

Bethany's Lenten Devotions

From the Service of Prayer and Preaching in LSB

Where two or more are gathered, a designated leader may read the regular type, with the rest of those gathered responding in the bold. Individuals should read the whole service.

This is the day which the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Psalm 118:24

From the rising of the sun to its setting,
the name of the Lord is to be praised.

Psalm 113:3

Return to the Lord, your God, for He is gracious and merciful,
Slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and repents of evil.

Joel 2:13

Jesus said: If any man would come after Me,
Let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me.

Matthew 16:24

Christ was wounded for our transgressions,
He was bruised for our iniquities.

Isaiah 52:5

At this time, you may watch the video and continue below when it is finished.

We have an advocate with the Father; Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.
He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.
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The Prayers

In peace let us pray to the Lord...

(After each petition) **Lord, have mercy.**

For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:

For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout all the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:

For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:

For seasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:

For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:

For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:

For the sick and the dying and for all those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord:

Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord's Prayer *(Said by all...)*

**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.

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us.

Amen.