



1 Corinthians 8:1-3

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**Daily Prayer
For Individuals and Families
Sunday, January 29 thru February 25, 2023**

*"Prince of Peace Church is a fellowship of Lutheran Christians
whose mission is to extend the Kingdom of God for His glory."*

—Mission Statement adopted March 20, 1994



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LSB 294



These brief services are intended as a simple form of daily prayer for individuals and families, and in other settings.

When more than one person is present, the versicles and responses may be spoken responsively, with one person reading the words in regular type and the others responding with the words in bold type. Prayers that are in bold type are to be prayed by all.

For the readings, several verses have been recommended for each particular time of day. These may be used on a rotating basis. The value in using these few texts lies in the opportunity to learn them well. For those desiring a more complete selection of readings, daily lectionaries, such as the one found on LSB pages 299–304, may be followed. Readings from the Small Catechism (LSB pages 321–330) may also be incorporated into the services.

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Here is a list of suggested readings to integrate into the Daily Prayer Services Below:

Congregation at Prayer:

Beginning Sunday, January 28, 2024

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

♦ Catechism: Sacrament of Holy Baptism: *What does such baptizing with water indicate? Where is this written?*

♦ Verse of the week: Luke 9:23 If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me.

♦ Psalm of the week: Psalm 130

♦ Hymn of the week: LSB 556 “Dear Christians, One and All Rejoice” (stanzas 6-10)

♦ Psalm Table:

General Week 1	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	103	5	42	89:1-18	97	51	104
Evening	117; 139	84; 29	102; 133	1; 33	16: 62	142: 65	118: 111

Bible Stories for the Week:

Bible Narrative	Second Reading
Sunday	The Parable of the Workers in the Vineyard—Matthew 20:1-16
Monday	Jonah Is Swallowed by the Great Fish—Jonah 1:1—2:10
Tuesday	The Sign of Jonah—Matthew 12:38-45
Wednesday	Jesus Walks on the Water—Matthew 14:22-36
Thursday	Jesus Washes the Disciples’ Feet—John 13:1-15
Friday	Purification of Mary and Presentation—Luke 2:22-32
Saturday	The Power of the Word of God—Isaiah 55:10-13
	Romans 6:1-14
	Jonah 2:1-10
	Colossians 2:11-15
	1 Corinthians 6:9-11
	Hebrews 2:14-18
	2 Cor. 11:19—12:9

Congregation at Prayer:
Beginning Sunday, February 4, 2024

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

♦ Catechism: Confession and the Office of the Keys: *What is Confession? What sins should we confess? Which are these?*

♦ Verse of the week: Psalm 130:3-5 If You, LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? 4 But *there is* forgiveness with You, that You may be feared. 5 I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in His word I do hope.

♦ Psalm of the week: Psalm 84

♦ Hymn of the week: LSB 607 “From Depth of Woe I cry to Thee” (stanzas 1-3)

* Psalm Table:

General Week 2	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	19	136	123	15	36	130	56
Evening	81; 113	97; 112	30; 86	48; 4	80; 27	32; 139	100; 62

Bible Stories for the Week:

Bible Narrative		Second Reading
Sunday	The Parable of the Sower and the Seed—Luke 8:4-15	
Monday	Parables of the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin—Luke 15:1-10	Isaiah 1:16-18
Tuesday	The Parable of the Prodigal Son (Part 1)—Luke 15:11-24	Jeremiah 31:31-34
Wednesday	The Parable of the Prodigal Son (Part 2)—Luke 15:25-32	Psalm 51
Thursday	David’s Sin with Bathsheba—2 Samuel 11:1-27	Psalm 32
Friday	The Prophet Nathan Confronts David—2 Samuel 12:1-25	John 20:19-23
Saturday	The Anointing of David—1 Samuel 16:1-13	1 Cor. 13:1-13

Congregation at Prayer:
Beginning Sunday, February 11, 2024

Transfiguration of Our Lord

♦ Catechism: Confession and the Office of the Keys: *What is Confession? What is the Office of the Keys? Where is this written? What do you believe according to these words?*

♦ Verse of the week: Isaiah 1:18 “Come now, and let us reason together,” says the LORD, “though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall be as wool.”

