

# DAILY PRAYER

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## Opening Scripture

*Easter Season*

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

*The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!*

Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. *1 Corinthians 15:57*

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. *Colossians 3:1*

*Ascension through Pentecost*

You shall receive power when the Holy Ghost has come upon you; and you shall be my witness in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. *Acts 1:8*

## Confession of Sin

*Officiant*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Officiant and People*

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will,

and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. *Amen*

*Officiant*

Almighty God, have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.*

## The Invitatory and Psalter

*Officiant* Lord, open our lips.

*People* And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

*Officiant and People*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### Invitatory

*Antiphon*

Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed:

Come let us adore him. Alleluia.

**Christ our Passover** *Pascha nostrum*

*1 Corinthians 5:7-8; Romans 6:9-11; 1 Corinthians 15:20-22*

Alleluia.

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; \*

therefore let us keep the feast,

Not with old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, \*

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; \*

death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; \*

but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, \*

and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.

Christ has been raised from the dead, \*

the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, \*

by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die, \*

so in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

*Antiphon*

Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed:

Come let us adore him. Alleluia.

*(The appointed psalms and readings for today may be found in the Daily Lectionary section at the back of this booklet)*

## The Psalm or Psalms Appointed

*At the end of the Psalms is said*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

## The Lessons

### The Old Testament Reading

Reader A Reading from \_\_\_\_\_

Reader The Word of the Lord.

Answer Thanks be to God.

*First Canticle*

### 8 The Song of Moses *Cantemus Domino* *Exodus 15:1-6, 11-13, 17-18*

I will sing to the Lord, for he is lofty and uplifted; \*  
the horse and its rider has he hurled into the sea.  
The Lord is my strength and my refuge; \*  
the Lord has become my Savior.  
This is my God and I will praise him, \*  
the God of my people and I will exalt him.  
The Lord is a mighty warrior; \*  
Yahweh is his Name.  
The chariots of Pharaoh and his army has he hurled into the sea; \*  
the finest of those who bear armor have been  
drowned in the Red Sea.  
The fathomless deep has overwhelmed them; \*  
they sank into the depths like a stone.  
Your right hand, O Lord, is glorious in might; \*  
your right hand, O Lord, has overthrown the enemy.  
Who can be compared with you, O Lord, among the gods? \*  
who is like you, glorious in holiness,  
awesome in renown, and worker of wonders?  
You stretched forth your right hand; \*  
the earth swallowed them up.  
With your constant love you led the people you redeemed; \*  
with your might you brought them in safety to  
your holy dwelling.  
You will bring them in and plant them \*  
on the mount of your possession,

The resting-place you have made for yourself, O Lord, \*  
the sanctuary, O Lord, that your hand has established.  
The Lord shall reign \*  
for ever and for ever.  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### **The New Testament Reading**

*Reader* A Reading from \_\_\_\_\_

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*Answer* Thanks be to God.

### *Second Canticle*

### **18 A Song to the Lamb** *Dignus es*

*Revelation 4:11, 5:9-10, 13*

Splendor and honor and kingly power \*  
are yours by right, O Lord our God,  
For you created everything that is, \*  
and by your will they were created and have their being;  
And yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, \*  
for with your blood you have redeemed for God,  
From every family, language, people, and nation, \*  
a kingdom of priests to serve our God.  
And so, to him who sits upon the throne, \*  
and to Christ the Lamb,  
Be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, \*  
for ever and for evermore.

### **The Gospel**

*Reader* A Reading from \_\_\_\_\_

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*Answer* Thanks be to God.

## The Apostles' Creed

*Officiant and People together*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth;  
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

## The Prayers

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Officiant* Let us pray.

*Officiant and People*

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

R. Govern them and uphold them, now and always.

V. Day by day we bless you;  
R. We praise your name for ever.  
V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;  
R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.  
V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;  
R. For we put our trust in you.  
V. In you, Lord, is our hope;  
R. And we shall never hope in vain.

## Collect of the Day

O God, who by the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ destroyed death and brought life and immortality to light: Grant that we, who have been raised with him, may abide in his presence and rejoice in the hope of eternal glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be dominion and praise for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## Collect for Mission

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

## Personal intercessions and thanksgivings

### *The General Thanksgiving*

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks  
for all your goodness and loving-kindness  
to us and to all whom you have made.  
We bless you for our creation, preservation,  
and all the blessings of this life;  
but above all for your immeasurable love  
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;  
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.  
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,  
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,  
not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up our selves to your service,

and by walking before you  
in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

## Closing Scripture

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. Amen. *Ephesians 3:20,21*

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## Daily Lectionary

### Easter Week

Easter Day      Psalms 148, 149, 150  
Exod. 12:1-14    Isa. 51:9-11      John 1:1-18

Monday          Psalms 93, 98  
Exod. 12:14-27    1 Cor. 5:1-11      Mark 16:1-8

Tuesday         Psalm 103  
Exod. 12:28-39    1 Cor. 15:12-28    Mark 16:9-20

Wednesday      Psalms 97, 99  
Exod. 12:40-51    1 Cor. 15:29-41    Matt. 28:1-16

Thursday         Psalms 146, 147  
Exod. 13:3-10     1 Cor. 15:41-50    Matt. 28:16-20

Friday            Psalm 136  
Exod. 13:1-16     1 Cor. 15:51-58    Luke 24:1-12

Saturday          Psalm 145  
Exod. 13:17-14:4    2 Cor. 4:16-5:10    Mark 12:18-27

