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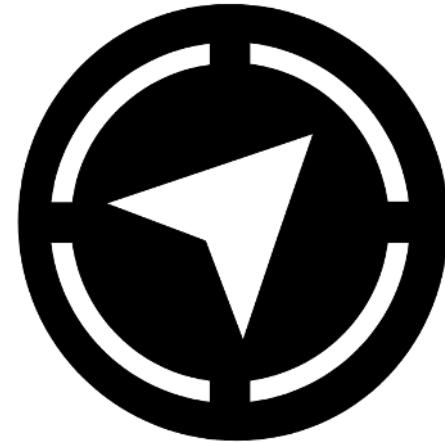
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# The Daily Office Booklet

*Daily Morning & Evening Prayer  
according to the Book of Common Prayer (2019)*



## January – April 2025

## **How to use this booklet:**

Join believers worldwide and throughout history by beginning and ending each day with Bible reading and prayer.

- Take out this booklet and a Bible.
- Pray and read the Scriptures; take your time and trust that God will work in it, even if you don't feel like it.
- If possible, pray and read with others. Sections marked with an asterisk are for a leader to read; otherwise, read in unison. If praying alone, replace "we" with "I" throughout the prayers.

## **Regarding the scripture lessons:**

- If you want, you can use this lectionary in a two-year cycle.
- Odd years: Use Morning Prayer readings (or split between Morning and Evening).
- Even years: Use Evening Prayer readings.
- Apocrypha readings are in italics and can be replaced if you wish.
- The † symbol, when it appears in the lectionary, indicates a way to shorten that reading if desired.

## **Rushed for time? Do the underlined headings.**

- Confess your sins
- Ask for pardon and peace
- Read today's lessons
- Recite the Apostles' Creed
- Pray the Lord's Prayer
- Pray today's collect
- Pray the Grace

## **Give Thanks to God (The General Thanksgiving):**

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made.

We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. **Amen.**

## **\* Ask God to Answer Your Prayers (A Prayer of St. John Chrysostom):**

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time, with one accord to make our common supplications to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will grant their requests:

Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

## **\* Conclusion (The Grace):**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

## In the EVENING:

O God and Father of all, whom the whole heavens adore: Let the whole earth also worship you, all nations obey you, all tongues confess and bless you, and men, women, and children everywhere love you and serve you in peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for your love's sake. **Amen.**

O God, you manifest in your servants the signs of your presence: Send forth upon us the Spirit of love, that in companionship with one another your abounding grace may increase among us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## Offer Petitions, Intercessions, & Thanksgivings:

- Petitions: Requests for Yourself
- Intercessions: Requests for Others
  - For the Church, both Global and Local
  - For the World
  - For the Nation & Government
  - For Nature/Creation
  - For Society, esp. the Oppressed & Suffering
  - For Family
  - For Friends
  - For Enemies
- Thanksgivings: Gratitude to God

## Regarding the Psalter:

A 60-day rotation of Psalms is included with the other readings. If you'd like to read through the Psalms every month, use the following:

DATE	MORNING PRAYER	EVENING PRAYER
1	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 7, 8
2	9, 10, 11	12, 13, 14
3	15, 16, 17	18
4	19, 20, 21	22, 23
5	24, 25, 26	27, 28, 29
6	30, 31	32, 33, 34
7	35, 36	37
8	38, 39, 40	41, 42, 43
9	44, 45, 46	47, 48, 49
10	50, 51, 52	53, 54, 55
11	56, 57, 58	59, 60, 61
12	62, 63, 64	65, 66, 67
13	68	69, 70
14	71, 72	73, 74
15	75, 76, 77	78
16	79, 80, 81	82, 83, 84, 85
17	86, 87, 88	89
18	90, 91, 92	93, 94
19	95, 96, 97	98, 99, 100, 101
20	102, 103	104
21	105	106
22	107	108, 109
23	110, 111, 112, 113	114, 115
24	116, 117, 118	119:1-32
25	119:33-72	119:73-104
26	119:105-144	119:145-176
27	120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125	126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131
28	132, 133, 134, 135	136, 137, 138
29	139, 140	141, 142, 143
30	144, 145, 146	147, 148, 149, 150
<i>If there is a 31st day of the month, psalms are chosen from among the Psalms of Ascent (Psalms 120 to 134).</i>		

\* Sections marked with an asterisk are to be said/read by a leader.  
Otherwise, say the texts in unison.

