 60:1–6 (Paul rejoices in his calling to preach to the Gentiles.) Ephesians 3:1–12

(The Magi are examples for our lives of faith.) Matthew 2:1–12

#### **PRAYERS**

O God, You led the Magi to see in the star the news of Christ's birth. We give thanks that You have enabled us to see Him as our Savior.

Grant us strength of faith to follow Jesus where He leads and to worship Him with all that we are and have

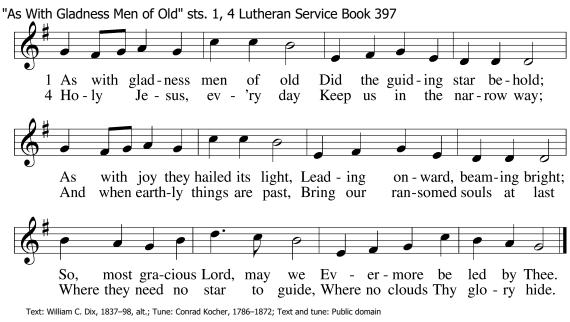
## **LORD'S PRAYER**

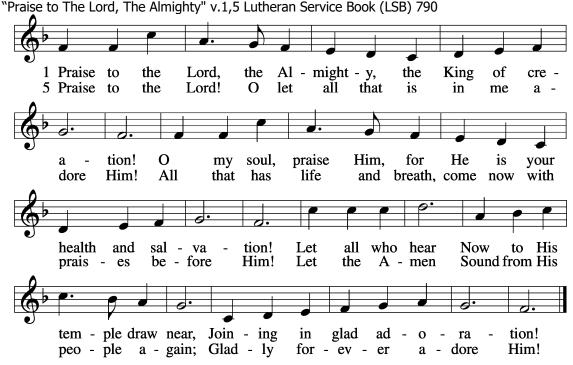
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the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

## **HYMNS**





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<sup>&</sup>quot;Through Desert and Mountain" One and All Rejoice (OAR) 189

<sup>&</sup>quot;I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" sts. 1, ref LSB 411

<sup>&</sup>quot;Rise, Shine, You People" LSB 825