

# DAILY LITURGY & READINGS

CATECHETICAL DEVOTIONS BASED ON THE SEASONS OF THE CHURCH YEAR



# TRINITY SEASON III-IV LITURGY FOR FAMILY PRAYER

(OCTOBER-NOVEMBER)

## INVOCATION

EVERYONE MAY MAKE THE SIGN OF THE HOLY CROSS AND SAY:

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

### CONFESSION OF FAITH

3RD ARTICLE OF THE CREED & EXPLANATION

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Ghost has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith; just as He calls, gathers, enlightens and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives me and all believers all our sins; and at the last day He will raise up me and all the dead, and will grant me and all believers in Christ eternal life. This is most certainly true.

#### WEEK OF OCT. 9 - THE WORD/CHRIST IS LIVING

Monday	The Emmaus Disciples – Luke 24:13-35
Tuesday	The Word of the Lord Endures – 1 Peter 1:25
Wednesday	The Faith Once Delivered – Jude 1:1-4
Thursday	The Traditions as I Delivered Them – 1 Corinthians 11:1-2, 23-25
Friday	I Delivered to You as First Importance – 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

#### WEEK OF OCT. 16 - SENDING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Monday	The Spirit Sanctifies – 1 Corinthians 6:11
Tuesday	The Spirit Convicts and Converts – John 16:4-15
Wednesday	The Giving of the Holy Spirit – Acts 2:1-13
Thursday	Peter's Pentecost Day Sermon – Acts 2:14-36
Friday	What to Do to Be Saved – Acts 2:37-41

#### WEEK OF OCT. 23 - THE LORD OF LIFE

Monday	God Breathes Into Adam - Genesis 1:1-2 & 2:7
Tuesday	Jesus Breathes Into His Disciples - John 20:19-23
Wednesday	Members of the Household of God – Ephesians 2:19-22
Thursday	The Church Is Holy – 1 Peter 2:9-12
Friday	Avoid False Teachers – Romans 16:17-18

### WEEK OF OCT. 30 - THE CHURCH MILITANT

Monday	Ezra Reads the Torah – Nehemiah 8:1-12
Tuesday	Josiah the Young Reformer – 2 Kings 22:1-2, 8-13; 23:1-3
Wednesday	Struggle Against Our Foes – Ephesians 6:12
Thursday	The Kingdom of God Comes Not With Observation – Luke 17:20-21
Friday	The Gates of Hell Shall Not Prevail – Matthew 16:18

## WEEK OF NOV. 6 - THE CHURCH TRIUMPHANT

Monday	The Church in Heaven – Revelation 7:9-10
Tuesday	The Church Made Holy – Revelation 7:11-17
Wednesday	The Holy Mountain of Zion – Micah 4:1-7
Thursday	A Cloud of Witnesses – Hebrews 12:1-3
Friday	The Communion of Saints – 1 Corinthians 10:14-16

#### WEEK OF NOV. 13 - FORGIVENESS & RESURRECTION

Monday	How Many Times – Matthew 6:14-15; 18:21-22
Tuesday	We Receive Forgiveness – Psalm 19:12; 51:1-2; 130:3-4
Wednesday	Justified by Faith – Romans 5:1-2
Thursday	Forgiveness & Resurrection – Luke 23:39-43
Friday	Jesus Raises Lazarus – John 11:1-44

#### WEEK OF NOV. 20 - THE LIFE EVERLASTING

Monday	Other Witnesses to the Resurrection – Job 19:25-27
Tuesday	The Resurrection of the Dead –1 Corinthians 15:12-49
Wednesday	The Lord will Come From Heaven – 1 Thessalonians 4:16
Thursday	Be Faithful Unto Death – Revelation 2:9-10
Friday	Be Ready – Matthew 25:1-13

# THE BEATITUDES

Blessed are the poor in spirit, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, For they shall be comforted. Blessed are the meek, For they shall inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, For they shall be filled. Blessed are the merciful, For they shall obtain mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, For they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, For they shall be called sons of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for My sake.

Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven.

OR

## DIGNUS EST AGNUS

REVELATION 5

MATTHEW 5

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom, And strength and honor and glory and blessing. Blessing and honor and glory and power Be to Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb forever and ever.

# BLESSING

Let us bless the Lord: **Thanks be to God.** 

MORNING:

The Lord Almighty order this day and all our doings in His † peace. **Amen.** 

#### EVENING:

The almighty and most merciful Lord, the Father, the + Son, and the Holy Spirit bless and preserve us. **Amen.**