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Congregation at Prayer

Week of September 22, 2024

INVOCATION

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

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of Heaven and Earth

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

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.

VERSE OF THE WEEK

Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain.
Unless the LORD watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain. Behold, children are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward. Psalm 127: 1, 3

SMALL CATECHISM

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FOURTH COMMANDMENT

Honor your father and your mother.

What does this mean? We should fear and love God so that we do not despise or anger our parents and other authorities, but honor them, serve and obey them, love and cherish them.

Sunday	Trinity 17 – Luke 14:1-11
Monday	The Rebellion of Absalom—2 Samuel 15:2-15 (15:16–18:5) 18:6- 15 (16-32) 18:33–19:6
Tuesday	Ruth and Her Kinsman Redeemer—Ruth 1:1-19a (1:19b–3:18) 4:1-10 (11-22)
Wednesday	The Boy Jesus in the Temple—Luke 2:(40) 41-52
Thursday	Deuteronomy 10:12-21
Friday	1 Corinthians 1:1-9
Saturday	Matthew 22:34-46

PSALM 34:8-22

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS (LSB Page 294)

Sunday	Joy of Resurrection and fruit of faith nourished by Sacraments
Monday	For one's vocation, unemployed, salvation and well-being of our neighbor
Tuesday	Deliverance against temptation, addicted, despairing
Wednesday	Marriage and family, parents and children
Thursday	Church and her pastors, teachers, missionaries
Friday	Preaching of the Gospel of Jesus throughout the world, the persecuted, the sick and dying
Saturday	Faithfulness to the end, return of those who have fallen away or who are withering in the faith.

HYMN OF THE WEEK – “Thee Will I Love My Strength, My Tower” 694

LORD'S PRAYER

LUTHER'S MORNING PRAYER: I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your