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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 "Lord of Our Life" 659

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 hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me that the Evil Foe may have no power over me. AMEN.

OR

LUTHER'S EVENING PRAYER: I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the Evil Foe may have no power over me. AMEN.

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Holy Baptism

We have now finished the three chief parts of the common Christian doctrine. Besides these we have yet to speak of our two Sacraments instituted by Christ, of which also every Christian ought to have at least an ordinary, brief instruction, because without them there can be no Christian; although, alas! hitherto no instruction concerning them has been given. But, in the first place, we take up Baptism, by which we are first received into the Christian Church. However, in order that it may be readily understood, we will treat of it in an orderly manner, and keep only to that which it is necessary for us to know. For how it is to be maintained and defended against heretics and sects we will commend to the learned.

Likewise in St. Mark 16:16: ⁵ He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.

³ In the first place, we must above all things know well the words upon which Baptism is founded, and to which everything refers that is to be said on the subject, namely, where the Lord Christ speaks in Matthew 28:19:

⁴ Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.