

PRAY EVERY DAY April 7, 2024 Resource

What is one takeaway from the worship service that God is giving you?

Scripture Invitation

“The sower sows the word...And these are the ones sown on good soil; they hear the word and accept it and bear fruit, thirty and sixty and a hundredfold.” (Mark 4:14, 20 NRSV)

A Prayer for Morning: Zechariah's Song from Luke 1:68-79

*Praying the Psalms from the Daily Office (Morning * Evening)*

Monday:	1, 2, 3 * 4, 7
Tuesday:	5, 6 * 10, 11
Wednesday:	119:1-24 * 12, 13, 14
Thursday:	18:1-20 * 18:21-50
Friday:	16, 17 * 134, 135
Saturday:	20, 21 * 110, 116, 117
Sunday:	148, 149, 150 * 114, 115

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

The Bible in a Year with KUMC

This plan is available at KUMC and on the church website. This plan can be started at any time.

A Prayer from John Wesley's A Collection of Forms of Prayer for Every Day of the Week, 1733 (Friday Evening Prayer)

Lord God, I do not ask you to give me the things of this world: more money, better jobs, fancier things, fame. Give them to whomever you desire, and just give me your mercy. Give me Jesus. Give me the gift of whole-hearted commitment to follow him and do his works in the world. I do not pretend that this is a sacrifice on my part. No, it is all to my advantage. Serving you is the best thing I can do for my own soul's well being. Serving you is the best way I can help those dear to me. Serving you brings rewards that truly endure.

Accept my incomplete repentance, have compassion on my frailty, forgive my wickedness, purge me of my uncleanness, strengthen my weakness. Above all, anchor my unstable heart and fasten my attention and my desire all on you. Let me be no longer tossed back and forth between devotion to you and pursuit of the world's toys and trifles.

As I am crucified to the world and the world to me, grant that I may come alive to the joys of heaven. Permit my heart and mind to awaken more fully to the pleasures of Jesus' company and friendship. Let my soul be filled with the delight that comes from fulfilling the purpose for my being; namely, to honor and serve you in every thought, word, and deed. I die to worldly ambitions not to be lifeless but to be vibrant and vital to discover those desires and ambitions that you long to satisfy in me. Give me the joy of uninterrupted conversation with your Holy Spirit.

Be gracious to all who remember me in their prayers or desire to be remembered in mine. Strengthen the hearts of your servants against temptations. Grant that we may encourage one another to love and serve you.

Spend time in silence

Prayer for others and yourself

The 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. Amen.

Share the Love of Jesus because It's All about Relationships

How will you or how did you share the love of Jesus with neighbor today with no strings attached?

A Prayer for Evening: Mary's Song from Luke 1:46-55

A Prayer for Bedtime: Simeon's Song from Luke 2:29-32

Second Sunday of Easter Prayer from the Book of Common Prayer, 1979

Almighty and everlasting God, who is the Paschal mystery established and new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.