

THE HOUSEHOLD AT PRAYER

1. *The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

2. *Say or sing the following verses:*

O Lord, o- | pen my lips, *

and my mouth will de- | clare Your praise. [Psalm 51:15]

Make haste, O God, to de- | liver me, *

Make haste to help me, | O Lord. [Psalm 70:1]

**Glory be to the Father, and | to the Son, * and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning, * is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

Praise to You, O Christ. Alleluia!

3. Sing or speak the appointed psalm & antiphon, or the hymn (see other side).

Antiphon: Blessed be God, the Father, | the Son | and the Holy Spirit.*

O Come, let us | worship Him!

4. Read aloud the appointed scripture reading and devotion (see other side).

5. The Head of Household may give instruction on the scripture reading.

(Basic “what-is-this” “what did it say” “what-does-this-mean” Q & A for youth;
bring any difficult or curiosity questions to Pastor.)

6. Recite or quiz one another on part of the Catechism (see other side).

7. The Apostles’ Creed may be confessed together, or the hymn may be sung.

8. Pray the Lord’s Prayer & the collect from the bulletin, prayers for others and ourselves, and the following:

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.

9. Say or sing the following, then go joyfully to your work or to rest:

Let us | bless the Lord. * [Psalm 103:1]

Thanks | be to God.



VERSE: The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork.

Psalm 19:1

CATECHISM: P *What is the First Article of the Apostles' Creed?*

K-8+ I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

P *What does this mean?*

2-8+ I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.

2-8+ He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.

HYMN OF THE WEEK: **LSB 555** 1-10 Salvation Unto Us Has Come

*1 Salvation unto us has come
By God's free grace and favor;
Good works cannot avert our doom,
They help and save us never.
Faith looks to Jesus Christ alone,
Who did for all the world atone;
He is our one Redeemer.*

*2 What God did in His Law demand
And none to Him could render
Caused wrath and woe on ev'ry hand
For man, the vile offender.
Our flesh has not those pure desires
The spirit of the Law requires,
And lost is our condition.*

ADDITIONAL HYMNS: **LSB 518** 1, 25, 3 By All Your Saints in Warfare (Monday Only)

LSB 758 1-2 The Will of God Is Always Best

LSB 582 God's Word Is Our Great Heritage

CANTICLES: **LSB 184** DS 3 Kyrie/Gloria, Offertory

LSB 219 Matins

LSB 940 Holy God, We Praise Your Name

DAILY READINGS:

SUN: Pentecost 17 Matthew 20:1-16 Laborers In the Vineyard

MON: **Saint Matthew, Evangelist and Apostle*** Matthew 9:9-13 Matthew the Tax Collector

TUE: Matthew 11:2-19 John the Baptist Sends Disciples to Jesus

WED: Matthew 11:20-30 Jesus Preaches Repentance and Faith

THU: Matthew 12:15-21 Behold, the Father's Beloved Servant

FRI: Matthew 12:22-32 A House Divided Cannot Stand

SAT: Ezekiel 18:1-4 The Soul Who Sins Shall Die

*<https://allthehousehold.com/st-Matthew>

