

A LITURGY FOR MORNING PRAYER

ADDRESS

Father God, creator of Heaven and earth,
God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God of Israel,
God and Father of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,
True and living God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
Have mercy on us and hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer (Matthew 6:9-13)

ADORATION

Psalm 103:1-5

CONFESSION

(of sin)

Psalm 51:1-7

(of belief)

Apostle's Creed

(of trust)

Psalm 23

Psalm 91:1-2

THANKSGIVING

Psalm 136:1-3

Gospel Reading (Revised Common Lectionary)

Sitting with Jesus (silent reflection on Gospel reading)

SUPPLICATION (making requests)

Prayer for Family

Petition and Intercession

COMMISSION

The Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-10)

Lord Jesus, you stretched out your arms of love upon the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of your saving embrace; So clothe us in your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know you to the knowledge and love of you; for your honor and your name. Amen.

PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred let me sow love;

Where there is injury, pardon;

Where there is doubt, faith;

Where there is despair, hope;

Where there is darkness, light;

Where there is sadness, joy;

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled,
as to console;

To be understood, as to understand;

To be loved, as to love;

For it is in giving that we receive.

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,

And it is in dying that we are born to everlasting life.

Amen.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Lord Jesus Christ, son of God, have mercy on me a sinner.

Amen and Amen