The Congregation at Prayer

A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer for the first week after Trinity June 6^{th} through June 12^{th} 2021

Pray and confess out loud as much from the order of meditation and prayer as you are able, or as your family size and ages dictate. Learn by heart the selection from the catechism and memory verse for the week.

In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Ten Commandments The Apostles' Creed

The Catechism's Table of Duties: Of Citizens

Remind the people to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient, to be ready to do whatever is good. (Titus 3:1)

Daily Readings	Bible Narrative	Second Reading	Psalm
Sunday	The Rich Man and Lazarus Luke 16:19-31		Psalm 138
Monday	An Angel Freed the Apostles from Prison Acts 5:17-42	Joel 2:28-32	Psalm 139
Tuesday	The Choosing of the Seven Acts 6:1-7	Joel 3:1-11	Psalm 140
Wednesday	Stephen Is Accused of Blasphemy Acts 6:8–7:16	Joel 3:12-21	Psalm 141
Thursday	Stephen Bears Witness Before the Sanhedrin Acts 7:17-36	Jonah 1:1-16	Psalm 142
Friday	The Martyrdom of Stephen Acts 7:37-60	Jonah 1:17-2:10	Psalm 143
Saturday	The Ministry of Philip Acts 8:1-13	Jonah 3:1-10	Psalm 144

O, Lord, look down from heaven, behold, visit, and relieve Your servants who stand in need of our prayers:

Our Church: Bethlehem Lutheran Church and Preschool. Circuit 7 Vacancies: Trinity Lutheran Church-Centralia. Those Who Mourn: The family and friends who mourn the death of Joan Quick (Karen Yardley's grandmother). Those Undergoing Cancer Treatment: Sharon Hanke, Eddie Hermsmeyer. Those Who Are Sick & Dealing with Chronic Pain: Ariana Nolte, Barb Mueller, Randy Zimmermann, Rodney Tate, Connie Schilling. Homebound Members: Melvin & Earlene Lange, Ruth Onken, Paul Schierschwitz, Marlene Schierschwitz. Baptismal Birthdays: Britlynn Tyberendt, Katie (Pigg) Cummins (6/6), Paul Evilsizer, Tristan Nolte (5/7), Zoe Kuper (6/8), Aaron Ruckman (6/9), Mandy Albers (6/9). Anniversaries: Melvin & Earlene Lange (6/6), Brent & Katrina Hanke (6/7), Skipp & Tina Golding (6/10).

Look upon them with eyes of Your mercy; grant them comfort and sure confidence in You; defend them from all danger, and keep them in perpetual peace and safety, through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

The Lord's Prayer

Morning or Evening Prayer (From the Small Catechism)

Hymn of the Week: To God the Holy Spirit Let Us Pray (LSB 768)