

# Morning Prayer

Wednesday - Thirty-second Week in Ordinary Time



*We know  
that all  
things work  
together  
for good for  
those who  
love God....*

*Romans 8:28*

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Glory 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.

## Morning Hymn: "Fresh As the Morning"

1. *God of the Bible, God in the Gospel, hope seen in Jesus, hope yet to come, you are our center, daylight or darkness, freedom or prison, you are our home.*

*Refrain: Fresh as the morning, sure as the sunrise, God always faithful, you do not change. Fresh as the morning, sure as the sunrise, God always faithful, you do not change.*

2. *God in our struggles, God in our hunger, suffering with us, taking our part, still you empow'r us, mothering Spirit, feeding, sustaining, from your own heart.*

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## Reading: Wisdom 61-11

Hear, O kings, and understand; learn, you magistrates of the earth's expanse! Harken, you who are in power over the multitude and lord it over throngs of peoples! Because authority was given you by the Lord and sovereignty by the Most High, who shall probe your works and scrutinize your counsels. Because, though you were ministers of his kingdom, you judged not rightly, and did not keep the law, nor walk according to the will of God, terribly and swiftly shall he come against you, because judgment is stern for the exalted—for the lowly may be pardoned out of mercy but the mighty shall be mightily put to the test. For the Lord of all shows no partiality, nor does he fear greatness, because he himself made the great as well as the small, and he provides for all alike; but for those in power a rigorous scrutiny impends. To you, therefore, O princes, are my words addressed that you may learn wisdom and that you may not sin. For those who keep the holy precepts hallowed shall be found holy, and those learned in them will have ready a response. Desire therefore my words; long for them and you shall be instructed. The word of the Lord.

## Psalm 90: "You Have Been Our Dwelling Place"

Please repeat refrain after cantor the first time and sing after each verse:

*You have been our dwelling place throughout all time, our safety, our refuge, our home.  
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## Psalmody: Psalm 82

Antiphon (Please repeat after the Leader)

Ant. Rise up, O God, bring judgment to the earth.

L. Defend the lowly and the fatherless; render justice to the afflicted and the destitute.

R. Rescue the lowly and the poor; from the hand of the wicked deliver them.

L. I said: "You are gods, all of you sons of the Most High; yet like men you shall die, and fall like any prince."

## Psalm Prayer

Lord, you are faithful in all your works. You achieve them in us by inspiring and calling us in hidden ways. You lift us up in this way and change our lives. We turn to you and find new hope in your loving kindness.

Antiphon: Rise up, O God, bring judgment to the earth.

## Reading: Luke 17:11-19

As Jesus continued his journey to Jerusalem, he traveled through Samaria and Galilee. As he was entering a village, ten lepers met him. They stood at a distance from him and raised their voice, saying, "Jesus, Master! Have pity on us!" And when he saw them, he said, "Go show yourselves to the priests." As they were going they were cleansed. And one of them, realizing he had been healed, returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. He was a Samaritan. Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you."

The Gospel of the Lord.

## Reflection

*We are many parts, we are all one body; and the gifts we have, we are given to share. May the Spirit of love make us one indeed; one, the love that we share, one, our hope in despair, one, the cross that we bear.*

1. *God of all, we look to you, we would be your servants true, let us be your love to all the world.*

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**Intercessions**      Please respond "Lord hear our prayer."

## Lord's Prayer

## Kiss of Peace

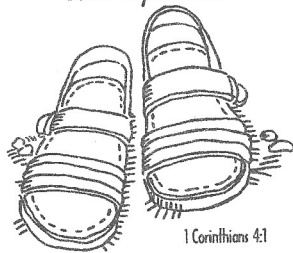
## Closing Prayer

God, watch over us and protect us. May your presence come upon your people as we place ourselves, our families, and our homes under the reign of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

## Dismissal

May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil and bring us to life everlasting. Amen.

Think of us in this way,  
as servants of Christ  
and stewards of  
God's mysteries.



1 Corinthians 4:1