Scripture

Responsive Prayer

Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal,
Have mercy on us.

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, forever and ever. Amen.

The Apostle’s creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

Litany

Morning

O Lord, I cry to you for help. In the morning my prayer comes before you.
Let my month be full of your praise And your glory all of the day long.
Every day will I bless you, And praise your name forever and ever.
Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness, O God of our salvation, O hope of all the ends of the earth and of the seas that are far away.
Bless the Lord, O my soul, And all that is within me, bless God’s holy name.
You redeem my life from the grave, and crown me with mercy and steadfast love.
Lord, hear my prayer, And let my cry come before you.
Luther’s Morning Prayer

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

We give thanks to you, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ your dear Son, that you have protected us through the night from all harm and danger. We ask that you would also protect us today from sin and all evil, so that our life and actions may please you. Into your hands we commend ourselves: our bodies, our souls, and all that is ours. Let your holy angels be with us, so that the wicked foe may have no power over us.

Amen.

Evening

Show us your mercy, O God, And grant us your salvation.

Give us the joy of your saving help again,
And sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.

Give peace in all the world; For only in you can we live in safety.

Keep the nations under your care, And guide us in the way of justice and truth.

Let your way be known upon earth; Your saving health among all nations.

Let not the needy be forgotten, Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, And sustain me with your Holy Spirit.

Lord, hear my prayer, And let my cry come before you.

Luther’s Evening Prayer

We give thanks to you, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ your dear Son, that you have graciously protected us today. We ask you to forgive us all our sins, where we have done wrong, and graciously protect us tonight. Into your hands we commend ourselves: our bodies, our souls, and all that is ours. Let your Holy angels be with us, so that the wicked foe may have no power over us.

Amen.

Blessing and Benediction

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Almighty God bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God!