\* **To begin, meditate on one of these verses:**

**In the MORNING:**

- Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. *Philippians 1:2*
- I was glad when they said unto me, “We will go into the house of the LORD.” *Psalms 122:1*
- Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be always acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer. *Psalms 19:14*

**In the EVENING:**

- Jesus spoke to them, saying, “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” *John 8:12*
- LORD, I have loved the habitation of your house and the place where your honor dwells. *Psalms 26:8*
- Let my prayer be set forth in your sight as incense, and let the lifting up of my hands be an evening sacrifice. *Psalms 141:2*

**Pray one of the following Collects for Mission:**

**In the MORNING:**

Almighty and everlasting God, who alone works great marvels: Send down upon our clergy and the congregations committed to their charge the life-giving Spirit of your grace, shower them with the continual dew of your blessing, and ignite in them a zealous love of your Gospel; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Lord Jesus Christ, you stretched out your arms of love on the hard wood of the Cross that everyone might come within the reach of your saving embrace: So clothe us in your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know you to the knowledge and love of you; for the honor of your Name. **Amen.**

\*Collects for Peace, Grace, and Protection

**\*In the MORNING, pray for peace and grace:**

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to the beginning of this day: Defend us by your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin nor run into any danger; and that guided by your Spirit, we may do what is righteous in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**\*In the EVENING, pray for peace and protection:**

O God, the source of all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works: Give to your servants that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments, and that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may pass our time in rest and quietness, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

Lighten our darkness, we beseech you, O Lord; and by your great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of your only Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

**Confess your sins:**

Almighty and most merciful Father,  
we have erred and strayed from your ways  
like lost sheep.

We have followed too much  
the devices and desires of our own hearts.

We have offended against your holy laws.

We have left undone those things  
which we ought to have done,  
and we have done those things  
which we ought not to have done;

and apart from your grace, there is no health in us.

O Lord, have mercy upon us.

Spare all those who confess their faults.

Restore all those who are penitent,  
according to your promises  
declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord;

And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,  
that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life,  
to the glory of your holy Name. **Amen.**

**\*Ask for pardon & peace:**

Grant to your faithful people, merciful Lord,  
pardon and peace;

that we may be cleansed from all our sins,  
and serve you with a quiet mind;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**In the MORNING, recite the Venite (Ps. 95:1-7):**

O come, let us sing unto the Lord; \*

let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving \*

and show ourselves glad in him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God \*

and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are all the depths of the earth, \*

and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, \*

and his hands prepared the dry land.

O come, let us worship and fall down, \*

and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God, \*

and we are the people of his pasture,

and the sheep of his hand.

*(The following verses, 8-11, should be added in Lent.)*

Today, if you will hear his voice, harden not your hearts \*

as in the provocation, and as in the day of temptation in the wilderness,

When your fathers tested me, \*

and put me to the proof, though they had seen my works.

Forty years long was I grieved with this generation, and said, \*

“It is a people that err in their hearts,

for they have not known my ways,”

Of whom I swore in my wrath \*

that they should not enter into my rest.

**Holy Saturday (April 19)**

O God, Creator of heaven and earth: Grant that, as the crucified body of your dear Son was laid in the tomb and rested on this holy Sabbath, so we may await with him the coming of the third day, and rise with him to newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Easter Sunday (April 20)**

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may, by your life-giving Spirit, be delivered from sin and raised from death; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Second Sunday of Easter (April 27)**

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**St. Mark the Evangelist (April 28)**

Almighty God, by the hand of Mark the evangelist you have given to your Church the Gospel of Jesus Christ: We thank you for his witness, and pray that you will give us grace to know the truth, and not to be carried about by every wind of false doctrine, that we may know Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Tuesday of Holy Week (April 15)**

O Lord our God, whose blessed Son gave his back to be whipped and did not hide his face from shame and spitting: Give us grace to accept joyfully the sufferings of the present time, confident of the glory that shall be revealed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Wednesday of Holy Week (April 16)**

Assist us mercifully with your grace, Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the meditation of those mighty acts by which you have promised us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Maundy Thursday (April 17)**

Almighty Father, whose most dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it in thankful remembrance of Jesus Christ our Savior, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Good Friday (April 18)**

Almighty God, we beseech you graciously to behold this your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed and given into the hands of sinners, and to suffer death upon the Cross; who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**In the EVENING, recite the *Phos hilaron*:**

O gladsome light,  
pure brightness of the everliving Father in heaven, \*  
O Jesus Christ, holy and blessed!  
Now as we come to the setting of the sun,  
and our eyes behold the vesper light, \*  
we sing your praises, O God:  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
You are worthy at all times to be praised by happy voices, \*  
O Son of God, O Giver of Life,  
and to be glorified through all the worlds.

