

Congregation at Prayer
 ✠ **First Sunday in Advent** ✠

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 haste 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.
 Praise to You, O Christ, Alleluia.

Psalm(s)

Hymn

Learn-By-Heart Scripture

Additional Readings from Holy Scripture

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

Learn-By-Heart Catechism

C Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy. *Mark 10:47*
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. *Matthew 6:9-13*

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]*
L The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion
 of the Holy Spirit be with us all.
C Amen. *2 Corinthians 13:14*

Behold, Your King Comes to You!

A Guide for Daily Family Prayer

For the Week of November 28th to December 4th

Learn-By-Heart Scripture...

Zechariah 9:9

“Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!
 Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he,
 humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.”

Learn-By-Heart Catechism...

The Creed

The Second Article- Redemption

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.

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity,
 and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord,
 who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won
 me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil;
 not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood
 and with His innocent suffering and death,
 that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom
 and serve him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness,
 Just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity.
 This is most certainly true.

Daily Readings...

Monday (11/28): Isaiah 2:1-22; 1 Peter 1:13-25
Tuesday (11/29): Isaiah 5:1-25; 1 Peter 2:1-12
Wednesday (11/30): Isaiah 6:1-7:9; 1 Peter 2:13-25
Thursday (12/1): Isaiah 7:10-8:8; 1 Peter 3:1-22
Friday (12/2): Isaiah 8:9-9:7; 1 Peter 4:1-19
Saturday (12/3): Isaiah 9:8-10:11; 1 Peter 5:1-14
Sunday (12/4): Isaiah 10:12-27a, 33-34; 2 Peter 1:1-21

Prayer of the Week...

Stir up Your power, O Lord, and come, that by Your protection we may be
 rescued from the threatening perils of our sins and saved by Your mighty
 deliverance; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one
 God, now and forever. Amen.

Psalm of the Week...

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Hymn of the Week... “Savior of the Nations, Come”

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Looking Forward to Next Week...

~Second Sunday in Advent~

Malachi 4:1-6

Romans 15:4-13

Luke 21:25-36