



Morning Prayer
February 3 – February 19
Matins

L: O Lord, open my lips,

C: and my mouth shall declare your praise

C: 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
Alleluia! Alleluia!

L: Give glory to God, our Light and our life.

C: Oh, come, let us worship him.

C: Oh, come, let us sing to the Lord;

let us shout for joy to the rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving

and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, and a great king above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth,

the heights of the hills are also his,

The sea is his, for he made it,

and his hands have molded the dry land.

Oh, come, let us bow down and bend the knee,

and kneel before the Lord our maker.

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

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.

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C: Oh, come, let us worship him.

Psalms

Feb 3 Monday: 135

Lord God, You are great and have done mighty deeds; You have shattered the powers of darkness and have shown compassion to Your servants. Keep us from being deceived by idols, for there is no god like You, and Your renown endures from age to age. Blessed be the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Feb 4 Tuesday: 123

Lord, our creator and redeemer, we look to You for all that we need. Look with favor on us, Your servants, and give us Your grace; for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Feb 5 Wednesday: 15

Lord Jesus, you first chose to live among us, and in returning to Your Father You made an eternal home for us. Help us walk blamelessly in Your ways and bring us at last to Your holy mountain, where You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Feb 6 Thursday: 36

Lord God, source of light and life, by the light of Your truth let the virtuous know Your goodness and sinners feel Your mercy, so that together they may drink from Your river of delight and rejoice now and ever in Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Feb 7 Friday: 130

God of might and compassion, You sent Your Word into the world as a watchman to announce the dawn of salvation. Do not leave us in the depths of our sins, but listen to Your Church pleading for the fullness of Your redeeming grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Feb 8 Saturday: 56

Lord Jesus Christ, victim for our sins, You trusted in Your Father's protection and kept silent when You were tormented. Give us that same confidence, that we may gladly suffer with You and for You, offering the Father our sacrifice of praise and walking before him in the light of the living; and to You be the glory now and forever. Amen.

Feb 9 Sunday: 19

Heavenly Father, You have filled the world with beauty. Open our eyes to see Your gracious hand in all Your works, that rejoicing in Your whole creation, we may learn to serve You with gladness, for the sake of Him through whom all things were made, Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lessons:

Feb 3 Monday

Isaiah 51:17-23
Galatians 4:1-11
Mark 7:24-37

Feb 4 Tuesday

Isaiah 52:1-12
Galatians 4:12-20
Mark 8:1-10

Feb 5 Wednesday

Isaiah 52:13–53:12
Galatians 4:21-31
Mark 8:11-26

Feb 6 Thursday

Isaiah 54:1-17
Galatians 5:1-15
Mark 8:27-9:1

Feb 7 Friday

Isaiah 55:1-13
Galatians 5:16-24
Mark 9:2-13

Feb 8 Saturday

Isaiah 56:1-8
Galatians 5:24-6:10
Mark 9:14-29

Feb 9 Sunday *Epiphany 5*

Isaiah 57:1-13
Hebrews 12:1-6
John 7:37-46

- L: In many and various ways God spoke to his people of old by the prophets.
- C: But now in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son.
- C: Our Lord and Savior, begotten before all ages,
Revealed Himself to the world. Alleluia.
- C: Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel;
he has come to his people and set them free.
He has raised up for us a mighty Savior,
born of the house of his servant David.
Through his holy prophets he promised of old that
he would save us from our enemies,
from the hands of all who hate us.
He promised to show mercy to our fathers
and to remember his holy covenant.
This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham:
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,
free to worship him without fear,
holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.
- L: You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,
to give his people knowledge of salvation
by the forgiveness of their sins.
In the tender compassion of our God,
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,
to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of
death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.
- C: 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.
- C: Our Lord and Savior, begotten before all ages,
Revealed Himself to the world. Alleluia.

Prayer of the day:

Feb 3 Monday

Father in heaven, from the days of Abraham and Moses until this gathering of Your Church in prayer, You have formed a people in the image of Your Son. Bless this people with the gift of Your kingdom. May we serve You with our every desire and show love for one another even as You have loved us. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Feb 4 Tuesday

Almighty and everlasting God, You govern all things both in heaven and earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of Your people, and in our time grant us Your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Feb 5 Wednesday

O God, Thou that wilt not flatter us who love flattery, and dost offer us toil who love ease, open our eyes that we may see what Thou wouldst have us see in all the world about us, and our ears that we may hear what word Thou wouldst speak in Him who is that Word, even Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord. Amen.

Feb 6 Thursday

Thou hast called us into Thy presence, O God. Be Thou therefore light for our darkness, and strength for every high purpose wherein we are weak. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Feb 7 Friday

Bestow upon us, O God, all that Thou dost ask of us, that in asking life of Thee we may be ready to share Thy life, and the weight of it, which is Thy love in Christ Jesus. Amen.

Feb 8 Saturday

We have come, O God, at Thy bidding. Unless we are willing to be healed, Thou canst not heal the world's hurt. Grant us now in the power of Thy Spirit to hear the word which maketh whole the sick, and all things new that were old. Through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Feb 9 Sunday Epiphany 5

Father, watch over Your family and keep us safe in Your care, for all our hope is in You. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

L: O Lord, almighty and everlasting God, You have brought us in safety to this new day; preserve us with Your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome in adversity; in all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of Your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed by 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.

L: Let us bless the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

L: The Lord almighty bless us,
and direct our days and our deeds in his peace.

C: Amen.

Morning Prayer from LBW and *For All the Saints*

*For 200 years St. John's has been a
bright beacon of Christ's light and life
for the world.*

200 years and the work continues:

That all might know

Christ's Love.

*AS WE REFLECT ON JESUS'
DEATH/RESURRECTION AND GOD'S
UNMATCHED GENEROSITY
TOWARDS US AND ALL CREATION,
WE REALIZE IT'S ONLY BY HIS
GRACE/FORGIVENESS THAT I CAN
EVEN WRITE OR SPEAK ABOUT
GENEROSITY—FOR HIS GENEROSITY
IS BOTH PERFECT AND COMPLETE
IN EVERY WAY.*

**God Loves you
so very much!**

*ST. JOHN'S IS A GROUP OF SINNERS
WHO HAVE BEEN CLAIMED BY GOD
TO GATHER IN THIS PLACE TO
WORSHIP HIM,
TO LEARN ABOUT HIM,
TO BASK IN HIS LOVE,
TO SHARE HIS LOVE WITH EACH
OTHER, AND TO SPREAD THAT LOVE
WITH THE WORLD.*

GRACE
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