**\*Read Today's Lessons**

JANUARY

MORNING PRAYER			60 DAY PSALTER—MP
DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON	
1 <i>Circ. &amp; Name</i>	Gen 1	John 1:1-28	1, 2
2	Gen 2	John 1:29- <i>end</i>	5, 6
3	Gen 3	John 2	9
4	Gen 4	John 3:1-21	8, 11
5	Gen 5	John 3:22- <i>end</i>	12, 13, 14
6 <i>Epiphany</i>	Gen 6	Matt 2:1-12	96, 97
7	Gen 7	John 4:1-26	18:1-20 <sup>v</sup>
8	Gen 8	John 4:27- <i>end</i>	19
9	Gen 9	John 5:1-24	22
10	Gen 10 † 1-9, 15-22, 30-32	John 5:25- <i>end</i>	25
11	Gen 11 † 1-9, 27-32	John 6:1-21	26, 28
12	Gen 12	John 6:22-40	29, 30
13	Gen 13	John 6:41- <i>end</i>	34
14	Gen 14	John 7:1-24	32, 36
15	Gen 15	John 7:25-52	37:1-17 <sup>v</sup>
16	Gen 16	John 7:53—8:30	40
17	Gen 17	John 8:31- <i>end</i>	42, 43
18 <i>Conf. Peter</i>	Gen 18	Matt 16:13-20	45
19	Gen 19 † 1-29	John 9	47, 48
20	Gen 20	John 10:1-21	50
21	Gen 21 † 1-21	John 10:22- <i>end</i>	52, 53, 54
22	Gen 22	John 11:1-44	56, 57
23	Gen 23	John 11:45- <i>end</i>	59
24	Gen 24 † 1-28, 53-58	John 12:1-19	61, 62
25 <i>Conv. Paul</i>	Acts 9:1-22	John 12:20- <i>end</i>	68:1-18
26	Gen 25 † 7-11, 19-34	John 13	69:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
27	Gen 26 † 1-25	John 14:1-14	66
28	Gen 27 † 1-13, 18-36, 39-40	John 14:15- <i>end</i>	71
29	Gen 28	John 15:1-17	74
30	Gen 29 † 1-28	John 15:18- <i>end</i>	75, 76
31	Gen 30 † 1-2, 22-43	John 16:1-15	78:1-18 <sup>v</sup>

† *Optional abbreviation*

and his obedience to your commands; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Fourth Sunday in Lent (Laetare Sunday) (March 30)**

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Fifth Sunday in Lent: Passion Sunday (April 6)**

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**Palm Sunday (April 13)**

Almighty and everlasting God, in your tender love for us you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon himself our nature, and to suffer death upon the Cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and come to share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Monday of Holy Week (April 14)**

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the Cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through



Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Second Sunday in Lent (March 16)**

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities that may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**St. Joseph, Husband of the Virgin Mary and Guardian of Jesus (March 19)**

O God, who from the family of your servant David raised up Joseph to be the guardian of your incarnate Son and the husband of his virgin mother: Give us grace to imitate his uprightness of life and his obedience to your commands; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Third Sunday in Lent (March 23)**

Heavenly Father, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you: Look with compassion upon the heartfelt desires of your servants, and purify our disordered affections, that we may behold your eternal glory in the face of Christ Jesus; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Annunciation of our Lord Jesus Christ to the Virgin Mary (March 25)**

O God, who from the family of your servant David raised up Joseph to be the guardian of your incarnate Son and the husband of his virgin mother: Give us grace to imitate his uprightness of life

