

Hymn of the Week

#726



Daily Prayer

For Individuals and Families

[1] Evening and morning; Sunset and dawning,
Wealth, peace, and gladness; Comfort in sadness:
These are Thy works; all the glory be Thine!
Times without number; Awake or in slumber,
Thine eye observes us; From danger preserves us,
Causing Thy mercy upon us to shine.

[2] Father, O hear me; Pardon and spare me;
Calm all my terrors; Blot out my errors
That by Thine eyes they may no more be scanned.
Order my goings; Direct all my doings.
As it may please Thee; Retain or release me;
All I commit to Thy fatherly hand.

[3] Ills that still grieve me; Soon are to leave me;
Though billows tower; And winds gain power,
After the storm the fair sun shows its face.
Joys e'er increasing; And peace never ceasing;
These shall I treasure; And share in full measure
When in His mansions God grants me a place.

[4] To God in heaven; All praise be given!
Come, let us offer; And gladly proffer
To the Creator the gifts He doth prize.
He well receiveth; A heart that believeth;
Hymns that adore Him; Are precious before Him
And to His throne like sweet incense arise.

The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

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

Amen.

Who is God, but the LORD? And who is a rock, except our God?

The God who equipped me with strength and made my way blameless.

He made my feet like the feet of a deer and set me secure on the heights.

He trains my hands for war, so that my arms can bend a bow of bronze.

You have given me the shield of your salvation, and your right hand supported me, and your gentleness made me great.

You gave a wide place for my steps under me, and my feet did not slip.

You equipped me with strength for the battle; you made those who rise against me sink under me. *(Ps. 18)*

**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.**

A hymn, canticle, or psalm may be sung or spoken.

Scripture Readings for the Week:

Sun. Deuteronomy 9:23-10:22
Matthew 11:20-30

Thurs. Deuteronomy 13:1-18
Matthew 13:1-23

Mon. Deuteronomy 11:1-25
Matthew 12:1-21

Fri. Dt. 14:1-2,22-23,14:28-15:15
Matthew 13:24-43

Tues. Deuteronomy 11:26-12:12
Matthew 12:22-37

Sat. Deuteronomy 15:19-16:22
Matthew 13:44-58

Wed. Deuteronomy 12:13-32
Matthew 12:38-50

Lord's Prayer and Prayers for others and ourselves

Concluding prayer:

Almighty God, you invite us to trust in you for our salvation. Deal with us not in the severity of your judgment but by the greatness of your mercy; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 103:1