



## Our Congregation at Prayer

Daily Scripture and Prayer  
To be Used in the Home  
Getting Ready for Reformation C  
Immanuel Lutheran Church

Theme for Sunday: The righteousness of God, Jesus Christ crucified, has set you free from sin and death!

*The following short order may be used for devotions at home during the week or Daily Prayer for individuals and families may be used in the hymnal (LSB page 294 and following).*

### Invocation

In the Name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Introit      *Psalm 34.1-2, 11, 22; ant. Psalm 119.46*

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, O Lord,

And shall not be put to shame.

I will bless the LORD at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the LORD;

Let the humble hear and be glad.

Come, O children, listen to me;

I will teach you the fear of the LORD.

The LORD redeems the life of his servants;

None of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son**

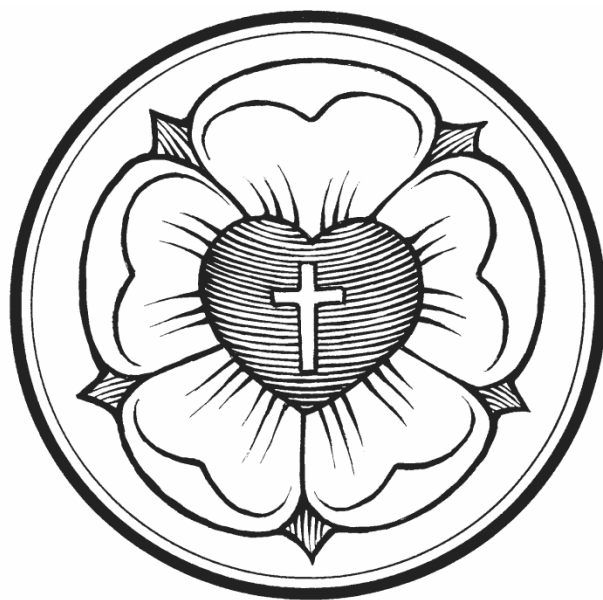
**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning,**

**is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, O Lord,

And shall not be put to shame.



### Collect

Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Gradual      *Psalm 48.1a, 12-14a*

Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised

In the city of our God!

Walk about Zion, go around her, number her towers,

Consider well her ramparts, go through her citadels,

That you may tell the next generation

That this is God, our God forever and ever.

The Psalm for Reformation Day C may be read (Psalm 46) or those printed below.

| Daily Psalms | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------------|--------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Morning      | 110    | 62     | 13      | 96        | 116      | 85     | 61       |
| Evening      | 66; 23 | 73; 8  | 36; 5   | 132; 134  | 26; 130  | 25; 40 | 138; 98  |

Readings for next Sunday (see below) or these daily readings may be used

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|------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| October 26 | Deuteronomy 28.1-22            | Matthew 18.1-20  |
| October 27 | Deuteronomy 29.1-29            | Matthew 18.21-35 |
| October 28 | Deuteronomy 30.1-20            | Matthew 19.1-15  |
| October 29 | Deuteronomy 31.1-29            | Matthew 19.16-30 |
| October 30 | Deuteronomy 31.30-32.27        | Matthew 20.1-16  |
| October 31 | Deuteronomy 32.28-52 (33.1-29) | Matthew 20.17-34 |
| November 1 | Deuteronomy 34.1-12            | Matthew 21.1-22  |

**Talk About Next Sunday's First Reading: Revelation 14.6-7**

How could Luther be that angel flying with the Gospel?

What does the angel proclaim?

**Talk About Next Sunday's Epistle Reading: Romans 3.19-28**

What should our attitude be under the law?

What is that righteousness of God apart from the law?

How did Martin Luther discover that righteousness of God apart from the law?

**Talk About Next Sunday's Gospel Reading: John 8.31-36 (Matthew 11.12-29)**

How are we the disciples of Jesus?

How does the truth set us free?

Who are slaves to sin?

Catechism Selection (this may be read, recited, or spoken responsively)

**The Sixth Commandment**

You shall not commit adultery.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we lead a sexually pure and decent life in what we say and do, and husband and wife love and honor each other.

**The Seventh Commandment**

You shall not steal.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not take our neighbor's money or possessions, or get them in any dishonest way, but help him to improve and protect his possessions and income.

**The Eighth Commandment**

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest way.