**\*Read Today's Lessons**

JANUARY

60 DAY PSALTER-EP	EVENING PRAYER		
	DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON
3, 4	<b>1</b> <i>Circ. &amp; Name</i>	Gal 1	Luke 2:8-21
7	<b>2</b>	Jer 1	Gal 2
10	<b>3</b>	Jer 2 † 1-22	Gal 3
15, 16	<b>4</b>	Jer 3	Gal 4
17	<b>5</b>	Jer 4	Gal 5
67, 72	<b>6</b> <i>Epiphany</i>	Jer 5	John 2:1-12
18:21-52 <sup>v</sup>	<b>7</b>	Jer 6	Gal 6
20, 21	<b>8</b>	Jer 7 † 1-28,34	1 Thess 1
23, 24	<b>9</b>	Jer 8	1 Thess 2:1-16
27	<b>10</b>	Jer 9	1 Thess 2:17-3 <i>end</i>
31	<b>11</b>	Jer 10	1 Thess 4:1-12
33	<b>12</b>	Jer 11	1 Thess 4:13-5:11
35	<b>13</b>	Jer 12	1 Thess 5:12- <i>end</i>
38	<b>14</b>	Jer 13	2 Thess 1
37:18-41 <sup>v</sup>	<b>15</b>	Jer 14	2 Thess 2
39, 41	<b>16</b>	Jer 15	2 Thess 3
44	<b>17</b>	Jer 16	1 Cor 1:1-25
46	<b>18</b> <i>Conf. Peter</i>	Jer 17	1 Cor 1:26-2 <i>end</i>
49	<b>19</b>	Jer 18	1 Cor 3
51	<b>20</b>	Jer 19	1 Cor 4:1-17
55	<b>21</b>	Jer 20	1 Cor 4:18-5 <i>end</i>
58, 60	<b>22</b>	Jer 21	1 Cor 6
63, 64	<b>23</b>	Jer 22	1 Cor 7
65, 67	<b>24</b>	Jer 23 † 1-9,16-18,21-40	1 Cor 8
68:19-36	<b>25</b> <i>Conv. Paul</i>	Jer 24	1 Cor 9
69:19-37 <sup>v</sup>	<b>26</b>	Jer 25 † 1-19,26-31	1 Cor 10
70, 72	<b>27</b>	Jer 26	1 Cor 11
73	<b>28</b>	Jer 27	1 Cor 12
77	<b>29</b>	Jer 28	1 Cor 13
79, 82	<b>30</b>	Jer 29 † 1-14,24-32	1 Cor 14:1-19
78:19-40 <sup>v</sup>	<b>31</b>	Jer 30	1 Cor 14:20- <i>end</i>

† *Optional abbreviation*

**\*Read Today's Lessons**

FEBRUARY

MORNING PRAYER			60 DAY PSALTER—MP
DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON	
1	Gen 31 † 1-3,17-45	John 16:16- <i>end</i>	78:41-73 <sup>v</sup>
2 <i>Presentation</i>	Gen 32 † 1-13,21-32	Luke 2:22-40	24, 81
3	Gen 33	John 17	83
4	Gen 34	John 18:1-27	86, 87
5	Gen 35	John 18:28- <i>end</i>	89:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
6	Gen 36 † 1-8	John 19:1-37	90
7	Gen 37 † 3-8,12-36	John 19:38- <i>end</i>	92, 93
8	Gen 38 † 1-26	John 20	95, 96
9	Gen 39	John 21	99, 100, 101
10	Gen 40	Matt 1:1-17	103
11	Gen 41 † 1-15,25-40	Matt 1:18- <i>end</i>	105:1-22 <sup>v</sup>
12	Gen 42 † 1-28	Matt 2	106:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
13	Gen 43 † 1-10,15-34	Matt 3	107:1-22
14	Gen 44 † 1-20,30-34	Matt 4	108, 110
15	Gen 45	Matt 5:1-20	111, 112
16	Gen 46 † 1-7,28-34	Matt 5:21-48	115
17	Gen 47 † 1-15,23-31	Matt 6:1-18	119:1-24
18	Gen 48	Matt 6:19- <i>end</i>	119:49-72
19	Gen 49	Matt 7	119:89-104
20	Gen 50	Matt 8:1-17	119:129-152
21	Exod 1	Matt 8:18- <i>end</i>	118
22	Exod 2	Matt 9:1-17	122, 123
23	Exod 3	Matt 9:18-34	127, 128
24 <i>Matthias</i>	Acts 1:15-26	Matt 9:35—10:23	132, 133
25	Exod 4	Matt 10:24- <i>end</i>	136
26	Exod 5	Matt 11	139
27	Exod 6 † 1-13	Matt 12:1-21	140
28	Exod 7	Matt 12:22- <i>end</i>	144

