

Feed My Sheep: Growing in the Word

The Week of the Last Sunday

Nov. 25-Dec. 2, 2018

The Household Altar:

Daily Devotion to the Word and Prayer

In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Readings (Family members may take turns reading the Scripture):

Sun, 11/25.....	Matthew 25:1-13
Mon, 11/26.....	Psalms 149
Tue, 11/27.....	1 Thess. 5:1-11
Wed, 11/28.....	Isaiah 65:17-25
Thu, 11/29.....	Revelation 21:5-8
Fri, 11/30.....	Revelation 22:1-5
Sat, 12/01.....	Psalms 24

Verse of the Week (try to commit to memory):

Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning. (Luke 12:35)

Small Catechism of the Week (try to commit to memory):

What is the Second Commandment?

You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God.

What does this mean?

We should fear and love God so that we do not curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks.

Apostles' Creed

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. On 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.

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 and ever. Amen.

Collect (Prayer) of the Week:

O Lord, absolve Your people from their offenses that, from the bonds of our sins which by reason of our frailty we have brought upon ourselves, we may be delivered by Your bountiful goodness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

In Our Prayers

Illness: Pat Cunningham; Kenadee Julian; Kylee Parker; Kathy Lockenour; Jerry Biggart; Marty Michelson; Eunice Aufdenkamp; Barbi Walter; Scott Hess; Melanie Ferricks Capps; Leslie Symons; Elijah Peterman; Steve Bails; Carolyn Walquist; Theresa Gaziano; Kay Kasten; Bill Shutt; Sharon Park

Homebound: Donna Conklen; Esther Cox; Ruth Estes; Anita Kirby; Pat Sparks; Jack & Marian Roderick; Betty Biggart
Armed Forces: Brandon Goldhammer; Mark Schultz; Jared Williams; Jordan Saner; Grant Barnes; Brandon Brockhouse; Luke Bohm

Police: Scott Butterfield; Joshua Stuenkel; Grant Barnes
Missionaries: Rev. Roy Askins and family (Taiwan); The Hilberts (Botswana)

Others: Sem. Ian Kinney; all men studying to be pastors

Scripture Study and Sunday School

Sunday School ~ Today in Sunday School, students will study "Worship in the Tabernacle" from Exodus 40. In the tabernacle, God dwelled with His people, cleansing them and making them holy through the blood of sacrifices. In Christ, God now dwells among us, cleansing us and making us holy through His blood, sacrificed for us on the cross. *Ask students, "Why did God direct the people to build the tabernacle? Where do we worship God today?"*

Sunday Scripture Study ~ We continue reading through Revelation, discussing the visions that John was given by our Lord and what they mean for us. We're near the end! Come read and study about the Last Day, and the New Heavens and New Earth!

Weekday Study Opportunities

Monday Lunch Bunch (Mon at Noon) – 2 Samuel

Midweek Bible Study (Wed at 9:30 a.m.) – Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob (Genesis 12-35)

Breakfast Bible Study (Thur at 6:30 a.m.) – Esther