

Taking Gathered Worship Home

The Seventh Sunday After the Epiphany – Sunday, February 23, 2020

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 God, in the glorious transfiguration of your only-begotten Son you once confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of the ancient fathers, and in the voice that came from the bright cloud you wondrously foreshowed our adoption by grace. Therefore mercifully make us coheirs with our King of his glory, and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Daily Readings

SUNDAY | THE TRANSFIGURATION

Morning Psalter – 148, 149, 150

Malachi 4:1-6

2 Corinthians 3:7-18

Luke 9:18-36

Evening Psalter – 114, 115

♪ *Oh, Wondrous Type!* (p. 2)

MONDAY

Morning Psalter – 25

Proverbs 27:1-6, 10-12

Philippians 2:1-13

John 18:15-18, 25-27

Evening Psalter – 9, 15

♪ *Who Shall Ascend the Mountain of the Lord* (p. 4)

TUESDAY

Morning Psalter – 26, 28

Proverbs 30:1-4, 24-33

Philippians 3:1-11

John 18:28-38

Evening Psalter – 36, 39

♪ *How Good, Lord, to Be Here* (p. 6)

ASH WEDNESDAY

Morning Psalter – 32, 95, 143

Amos 5:6-15

Hebrews 12:1-14

Luke 18:9-14

Evening Psalter – 102, 130

♪ *Beautiful Savior* (p. 9)

THURSDAY

Morning Psalter – 37:1-17

Habakkuk 3:1-19

Philippians 3:12-21

John 17:1-8

Evening Psalter – 37:18-40

♪ *At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing* (p. 11)

FRIDAY

Morning Psalter – 31

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

Philippians 4:1-9

John 17:9-19

Evening Psalter – 35

♪ *Amazing Grace* (p. 12)

SATURDAY

Morning Psalter – 30, 32

Ezekiel 39:21-29

Philippians 4:10-23

John 17:20-26

Evening Psalter – 42, 43

♪ *Nunc Dimittis* (p. 13)

Heidelberg Catechism

Q. 33. Why is he called God's only begotten Son, since we also are children of God?

A. Because Christ alone is the eternal, natural Son of God.^[1] We, however, are children of God by adoption, through grace, for Christ's sake.^[2]

[1] John 1:1-3, 14, 18; 3:16; Rom. 8:32; Heb. 1; 1 John 4:9.

[2] John 1:12; Rom. 8:14-17; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:5, 6.

Q. 34. Why do you call him our Lord?

A. Because he has ransomed us, body and soul,^[1] from all our sins, not with silver or gold but with his precious blood,^[2] and has freed us from all the power of the devil to make us his own possession.^[3]

[1] 1 Cor. 6:20; 1 Tim. 2:5, 6.

[2] 1 Peter 1:18, 19.

[3] Col. 1:13, 14; Heb. 2:14, 15.

In Preparation for the Divine Service:

March 1, 2020, The First Sunday in Lent

Sermon Reading: John 11:1-44
Rev. Eric Landry preaching

The Appointed Lessons:
Psalm 32:1-7 Romans 5:12-19
Genesis 3:1-21 Matthew 4:1-11