+ *Optional abbreviation*

**St. Matthias the Apostle (February 24)**

Almighty God, who in the place of Judas chose your faithful servant Matthias to be numbered among the Twelve: Grant that your Church, being delivered from false apostles, may always be guided and governed by faithful and true pastors; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Last Sunday of Epiphany:**

**Transfiguration/Quinquagesima (March 2)**

O God, who before the passion of your only-begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Ash Wednesday (March 5)**

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing you have made, and you forgive the sins of all who are penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The First Sunday in Lent (March 9)**

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan: Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations, and, as you know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your

stand upright: Grant that your strength and protection may support us in all dangers and carry us through every temptation; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Presentation of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Temple: Candlemas (February 3)**

Almighty and everliving God, we humbly pray that, as your only-begotten Son was this day presented in the temple in the substance of our flesh, so we may be presented to you with pure and clean hearts by Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Fifth Sunday of Epiphany (February 9)**

O Lord, our heavenly Father, keep your household the Church continually in your true religion, that we who trust in the hope of your heavenly grace may always be defended by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Sixth Sunday of Epiphany: Septuagesima (February 16)**

Almighty God, look mercifully upon your people, that by your great goodness they may be governed and preserved evermore; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Second to Last Sunday of Epiphany: World Mission Sunday/Sexagesima (February 23)**

Almighty God, through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, you revealed the way of eternal life to every race and nation: Pour out this gift anew, that by the preaching of the Gospel your salvation may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**\*Read Today's Lessons**

FEBRUARY

60 DAY PSALTER-EP	EVENING PRAYER		
	DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON
80	1	Jer 31 † 1-17,27-37	1 Cor 15:1-34
84	2 <i>Presentation</i>	Jer 32 † 1-15,36-44	1 Cor 15:35- <i>end</i>
85	3	Jer 33	1 Cor 16
88	4	Jer 34	2 Cor 1:1-2:11
89:19-51 <sup>v</sup>	5	Jer 35	2 Cor 2:12-3 <i>end</i>
91	6	Jer 36 † 1-10,19-32	2 Cor 4
94	7	Jer 37	2 Cor 5
97, 98	8	Jer 38	2 Cor 6
102	9	Jer 39	2 Cor 7
104	10	Jer 40	2 Cor 8
105:23-44 <sup>v</sup>	11	Jer 41	2 Cor 9
106:19-46 <sup>v</sup>	12	Jer 42	2 Cor 10
107:23-43	13	Jer 43	2 Cor 11
109	14	Jer 44 † 1-19,24-30	2 Cor 12:1-13
113, 114	15	Jer 45	2 Cor 12:14-13 <i>end</i>
116, 117	16	Jer 46	Rom 1
119:25-48	17	Jer 47	Rom 2
119:73-88	18	Jer 48 † 1-20,40-47	Rom 3
119:105-128	19	Jer 49 † 1-13,23-39	Rom 4
119:153-176	20	Jer 50 † 1-20,33-40	Rom 5
120, 121	21	Jer 51 † 6-10,45-64	Rom 6
124, 125, 126	22	Jer 52 † 1-27,31-34	Rom 7
129, 130, 131	23	<i>Baruch</i> 4 † 5-13,21-37	Rom 8:1-17
134, 135	24 <i>Matthias</i>	<i>Baruch</i> 5	Rom 8:18- <i>end</i>
137, 138	25	Lam 1 † 1-12,17-22	Rom 9
141, 142	26	Lam 2 † 1-18	Rom 10
143	27	Lam 3 † 1-9,19-33,52-66	Rom 11
145	28	Lam 4	Rom 12

