

Morning Devotion at 7:30 AM Thursday November 5

INVITATORY

Psalms 108:1-3

My heart is firmly fixed, O God, my heart is fixed; *

I will sing and make melody.

**Wake up, my spirit;
awake, lute and harp; ***

I myself will waken the dawn.

I will confess you among the peoples, O LORD; *

I will sing praises to you among the nations.

READING

And I tell you: Ask and you will receive. Seek and you will find. Knock and the door will be opened to you. Everyone who asks, receives. Whoever seeks, finds. To everyone who knocks, the door is opened. "Which father among you would give a snake to your child if the child asked for a fish? If a child asked for an egg, what father would give the child a scorpion? If you who are evil know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him? *Luke 11:9-13*

LITANY

Officiant: Holy God, Creator of heaven and earth,

People: **Have mercy on us.**

Officiant: Holy and Mighty, Redeemer of the world,

People: **Have mercy on us.**

Officiant: Holy Immortal One, Sanctifier of the faithful,

People: **Have mercy on us.**

Officiant: Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity, One God,

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Officiant: Hear the commandments of God to his people: I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage. You shall have no other gods but me.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not make for yourself any idol.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: Honor your father and your mother.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not commit murder.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not commit adultery.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not steal.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not be a false witness.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

People: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Officiant: Give us true repentance; forgive us our sins of negligence and ignorance and our deliberate sins; and grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to your word.

People: **Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One, Have mercy on us.**

Silence

Prayers for ourselves and others

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

COLLECT

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Afternoon Devotion at 5:00 PM Thursday November 5

INVITATORY

Psalms 108:4-6

**For your loving-kindness is greater than the heavens, *
and your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.**

**Exalt yourself above the heavens, O God, *
and your glory over all the earth.**

**So that those who are dear to you may be delivered, *
save with your right hand and answer me.**

READING

He gave some apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers. His purpose was to equip God's people for the work of serving and building up the body of Christ until we all reach the unity of faith and knowledge of God's Son. God's goal is for us to become

mature adults—to be fully grown, measured by the standard of the fullness of Christ. *Ephesians 4:11-13*

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Officiant: Jesus Christ, great high priest, living for ever to intercede for us:
pray for your Church, your broken body in the world.

People: **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Officiant: Jesus Christ, King of righteousness, enthroned at the right hand of the majesty
on high, pray for the world, and make it subject to your gentle rule.

People: **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Officiant: Jesus Christ, Son of man, drawing humanity into the life of God, pray for your
brothers and sisters in need, distress or sorrow.

People: **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Officiant: Jesus Christ, pioneer of our salvation, bringing us to your glory through your
death and resurrection, pray for all who are dying, that they may trust in your promises.

People: **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Officiant: Jesus Christ, Lord of all things, ascended far above from the heavens and filling
the universe, pray for us who receive the gifts you give us for work in your service.

People: **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Officiant: Jesus Christ, first-fruits of the new creation, keep the Church in the unity of the
Spirit and in the bond of peace, until you bring the whole created order to worship at your feet.

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COLLECT

Everliving God, whose will it is that all should come to you through your Son Jesus Christ:
Inspire our witness to him, that all may know the power of his forgiveness and the hope of his resurrection; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.