

## **The Congregation at Prayer**

*A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer for the Tenth week after Trinity*

August 8<sup>th</sup> through August 14<sup>th</sup>, 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: To Everyone**

The commandments...are summed up in this one rule: "Love your neighbor as yourself." (Romans 13:9)

<b>Daily Readings</b>	<b>Bible Narrative</b>	<b>Second Reading</b>	<b>Psalm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Jesus Weeps Over Jerusalem Luke 19:41-48</b>		<b>Psalm 51</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Fasting and the Sabbath Mark 2:18-28</b>	<b>Jeremiah 5:1-9</b>	<b>Psalm 52</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Healing on the Sabbath Mark 3:1-12</b>	<b>Jeremiah 6:19-26</b>	<b>Psalm 53</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>The Twelve Apostles Mark 3:13-35</b>	<b>Jeremiah 7:1-16</b>	<b>Psalm 54</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>The Parable of the Sower and the Seed Mark 4:1-20</b>	<b>Jeremiah 8:4-12</b>	<b>Psalm 55</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Jesus Tells Parables of the Kingdom of God Mark 4:21-34</b>	<b>Jeremiah 9:11-16, 23-26</b>	<b>Psalm 56</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Jesus Stills the Storm Mark 4:35-41</b>	<b>Jeremiah 10:11-16</b>	<b>Psalm 57</b>

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 Are Expecting:** Courtney (Gerstenecker) Ibendahl. **Those In Need of Healing:** Justin Schultz. **Those Undergoing Cancer Treatment:** Sharon Hanke; Eddie Hermsmeyer. **Those Recovering From Surgery:** Pat Borgelt (Angie Nolte's father). **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:** Mary Boeker, Brooke Kleiboeker (8/10), Victoria Siddell (8/11), Ron Albers (8/13). **Anniversaries:** Crystal & Patrick Gebhart, Randy & Caroline Tate (8/8), Aaron & Bethay Ruckman (8/9), Edwin & Verdell Hermsmeyer, Donald & Winny Will (8/12), Rev. Jonathan & Stefanie Jennings (8/14).

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:** Lord, to You I Make Confession (LSB 608)