+ *Optional abbreviation*

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### MARCH

MORNING PRAYER			60 DAY PSALTER—MP
DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON	
1	Exod 8	Matt 13:1-23	146
2	Exod 9 † 1-29,33-34	Matt 13:24-43	148
3	Exod 10	Matt 13:44-end	1, 2
4	Exod 11	Matt 14	5, 6
5 <i>Asb. Wed.</i>	Isaiah 58:1-12	Luke 18:9-14	38
6	Exod 13	Matt 15:29—16:12	8, 11
7	Exod 14 † 5-31	Matt 16:13-end	12, 13, 14
8	Exod 15	Matt 17:1-23	18:1-20 <sup>v</sup>
9	Exod 16 † 1-7,11-33	Matt 17:24—18:14	19
10	Exod 17	Matt 18:15-end	22
11	Exod 18	Matt 19:1-15	25
12	Exod 19	Matt 19:16—20:16	26, 28
13	Exod 20	Matt 20:17-end	29, 30
14	Exod 21 † 1-19,22-29	Matt 21:1-22	34
15	Exod 22	Matt 21:23-end	32, 36
16	Exod 23 † 1-13,18-30	Matt 22:1-33	37:1-17 <sup>v</sup>
17	Exod 24	Matt 22:34—23:12	40
18	Exod 25 † 1-23,31-40	Matt 23:13-end	42, 43
19 <i>Joseph</i>	Exod 26 † 1-10,15-16,29-37	Matt 24:1-28	45
20	Exod 27	Matt 24:29-end	47, 48
21	Exod 28 † 1-6,15-21, 29-43	Matt 25:1-30	50
22	Exod 29 † 1-18,35-46	Matt 25:31-end	52, 53, 54
23	Exod 30 † 1-3,7-33	Matt 26:1-30	56, 57
24	Exod 31	Matt 26:31-56	59
25 <i>Annun.</i>	Exod 32 † 1-29	Luke 1:26-38	113, 138
26	Exod 33	Matt 26:57-end	61, 62
27	Exod 34 † 1-17,27-35	Matt 27:1-26	68:1-18
28	Exod 35 † 1-10,20-35	Matt 27:27-56	69:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
29	Exod 36 † 1-10,18-20, 31-38	Matt 27:57—28 end	66
30	Exod 37 † 1-11,16-29	Mark 1:1-13	71
31	Exod 38 † 1-23	Mark 1:14-31	74

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### Confession of St. Peter (January 18)

Almighty Father, who inspired Simon Peter, first among the apostles, to confess Jesus as Messiah and Son of the living God: Keep your Church steadfast upon the rock of this faith, that in unity and peace we may proclaim the one truth and follow the one Lord, our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### Second Sunday of Epiphany (January 19)

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

### Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle (January 25)

O God, by the preaching of your apostle Paul you have caused the light of the Gospel to shine throughout the world: Grant, we pray, that having his wonderful conversion in remembrance, we may show ourselves thankful to you by following his holy teaching; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### The Third Sunday of Epiphany (January 26)

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany (February 2)

O God, you know that we are set in the midst of many grave dangers, and because of the frailty of our nature we cannot always

**\* Pray Today's Collect**

NOTE! Unless there's a special collect for the day, you pray each Sunday's collect for the entire following week.

**The Circumcision and Holy Name of Jesus (January 1)**

Almighty God, your blessed Son fulfilled the covenant of circumcision for our sake, and was given the Name that is above every name: Give us grace faithfully to bear his Name, and to worship him with pure hearts according to the New Covenant; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**Second Sunday of Christmas (January 5)**

O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: Grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Epiphany of Our Lord (January 6)**

O God, by the leading of a star you manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: Lead us, who know you now by faith, to your presence, where we may see your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**First Sunday of Epiphany (January 12)**

Eternal Father, at the baptism of Jesus you revealed him to be your Son, and your Holy Spirit descended upon him like a dove: Grant that we, who are born again by water and the Spirit, may be faithful as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**\*Read Today's Lessons**

