

Our Congregation at Prayer

✠ *For the Week of the Second Sunday after the Epiphany* ✠

- L** In the name of the FATHER and of the ✠ SON and of the HOLY SPIRIT.
- C** **Amen.** *Matthew 28:19*
- L** O ✠ Lord, open my lips,
- C** **and my mouth will declare Your praise.** *Psalm 51:15*
- L** Make haste, O God, to ✠ deliver me;
- C** **make hast to help me, O Lord.** *Psalm 70:1*
- C** **Glory be to the FATHER and to the ✠ SON and to the HOLY SPIRIT;**
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Apostles' Creed *(inside back cover of LSB)*

Psalmody *(suggested Psalm or use chart in LSB, p. 304)*

Hymn

Learn-by-heart Scripture

Readings from Holy Scripture

- L** O Lord, have mercy on us.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Learn-by-heart Catechism

- C** 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.

Prayer of the Week

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.

Evening Prayer

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.

- L** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** **Thanks be to God.** [*Psalm 103:1*]

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A Guide for Daily Family Prayer – Epiphany 2 – January 19th – 25th

Learn-By-Heart Scripture... *Colossians 2:8-9*

See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily

Learn-By-Heart Catechism... *Table of Duties*

Certain passages of Scripture for various holy orders and positions, admonishing them about their duties and responsibilities

What the Hearers Owe Their Pastors

The Lord has commanded that those who preach the gospel should receive their living from the gospel. 1 Cor. 9:14

Anyone who receives instruction in the word must share all good things with his instructor. Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Gal. 6:6-7

The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor, especially those whose work is preaching and teaching. For the Scripture says, “Do not muzzle the ox while it is treading out the grain,” and “The worker deserves his wages.” 1 Tim. 5:17-18

Daily Readings...

<i>Sun (Epiphany 2)</i>	<i>Ezekiel 44:1-16, 23-29</i>	<i>Romans 9:1-18</i>
<i>Mon</i>	<i>Ezekiel 47:1-14, 21-23</i>	<i>Romans 9:19-33</i>
<i>Tues</i>	<i>Joel 1:1-20</i>	<i>Romans 10:1-21</i>
<i>Wed</i>	<i>Joel 2:1-17</i>	<i>Romans 11:1-24</i>
<i>Thurs</i>	<i>Joel 2:18-32</i>	<i>Romans 11:25 – 12:13</i>
<i>Fri</i>	<i>Joel 3:1-21</i>	<i>Romans 12:14 – 13:14</i>
<i>Sat</i>	<i>Zechariah 1:1-21</i>	<i>Romans 14:1-23</i>
<i>Sun (Epiphany 3)</i>	<i>Zechariah 2:1 – 3:10</i>	<i>Romans 15:1-13</i>

Prayer of the Week...

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.

Psalm of the Week... *Psalm 111*

Hymn of the Week... *“The Only Son from Heaven”* *LSB 402*

Looking forward to Next Week...

~ Third Sunday after Epiphany ~
2 Kings 5:1-15b Romans 12:16b-21 St. Matthew 8:1-13