### Week of 2 Easter

Sunday            Psalms 146, 147  
Exod. 14:5-22     1 John 1:1-7      John 14:1-7



Monday	Psalms 1, 2, 3	
Exod. 14:21-31	1 Peter 1:1-12	John 14:1-17
Tuesday	Psalms 5, 6	
Exod. 15:1-21	1 Peter 1:13-25	John 14:18-31
Wednesday	Psalms 119:1-24	
Exod. 15:22-16:10	1 Peter 2:1-10	John 15:1-11
Thursday	Psalms 18:1-20	
Exod. 16:10-21	1 Peter 2:11-25	John 15:12-27
Friday	Psalms 16, 17	
Exod. 16:22-36	1 Peter 3:13-4:6	John 16:1-15
Saturday	Psalms 20, 21	
Exod. 17:1-6	1 Peter 4:7-19	John 16:16-33

### Week of 3 Easter

Sunday	Psalms 148, 149, 150	
Exod. 18:1-2	1 John 2:7-17	Mark 16:9-20
Monday	Psalms 25	
Exod. 18:13-27	1 Peter 5:1-14	Matt. 3:1-6
Tuesday	Psalms 26, 28	
Exod. 19:1-16	Col. 1:1-14	Matt. 3:7-12
Wednesday	Psalms 38	
Exod. 19:16-25	Col. 1:15-32	Matt. 3:13-17
Thursday	Psalms 37:1-18	
Exod. 20:1-21	Col. 1:24-2:7	Matt. 4:1-11
Friday	Psalms 105:1-22	
Exod. 24:1-18	Col. 2:8-23	Matt. 4:12-17
Saturday	Psalms 30, 32	
Exod. 25:1-22	Col. 3:1-17	Matt. 4:18-25

### Week of 4 Easter

Sunday	Psalms 63, 98	
Exod. 28:1-4, 30-38	1 John 2:18-29	Mark 6:30-44

Monday Psalms 41,52  
Exod. 32:1-20 Col. 3:18-4:6-18 Matt. 5:1-10

Tuesday Psalm 45  
Exod. 32:21-34 1 Thess. 1:1-10 Matt. 5:11-16

Wednesday Psalm 119:49-72  
Exod. 33:1- 23 1 Thess. 2:1-12 Matt. 5:17-20

Thursday Psalm 50  
Exod. 34:1-17 1 Thess. 2:13-20 Matt. 5:21-26

Friday Psalm 40, 54  
Exod. 34:18-35 1 Thess. 3:1-13 Matt. 5:27-37

Saturday Psalm 55  
Exod. 40:18-38 1 Thess. 4:1-12 Matt. 5:38-48

### **Week of 5 Easter**

Sunday Psalms 24, 29  
Lev. 8:1-13,30-36 Heb. 12:1-14 2 Luke 4:16-30

Monday Psalms 56, 57, 58  
Lev. 16:1-19 1 Thess. 4:13-18 Matt. 6:1-6,16-18

Tuesday Psalms 61, 62  
Lev. 16:20-34 1 Thess. 5:1-11 Matt. 6:7-18

Wednesday Psalm 72  
Lev. 19:1-18 1 Thess. 5:12-28 Matt. 6:19-24

Thursday Psalms 70, 71  
Lev. 19:26-37 2 Thess. 2:1-17 Matt. 6:25-34

Friday Psalm 106:1-18  
Lev. 23:1-22 2 Thess. 2:1-17 Matt. 7:1-12

Saturday Psalms 75, 76  
Lev. 23:23-44 2 Thess. 3:1-18 Matt. 7:13-21

### **Week of 6 Easter**

Sunday Psalms 93, 96  
Lev. 25:1-17 James 1:2-8,16-18 Luke 12:13-21

Monday	Psalms 80 Lev. 25:35-55	Col. 1:9-14	Matt. 13:1-16
Tuesday	Psalms 78:1-39 Lev. 26:1-20	1 Tim 2:1-6	Matt. 13:18-23
Wednesday	Psalms 119:97-120 Lev. 26:27-42	Eph. 1:1-10	Matt. 22:41-46
<b>Ascension Day</b>	Psalms 8, 47 Dan. 7:9-14	Heb. 2:5-18	Matt. 28:16-20
Friday	Psalms 85, 86 1 Sam 2:1-10	Eph. 2:1-10	Matt. 7:22-27
Saturday	Psalms 87, 90 Num. 11:16-29	Eph. 2:11-22	Matt. 7:28-8:4
<b>Week of 7 Easter</b>			
Sunday	Psalms 66, 67 Exod. 3:1-12	Heb. 12:18-29	Luke 10:17-24
Monday	Psalms 89:1-18 Joshua 1:1-9	Eph. 3:1-13	Matt. 8:5-17
Tuesday	Psalms 97, 99 1 Sam. 16:1-13a	Eph. 3:14-21	Matt. 8:18-27
Wednesday	Psalms 101, 109:1-30 Isa. 4:2-6	Eph. 4:1-16	Matt. 8:28-34
Thursday	Psalms 105:1-22 Zech. 4:1-14	Eph. 4:17-32	Matt. 9:1-8
Friday	Psalms 102 Jer. 31:27-34	Eph. 5:1-20	Matt. 9:9-17
Saturday	Psalms 107:33-43, 108 Ezek. 36:22-27	Eph. 6:10-24	Matt. 9:18-26
<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>	Psalms 118 Deut. 16:9-12	Acts 4:18-33	John 4:19-26