MARCH

60 DAY PSALTER-EP	EVENING PRAYER		
	DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON
147	1	Lam 5	Rom 13
149, 150	2	Prov 1	Rom 14
3, 4	3	Prov 2	Rom 15
7	4	Prov 3 † 1-27	Rom 16
6, 32	5 <i>Asb. Wed.</i>	Jonah 3:6-10	1 Cor 9:24-27
15, 16	6	Prov 5	Phil 1:12-end
17	7	Prov 6 † 1-11, 20-35	Phil 2:1-11
18:21-52 <sup>v</sup>	8	Prov 7	Phil 2:12-end
20, 21	9	Prov 8	Phil 3
23, 24	10	Prov 9	Phil 4
27	11	Prov 10	Col 1:1-20
31	12	Prov 11	Col 1:21-2:7
33	13	Prov 12	Col 2:8-19
35	14	Prov 13	Col 2:20-3:11
38	15	Prov 14	Col 3:12-end
37:18-41 <sup>v</sup>	16	Prov 15	Col 4
39, 41	17	Prov 16	Philemon
44	18	Prov 17	Eph 1:1-14
46	19 <i>Joseph</i>	Eph 1:15-end	Matt 1:18-26
49	20	Prov 18	Eph 2:1-10
51	21	Prov 19	Eph 2:11-end
55	22	Prov 20	Eph 3
58, 60	23	Prov 21	Eph 4:1-16
63, 64	24	Prov 22	Eph 4:17-end
131, 132	25 <i>Annun.</i>	Prov 23	Eph 5:1-17
65, 67	26	Prov 24 † 1-14, 23-34	Eph 5:18-end
68:19-36	27	Prov 25	Eph 6:1-9
69:19-37 <sup>v</sup>	28	Prov 26	Eph 6:10-end
70, 72	29	Prov 27	1 Tim 1:1-17
73	30	Prov 28	1 Tim 1:18-2 end
77	31	Prov 29	1 Tim 3

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**\*Read Today's Lessons**

APRIL

MORNING PRAYER			60 DAY PSALTER—MP
DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON	
1	Exod 39 † 1-14,27-43	Mark 1:32- <i>end</i>	75, 76
2	Exod 40 † 1,16-38	Mark 2:1-22	78:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
3	Lev 1	Mark 2:23—3:12	78:41-73 <sup>v</sup>
4	Lev 8 † 1-24,30-36	Mark 3:13- <i>end</i>	81
5	Lev 10	Mark 4:1-34	84
6	Lev 16 † 1-22,29-34	Mark 4:35—5:20	86, 87
7	Lev 17	Mark 5:21- <i>end</i>	89:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
8	Lev 18	Mark 6:1-29	90
9	Lev 19 † 1-2,9-37	Mark 6:30- <i>end</i>	92, 93
10	Lev 20	Mark 7:1-23	95, 96
11	Lev 23 † 9-32,39-43	Mark 7:24—8:10	99, 100, 101
12	Lev 26 † 3-20,38-46	Mark 8:11- <i>end</i>	103
13	Num 6	Mark 9:1-29	105:1-22 <sup>v</sup>
14	Num 8 † 5-26	Mark 9:30- <i>end</i>	106:1-18 <sup>v</sup>
15	Num 11 † 4-6,10-33	Mark 10:1-31	107:1-22
16	Num 12	Mark 10:32- <i>end</i>	108, 110
17 <i>Maundy Thur.</i>	Dan 9	John 13:1-20	41
18 <i>Good Friday</i>	Lam 3:1-36	John 18	40
19 <i>Holy Saturday</i>	Lam 3:37-58	Heb 4	188
20 <i>Easter</i>	Exod 15	Acts 2:22-32	118
21	Num 17	Mark 13:14- <i>end</i>	119:89-104
22	Num 18 † 1-24	Mark 14:1-25	119:129-152
23	Num 20	Mark 14:26-52	118
24	Num 21 † 4-9,21-35	Mark 14:53- <i>end</i>	122, 123
25 <i>Mark</i>	Acts 12:11-25	Mark 15	127, 128
26	Num 22 † 1-35	Mark 16	132, 133
27	Num 23 † 1-26	Luke 1:1-23	136
28	Num 24	Luke 1:24-56	139
29	Num 25	Luke 1:57- <i>end</i>	140
30	Deut 1 † 1-21,26-33	Luke 2:1-21	144

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**Pray these Petitions (The Suffrages):**

If praying with a group, pray these responsively, the leader reading the first line.