♦ Psalm of the week: Psalm 51

♦ Hymn of the week: LSB 614 “As Surely as I Love,’ God Said” (stanzas 5-8)

* Psalm Table:

General Week 3	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	67	51	54	65	143	86	122
Evening	46; 93	85; 47	28; 99	125; 91	81; 116	6; 19	141; 90

Bible Stories for the Week:

Bible Narrative		Second Reading
Sunday	Jesus Gives Sight to a Blind Man—Luke 18:31-43	
Monday	The Miraculous Catch of Fish—Luke 5:1-11	Matthew 28:18-20
Tuesday	Jesus Forgives the Paralytic—Matthew 9:1-13	2 Corinthians 4:1-15
Wednesday	Jesus Sends Out the Twelve—Matthew 9:35—10:20, 40	2 Timothy 4:1-5
ASH WED:	Fasting, Almsgiving, and Prayer —Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21	
Thursday	Holy Absolution for the Erring Brother—Matthew 18:14-22	Romans 10:8-17
Friday	No School —Parable of the Unforgiving Servant—Mt. 18:21-35	1 John 1:5-10
Saturday	David and Goliath—1 Samuel 17:40-51	2 Corinthians 6:1-10

Congregation at Prayer:
Beginning Sunday, February 18, 2024

First Sunday in Lent



Catechism: Sacrament of the Altar: *What is the Sacrament of the Altar? Where is this written?*

◆ Verse of the week: 1 Corinthians 10:16 The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ?

◆ Psalm of the week: Psalm 32

◆ Hymn of the week: LSB 617 “O Lord, We Praise Thee” (stanzas 1-3)

* Psalm Table:

General Week 4	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	110	62	13	96	116	85	61
Evening	66; 23	73; 8	36; 5	132; 134	26; 130	25; 40	138; 98

Bible Stories for the Week:

Bible Narrative		Second Reading
Sunday	The Temptation of Our Lord—Matthew 4:1-11	John 1:1-14 1 Corinthians 11:17-26
Monday	Tree of Knowledge and Tree of Life—Gen. 2:4-17	
Tuesday	Man Eats the Forbidden Fruit—Genesis 3:1-24	Matthew 26:17-30 1 Corinthians 10:14-21 Matthew 11:25-30
Wednesday	Lent: Jesus Cleanses the Leper —Mark 1:35-45/Confession	
Thursday	The Passover—Exodus 12:1-14, 17	
Friday	The Wedding in Cana of Galilee—John 2:1-11	
Saturday	St. Matthias, Apostle —Acts 1:15-26	



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Morning

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.

In the morning, O Lord, You hear my voice;

in the morning I prepare a sacrifice for You and watch. [*Psalm 5:3*]

My mouth is filled with Your praise,

and with Your glory all the day. [*Psalm 71:80*]

Lord, open my lips,

and my mouth will declare Your praise. [*Psalm 51:15*]

**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. (hymns at back)

Beginning Sunday, January 28, 2024 LSB 556 “Dear Christians, One and All Rejoice” (stanzas 6-10)

Beginning Sunday, February 4, 2024 LSB 607 “From Depth of Woe I cry to Thee” (stanzas 1-3)

Beginning Sunday, February 11, 2024 LSB 614 “As Surely as I Love, ’ God Said” (stanzas 5-8)

Beginning Sunday, February 18, 2024 LSB 617 “O Lord, We Praise Thee” (stanzas 1-3)

An appointed reading or one of the following is read: Colossians 3:1–4; Exodus 15:1–11; Isaiah 12:1–6; Matthew 20:1–16; Mark 13:32–36; Luke 24:1–9; John 21:4–14; Ephesians 4:17–24; Romans 6:1–4.

A portion of the Small or Large Catechism may be read.

The Apostles' Creed is confessed.

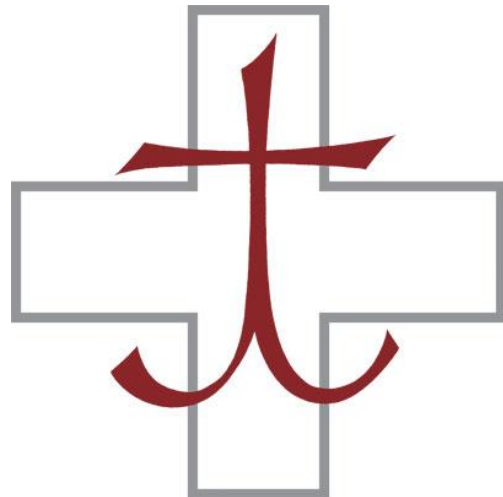
**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**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.**

Lord's Prayer

**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.**



Prayers for others and ourselves

Sunday: For the joy of the resurrection among us;
for the fruit of faith nourished by the Word and the
Sacraments.

