Congregation at Prayer
✢ Last Sunday of the Church Year ✢

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*
Praise to You, O Christ, Lamb of our salvation.
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*

Coming Like a Thief in the Night
A Guide for Daily Family Prayer
For the Week of November 23rd ~ November 29th

Psalm of the Week... **Psalm 149 Tone A**

Hymn of the Week... *"Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying"* *516*

Learn-By-Heart Scripture... ***1 Thessalonians 5:2***

"For you yourselves are fully aware that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night."

Daily Readings...

Monday (11/23): Daniel 3:1-30; Revelation 20:1-15
Tuesday (11/24): Daniel 4:1-37; Revelation 21:1-8
Wednesday (11/25): Daniel 5:1-30; Revelation 21:9-27
Thursday (11/26): Daniel 6:1-28; Revelation 22:1-21
Friday (11/27): Isaiah 1:1-28; 1 Peter 1:1-12
Saturday (11/28): Isaiah 2:1-22; 1 Peter 1:13-25
Sunday (11/29): Isaiah 5:1-25; 1 Peter 2:1-12

Learn-By-Heart Catechism... ***The Sacrament of Holy Baptism, LSB 325***

AS THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY SHOULD TEACH IT IN A SIMPLE WAY TO HIS HOUSEHOLD.

First

What is Baptism?

Baptism is not just plain water, but it is the water included in God's command and combined with God's word.

Which is that word of God?

Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew: "Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." *Matthew 28:19*

Prayer of the Week...

Lord God, heavenly Father, send forth Your Son, we pray, to lead home His bride, the Church, that with all the company of the redeemed we may finally enter into His eternal wedding feast; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Looking Forward to Next Week...

~ Thanksgiving Eve ~
Deuteronomy 8:1-10 Psalm 6 Philippians 4:6-20 Luke 17:11-19

~ First Sunday in Advent ~
Jeremiah 23:5–8 Psalm 24 Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 21:1-9