

Taking Gathered Worship Home

The Twenty-Seventh Week of Pentecost – Sunday, November 17, 2024

“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, by your bountiful goodness release us from the bonds of our sins, which by reason of our weakness we have brought upon ourselves, that we may stand firm until the day of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Daily Readings

SUNDAY

Morning Psalter – 66, 67
Habakkuk 1:1–2:1
Philippians 3:12–4:1
Matthew 23:13-24
Evening Psalter – 19, 46
♪ *Holy, Holy, Holy* (p. 2)

MONDAY

Morning Psalter – 89:1-18
Habakkuk 2:1-20
James 2:14-26
Luke 16:19-31
Evening Psalter – 89:19-52
♪ *God of Gods* (p. 4)

TUESDAY

Morning Psalter – 97, 99, 100
Habakkuk 3:1-19
James 3:1-12
Luke 17:1-10
Evening Psalter – 94, 95
♪ *That Stone Is Made Head Cornerstone* (p. 7)

WEDNESDAY

Morning Psalter – 101, 109
Malachi 1:1-14
James 3:13–4:12
Luke 17:11-19
Evening Psalter – 119:121-144
♪ *See, the Conquer Mounts in Triumph* (p. 10)

THURSDAY

Morning Psalter – 105:1-22
Malachi 2:1-16
James 4:13–5:6
Luke 17:20-37
Evening Psalter – 105:23-45
♪ *Doxology* (p. 11)

FRIDAY

Morning Psalter – 102
Malachi 3:1-12
James 5:7-12
Luke 18:1-8
Evening Psalter – 107:1-32
♪ *Blessing and Honor and Glory and Power* (p. 12)

SATURDAY

Morning Psalter – 107:33-43; 108
Malachi 3:13–4:6
James 5:13-20
Luke 18:9-14
Evening Psalter – 33
♪ *Jesus Lives and So Shall I* (pp. 13-14)

Heidelberg Catechism

Q. 126. What is the fifth petition?

A. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. That is: For the sake of Christ’s blood, do not impute to us, wretched sinners; any of our transgressions, nor the evil which still clings to us,[1] as we also find this evidence of thy grace in us that we are fully determined wholeheartedly to forgive our neighbor.[2]

[1] Ps. 51:1-7; 143:2; Rom. 8:1; 1 John 2:1, 2. [2] Matt. 6:14, 15; 18:21-35.

Q. 127. What is the sixth petition?

A. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. That is: In ourselves we are so weak that we cannot stand even for a moment. [1] Moreover, our sworn enemies—the devil,[2] the world,[3] and our own flesh[4]—do not cease to attack us. Wilt thou, therefore, uphold and strengthen us by the power of thy Holy Spirit, so that in this spiritual war[5] we may not go down to defeat, but always firmly resist our enemies, until we finally obtain the complete victory.[6]

[1] Ps. 103:14-16; John 15:1-5. [2] 2 Cor. 11:14; Eph. 6:10-13; 1 Pet. 5:8. [3] John 15:18-21. [4] Rom. 7:23; Gal. 5:17. [5] Matt. 10:19, 20; 26:41; Mark 13:33; Rom. 5:3-5. [6] 1 Cor. 10:13; 1 Thess. 3:13; 5:23.

In Preparation for the Divine Service:

November 24, 2024, The Twenty-Seventh Sunday after Pentecost Day

Sermon Reading: 1 Samuel 18:1-5
Rev. Eric Landry

The Appointed Lessons:

Psalm 93	Isaiah 51:4-6
Jude 20-25	Mark 13:24-37