Monday: For faith to live in the promises of Holy
Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the
unemployed; for the salvation and well-being of
our neighbors; for schools, colleges, and seminaries;
for good government and for peace.

Tuesday: For deliverance against temptation and
evil; for the addicted and despairing, the tortured
and oppressed; for those struggling with sin.

Wednesday: For marriage and family, that
husbands and wives, parents and children live in
ordered harmony according to the Word of God;
for parents who must raise children alone; for our
communities and neighborhoods.

Thursday: For the Church and her pastors; for teachers, deaconesses, and other church workers; for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed Sacrament of Christ's body and blood.

Friday: For the preaching of the holy cross of our Lord Jesus Christ and for the spread of His

knowledge throughout the whole world; for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying.

Saturday: For faithfulness to the end; for the renewal of those who are withering in the faith or have fallen away; for receptive hearts and minds to God's Word on the Lord's Day; for pastors and people as they prepare to administer and receive Christ's holy gifts.

Concluding prayers:

Almighty God, merciful Father, who created and completed all things, on this day when the work of our calling begins anew, we implore You to create its beginning, direct its continuance, and bless its end, that our doings may be preserved from sin, our life sanctified, and our work this day be well pleasing to You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

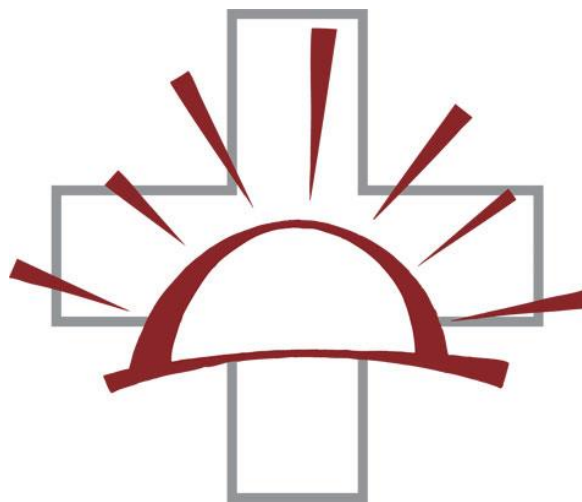
I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

(423) Small Catechism

Let us bless the Lord. [*Psalm 103:1*]

Thanks be to God.

Then go joyfully to your work



Noon

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.

Listen to my prayer, O God, do not ignore my plea;

hear me and answer me.

Evening, morning, and noon

I cry out in distress, and He hears my voice.

Cast your cares on the Lord and He will sustain you;

He will never let the righteous fall. [Psalm 55:1–2a, 17, 22 NIV]

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. (hymns at back)

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An appointed reading or one of the following is read: 1 Corinthians 7:17a, 23–24; Luke 23:44–46;

Matthew 5:13–16; Matthew 13:1–9, 18–23; Mark 13:24–27; John 15:1–9; Romans 7:18–25; Romans 12:1–2; 1 Peter 1:3–9; Revelation 7:13–17.

O Lord,

have mercy upon us.

O Christ,

have mercy upon us.

O Lord,

have mercy upon us. [Mark 10:47]

Lord's Prayer

**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.
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Concluding Prayer

Blessed Lord Jesus Christ, at this hour You hung upon the cross, stretching out Your loving arms to embrace the world in Your death. Grant that all people of the earth may look to You and see their salvation; for Your mercy's sake we pray. (442)
Amen.

Thursday: For the Church and her pastors; for teachers, deaconesses, and other church workers; for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed Sacrament of Christ's body and blood.

Friday: For the preaching of the holy cross of our Lord Jesus Christ and for the spread of His knowledge throughout the whole world; for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying.

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Heavenly Father, send Your Holy Spirit into our hearts to direct and rule us according to Your will, to comfort us in all our afflictions, to defend us from all error, and to lead us into all truth; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. (443)
Amen.

Let us bless the Lord. [*Psalm 103:1*]

Thanks be to God

Early Evening

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.

A candle may be lighted.

