

# DAILY LITURGY



## Opening Prayer:

Gracious Father, I surrender this day to You. May the Holy Spirit lead me in all that I do, and may my life bring you glory in my thoughts, words and deeds. In the Name of Jesus I pray, Amen.

# **Apostles Creed:**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to hell.**

**The third day he rose again from the dead.**

**He ascended to heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father  
almighty.**

**From there he will come to judge the living and  
the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic\* church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **Prayer of Confession:**

Merciful God, I have sinned against you in thought, word and deed. I have failed to love you and my neighbor. Forgive me of these sins I have committed and the pride that binds me. Wash me clean, O Lord, and renew a right spirit within me. In the Name of Jesus, AMEN.

## **Scripture Reading: Psm. 102**

How does this psalm model faithful prayer in times of suffering, and what does it teach us about trusting God when our circumstances feel overwhelming or slow to change?

## **Scripture Reading: Exd. 13:17-22**

What does this passage teach us about trusting God's guidance when the path forward is unclear or not what we would choose for ourselves?

## **Scripture Reading: Acts 7:17-40**

What does this passage teach us about how God's purposes can be opposed—or overlooked—by His own people, and how might that challenge the way we discern and respond to God's work today?

## **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.

## **Benediction:**

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
the Lord make his face shine on you and be  
gracious to you;  
the Lord turn his face toward you  
and give you peace. AMEN.

-Numbers 6:23-24