- O Lord, show your mercy upon us;  
**And grant us your salvation.**
- O Lord, guide those who govern us;  
**And lead us in the way of justice and truth.**
- Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
**And let your people sing with joy.**
- O Lord, save your people;  
**And bless your inheritance.**
- Give peace in our time, O Lord;  
**And defend us by your mighty power.**
- Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
**Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
- Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
**And take not your Holy Spirit from us.**

## Recite the Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
 creator of heaven and earth.  
 I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
 He was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
 and born of the Virgin Mary.  
 He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
 was crucified, died, and was buried.  
 He descended to the dead.  
 On the third day he rose again.  
 He ascended into heaven,  
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
 He will come again to judge the living and the dead.  
 I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,  
 the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
 and the life everlasting. **Amen.**

## Pray the 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,  
 for ever and ever. **Amen.**

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APRIL

60 DAY PSALTER-EP	EVENING PRAYER		
	DATE	FIRST LESSON	SECOND LESSON
79, 82	1	Prov 30      † 1-9, 15-33	1 Tim 4
78:19-40 <sup>v</sup>	2	Prov 31	1 Tim 5
80	3	Job 1	1 Tim 6
83	4	Job 2	Titus 1
85	5	Job 3	Titus 2
88	6	Job 4	Titus 3
89:19-51 <sup>v</sup>	7	Job 5	2 Tim 1
91	8	Job 6	2 Tim 2
94	9	Job 7	2 Tim 3
97, 98	10	Job 8	2 Tim 4
102	11	Job 9	Heb 1
104	12	Job 10	Heb 2
105:23-44 <sup>v</sup>	13	Job 11	Heb 3
106:19-46 <sup>v</sup>	14	Job 12	Heb 4:1-13
107:23-43	15	Job 13	Heb 4:14-5:10
109	16	Job 14	Heb 5:11-6 <i>end</i>
142, 143	17 <i>Maundy Thur.</i>	1 Cor 10:1-22	John 13:21-38
102	18 <i>Good Friday</i>	1 Pet 2:11-25	Luke 23:18-49
91	19 <i>Holy Saturday</i>	1 Pet 4:1-8	Luke 23:50-56
111, 113, 114	20 <i>Easter</i>	Rom 6	Luke 24:13-43
119:105-128	21	Job 19	Heb 10:1-18
119:153-176	22	Job 20	Heb 10:19- <i>end</i>
120, 121	23	Job 21	Heb 11
124, 125, 126	24	Job 22	Heb 12:1-17
129, 130, 131	25 <i>Mark</i>	Job 23	Heb 12:18- <i>end</i>
134, 135	26	Job 24	Heb 13
137, 138	27	Job 25 & 26	Jas 1
141, 142	28	Job 27	Jas 2:1-13
143	29	Job 28	Jas 2:14- <i>end</i>
145	30	Job 29	Jas 3

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## **In the MORNING, recite the *Te Deum*:**

We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord; \*  
all creation worships you, the Father everlasting.  
To you all angels, all the powers of heaven, \*  
the cherubim and seraphim, sing in endless praise:  
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, \*  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
The glorious company of apostles praise you. \*  
The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.  
The white-robed army of martyrs praise you. \*  
Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you:  
Father, of majesty unbounded,  
your true and only Son, worthy of all praise, \*  
the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.  
You, Christ, are the king of glory, \*  
the eternal Son of the Father.  
When you took our flesh to set us free \*  
you humbly chose the Virgin's womb.  
You overcame the sting of death \*  
and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers.  
You are seated at God's right hand in glory. \*  
We believe that you will come to be our judge.  
Come then, Lord, and help your people, \*  
bought with the price of your own blood,  
and bring us with your saints \*  
to glory everlasting.  
Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance; \*  
govern and uphold them now and always.  
Day by day we bless you; \*  
we praise your Name for ever.  
Keep us today, Lord, from all sin; \*  
have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.

Lord, show us your love and mercy, \*  
for we have put our trust in you.  
In you, Lord, is our hope, \*  
let us never be put to shame.

## **In the EVENING, recite the *Magnificat* (Lk. 1:46-55)**

My soul magnifies the Lord, \*  
and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior;  
For he has regarded \*  
the lowliness of his handmaiden.  
For behold, from now on, \*  
all generations will call me blessed;  
For he that is mighty has magnified me, \*  
and holy is his Name.  
And his mercy is on those who fear him, \*  
throughout all generations.  
He has shown the strength of his arm; \*  
he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.  
He has brought down the mighty from their thrones, \*  
and has exalted the humble and meek.  
He has filled the hungry with good things, \*  
and the rich he has sent empty away.  
He, remembering his mercy, has helped his servant Israel, \*  
as he promised to our fathers, Abraham and his seed for ever.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. **Amen.**