Let my prayer rise before You as incense,

the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice. [Psalm 141:2]

Joyous light of glory:

of the immortal Father;

heavenly, holy, blessed Jesus Christ.

We have come to the setting of the sun,

and we look to the evening light.

We sing to God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit:

You are worthy of being praised with pure voices forever.

O Son of God, O Giver of life: the universe proclaims Your glory.

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Wednesday: For marriage and family, that husbands and wives, parents and children live in ordered harmony according to the Word of God; for parents who must raise children alone; for our communities and neighborhoods.

Concluding prayer:

Lord Jesus, stay with us, for the evening is at hand and the day is past. Be our constant companion on the way, kindle our hearts, and awaken hope among us, that we may recognize You as You are revealed in the Scriptures and in the breaking of the bread. Grant this for Your name's sake. (444)

Amen.

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Mealtime Prayers

Asking a blessing before the meal

Lord God, heavenly Father, bless us and these Your gifts which we receive from Your bountiful goodness, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. (445) *Small Catechism*

Returning thanks after the meal

We thank You, Lord God, heavenly Father, for all Your benefits, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen. (446) *Small Catechism*

Singing/Reading Options

LSB 774 Feed Thy Children, God Most Holy

Feed Thy chil-dren, God most ho-ly; Com-fort sin-ners
poor and low-ly. O Thou Bread of Life from heav-en, Bless the
food Thou here hast giv-en! As these gifts the bod-y nour-ish,
May our souls in grac-es flour-ish Till with saints in
heav'n-ly splen-dor At Thy feast due thanks we ren-der.

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LSB 775 Be Present at Our Table, Lord (Tune: Doxology)

Be pres-ent at our ta-ble, Lord; Be here and
ev-'ry-where a-dored; Thy crea-tures bless, and
grant that we May feast in par-a-dise with Thee.

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Close of the Day

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.

The Lord Almighty grant us a quiet night and peace at the last.

Amen.

It is good to give thanks to the Lord,

to sing praise to Your name, O Most High;

To herald Your love in the morning,

Your truth at the close of the day. [Psalm 92:1–2]

An appointed reading or one of the following is read: Matthew 11:28–30; Micah 7:18–20; Matthew 18:15–35; Matthew 25:1–13; Luke 11:1–13; Luke 12:13–34; Romans 8:31–39; 2 Corinthians 4:16–18; Revelation 21:22—22:5.

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**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.**

Lord, now You let Your servant go in peace;

Your word has been fulfilled.

My own eyes have seen the salvation

which You have prepared in the sight of every people:

a light to reveal You to the nations

and the glory of Your people Israel. [Luke 2:29–32]

**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.**

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Concluding prayers:

Visit our dwellings, O Lord, and in Your great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of Your only Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. (447)

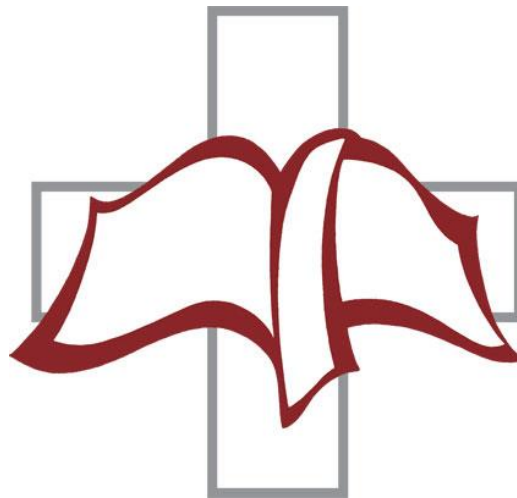
Amen.

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. (424) *Small Catechism*

Let us bless the Lord. [*Psalm 103:1*]

Thanks be to God.

