

Taking Gathered Worship Home

Fifth Week After Epiphany – Sunday, February 9, 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.”

O Lord, keep your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by your mighty power; through 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

Morning Psalter – 93, 96
Isaiah 57:14-21
Hebrews 12:1-6
John 7:37-46
Evening Psalter – 34
♪ *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* (p. 2)

MONDAY

Morning Psalter – 80
Isaiah 58:1-14
Galatians 6:11-18
Mark 9:30-41
Evening Psalter – 77
♪ *Now Thank We All Our God* (p. 4)

TUESDAY

Morning Psalter – 78:1-39
Isaiah 59:1-15a
2 Timothy 1:1-14
Mark 9:42-50
Evening Psalter – 78:40-72
♪ *Holy God, We Praise Your Name* (p. 6)

WEDNESDAY

Morning Psalter – 119:97-120
Isaiah 59:15b-21
2 Timothy 1:15—2:13
Mark 10:1-16
Evening Psalter – 81, 82
♪ *Come, Oh Come, O Quickening Spirit* (p. 9)

THURSDAY

Morning Psalter – 146, 147
Isaiah 60:1-22
2 Timothy 2:14-26
Mark 10:17-31
Evening Psalter – 85, 86
♪ *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* (p. 11)

FRIDAY

Morning Psalter – 88
Isaiah 61:1-9
2 Timothy 3:1-17
Mark 10:32-45
Evening Psalter – 91, 92
♪ *The Strife Is Over* (p. 12)

SATURDAY

Morning Psalter – 87, 90
Isaiah 61:10—62:5
2 Timothy 4:1-22
Mark 10:46-52
Evening Psalter – 136
♪ *Lord, Bid Your Servant Go in Peace* (p. 13)

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 21. Who is the Redeemer of God’s elect?

A. The only Redeemer of God’s elect is the Lord Jesus Christ,^[a] who, being the eternal Son of God^[b] became man,^[c] and so was and continues to be God and man, in two distinct natures and one person forever.^[d]

[a] John 14:6; Acts 4:12; 1 Tim 2:5-6

[b] Psa 2:7; Mat 3:17; Mat 17:5; John 1:18

[c] Isa 9:6; Mat 1:23; John 1:14; Gal 4:4

[d] Acts 1:11; Heb 7:24-25

Q. 22. How did Christ, the Son of God, become man?

A. Christ, the Son of God, became man by taking to himself a body and a soul^[a] like ours, being conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit in the womb of the virgin Mary, and born of her,^[b] yet without sin.^[c]

[a] Php 2:7; Heb 2:14, 17

[b] Luk 1:27, 31, 35

[c] 2 Cor 5:21; Heb 4:15; Heb 7:26; 1 John 3:5

In Preparation for the Divine Service: February 16, 2025, *Sixth Sunday After the Epiphany*

Sermon Reading: 2 Kings 2:1-15
Rev. Paul Hahn

The Appointed Lessons:

Psalm 1	Jeremiah 17:5-8
1 Corinthians 15:12-20	Luke 6:17-26