

Taking Gathered Worship Home

The Epiphany of Our Lord – Sunday, January 5, 2025

"Taking Gathered Worship Home" (TGWH) has been developed for you to use in the private worship of your home, whether you are married or single, and whether or not you have children. It is a tool to knit us together throughout the church year. While we would encourage the use of TGWH in its entirety, you are encouraged to adapt the offerings to your particular circumstances. The prayer is taken from "Lutheran Worship" and the psalm readings are taken from the "Book of Common Prayer" and the daily readings are from "The Book of Common Worship."

Almighty God, you have poured into our hearts the true Light of your incarnate Word. Grant that this Light may shine forth in our lives; through the same Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Daily Readings

SUNDAY | 12TH DAY OF CHRISTMAS

Morning Psalter – 66, 67

Deuteronomy 33:1-5

1 John 2:12-17

John 6:41-47

Evening Psalter – 145

♪ *When Christ's Appearing Was Made Known* (p. 2)

MONDAY | EPIPHANY DAY

Morning Psalter – 46, 97

Isaiah 52:7-10

Revelation 21:22-27

Matthew 12:14-21

Evening Psalter – 96, 100

♪ *Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning* (p. 4)

TUESDAY

Morning Psalter – 103

Isaiah 52:3-6

Revelation 2:1-7

John 2:1-11

Evening Psalter – 114, 115

♪ *What Star Is This* (p. 7)

WEDNESDAY

Morning Psalter – 117, 118

Isaiah 59:15-21

Revelation 2:8-17

John 4:46-54

Evening Psalter – 112, 113

♪ *As with Gladness Men of Old* (p. 10)

THURSDAY

Morning Psalter – 121, 122, 123

Isaiah 63:1-5

Revelation 2:18-29

John 5:1-15

Evening Psalter – 131, 132

♪ *O Heavenly Word, Eternal Light* (p. 12)

FRIDAY

Morning Psalter – 138, 139

Isaiah 65:1-9

Revelation 3:1-6

John 6:1-14

Evening Psalter – 147

♪ *What Child Is This* (p. 13)

SATURDAY

Morning Psalter – 148, 150

Isaiah 65:13-16

Revelation 3:7-13

John 6:15-27

Evening Psalter – 91, 92

♪ *On This Day* (p. 14)

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 11. What are God's works of providence?

A. God's works of providence are his most holy, [a] wise, [b] and powerful [c] preservation [d] and control [e] of all his creatures, and all their actions. [f]

[a] Psa 145:17

[b] Psa 104:24

[c] Heb 1:3

[d] Neh 9:6

[e] Eph 1:19-22

[f] Psa 36:6; Pro 16:33; Mat 10:30

Q. 12. What special act of providence did God exercise toward man in the state in which he was created?

A. When God had created man, he entered into a covenant of life with him, on condition of perfect

obedience, forbidding him to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil on penalty of death. [a]

[a] Gen 2:16-17; Jas 2:10

In Preparation for the Divine Service:

January 12, 2025, Baptism of Our Lord

Sermon Reading: Mark 6:1-13
Rev. Eric Landry

The Appointed Lessons:

Psalm 29

Isaiah 43:1-7

Romans 6:1-11

Luke 3:15-22