Then go to sleep at once and in good cheer



Acknowledgments

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6 The Son o - beyed His Fa - ther's will, Was born of vir - gin
 7 To me He said: "Stay close to Me, I am your rock and
 8 "Though he will shed My pre - cious blood, Me of My life be -
 9 "Now to My Fa - ther I de - part, From earth to heav'n as -
 10 "What I on earth have done and taught Guide all your life and



moth - er; And God's good plea - sure to ful - fill, He came to
 cas - tle. Your ran - som I My - self will be; For you I
 reav - ing, All this I suf - fer for your good; Be stead - fast
 cend - ing, And, heav'n - ly wis - dom to im - part, The Ho - ly
 teach - ing; So shall the king - dom's work be wrought And hon - ored



be my broth - er. His roy - al pow'r dis - guised He bore; A
 strive and wres - tle. For I am yours, and you are Mine, And
 and be - liev - ing. Life will from death the vic - t'ry win; My
 Spir - it send - ing; In trou - ble He will com - fort you And
 in your preach - ing. But watch lest foes with base al - loy The



ser - vant's form, like mine, He wore To lead the dev - il cap - tive.
 where I am you may re - main; The foe shall not di - vide us.
 in - no - cence shall bear your sin, And you are blest for - ev - er.
 teach you al - ways to be true And in - to truth shall guide you.
 heav'n - ly trea - sure should de - stroy; This fi - nal word I leave you."

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Beginning Sunday, February 4, 2024 LSB 607 "From Depth of Woe I cry to Thee" (stanzas 1-3)

1 From depths of woe I cry to Thee, In trial and
2 Thy love and grace a - lone a - vail To blot out
3 There - fore my hope is in the Lord And not in

trib - u - la - tion; Bend down Thy gra - cious
my trans - gres - sion; The best and ho - liest
mine own mer - it; It rests up - on His

ear to me, Lord, hear my sup - pli - ca - tion.
deeds must fail To break sin's dread op - pres - sion.
faith - ful Word To them of con - trite spir - it

If Thou re - mem - b'rest ev - 'ry sin, Who then could heav - en
Be - fore Thee none can boast - ing stand, But all must fear Thy
That He is mer - ci - ful and just; This is my com - fort

ev - er win Or stand be - fore Thy pres - ence?
strict de - mand And live a - lone by mer - cy.
and my trust. His help I wait with pa - tience.

Text: tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827-78, alt.
Text and tune: Martin Luther, 1483-1546
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Beginning Sunday, February 11, 2024 LSB 614 "As Surely as I Love, ' God Said" (stanzas 5-8)

3 "All those whose sins you thus re - mit I tru - ly
5 The words which ab - so - lu - tion give Are His who
6 When min - is - ters lay on their hands, Ab - solved by
7 All praise to You, O Christ, shall be For ab - so -
△ 8 Praise God the Fa - ther and the Son And Ho - ly

par - don and ac - quit, And those whose sins you
died that we might live; The min - is - ter whom
Christ the sin - ner stands; He who by grace the
lu - tion full and free, In which You show Your
Spir - it, Three in One, As was, is now, and

will re - tain Con - demned and guilt - y shall re - main.
Christ has sent Is but His hum - ble in - stru - ment.
Word be - lieves The pur - chase of His blood re - ceives.
rich - est grace; From false in - dul - gence guard our race.
so shall be World with - out end, e - ter - nal - ly!

Text: Nicolaus Herman, c. 1480-1561; tr. Matthias Loy, 1828-1915, alt.
Tune: Jeremiah Clarke, c. 1674-1707
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1 O Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and a - dore Thee,
 2 Thy ho - ly bod - y in - to death was giv - en,
 3 May God be - stow on us His grace and fa - vor

In thanks - giv - ing bow be - fore Thee. Thou with Thy
 Life to win for us in heav - en. No great - er
 That we fol - low Christ our Sav - ior And live to -

bod - y and Thy blood didst nour - ish Our weak souls that
 love than this to Thee could bind us; May this feast there -
 geth - er here in love and u - nion Nor de - spise this

they may flour - ish: O Lord, have mer - cy!
 of re - mind us! O Lord, have mer - cy!
 blest Com - mu - nion! O Lord, have mer - cy!

May Thy bod - y, Lord, born of Mar - y, That our
 Lord, Thy kind - ness did so con - strain Thee That Thy
 Let not Thy good Spir - it for - sake us; Grant that

sins and sor - rows did car - ry, And Thy blood for us plead
 blood should bless and sus - tain me. All our debt Thou hast paid;
 heav'n - ly - mind - ed He make us; Give Thy Church, Lord, to see

In all tri - al, fear, and need: O Lord, have mer - cy!
 Peace with God once more is made: O Lord, have mer - cy!
 Days of peace and u - ni - ty: O Lord, have mer - cy!

Text: tr. The Lutheran Hymnal, 1941, alt.; (st. 1): German, 14th cent.; (sts. 2-3): Martin Luther, 1483-1546
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