Please bring this sheet home with you to use this week with your family!

Holy Cross at Home

A Daily Prayer and Meditation Guide

For the Week of All Saints' Day
November 1, 2026 through November 7, 2026

The congregation gathers around the Word of God and the Sacraments each week, and this precious, spiritual food feeds the flock as they return to their callings in life. The purpose of this guide is to encourage family prayer at home, and to base that prayer on the Word of God that was heard in church. Not all of the following material needs to be followed. Please feel free to use what your family finds helpful in your devotional practice together.

Order of Daily Prayer

Invocation ✠
Apostles' Creed (see *LSB* p. 286)
Memory verse for the week: Romans 10:17 *"So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ."*

Psalm of the Week: Psalm 149

Psalm Prayer: O God, author of all goodness, who beautifies all meekness that humbly confesses You, grant that as You make the saints to be joyful in glory, so You would keep the present Church undefiled by the pleasures of this world; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Readings:	Morning	Evening
November 1	2 Chronicles 35	Colossians 3:1-25
November 2	2 Chronicles 36	Colossians 4:1-18
November 3	Nehemiah 1	1 Timothy 1
November 4	Nehemiah 2	1 Timothy 2
November 5	Nehemiah 4	1 Timothy 3
November 6	Nehemiah 5 & 6	1 Timothy 4
November 7	Nehemiah 7 & 8	1 Timothy 5:1-16
November 8	Nehemiah 9:1-21	1 Timothy 5:17—6:2

Hymn of the Week: *LSB* 677 "For All the Saints"

Catechism for the Week: The Ten Commandments (see *LSB* p. 322)
The Tenth Commandment

Collect for All Saints' Day:
Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Collect:
O almighty and everlasting God, who through Thine only-begotten and beloved Son, Jesus Christ, wilt sanctify all Thine elected and beloved: Give us grace to follow their faith, hope, and charity, that we together with them may obtain eternal life: through Thy Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, one true God, world without end. Amen.

Special Petitions:
For those who are estranged from the Church or have never known Christ
For parents as they protect and raise their children in the fear of the Lord
For our Early Childhood Center and Preschool

For Bev Carter, Greg Fields, Bryan, Linda Hill, Roberta Keltner, Sid Keltner, Amie Land, Bob Lange, Jennifer Miller, Katherine Rogers, Carol Salonen, Darrell Schulz, Sharon Thomas, Chris Thompson, Bev Thorpe, Elenita Wendt

Lord's Prayer ✠
Morning Prayer or Evening Prayer or Prayer at the Family Table

V: Let us bless the Lord! R: Thanks be to God!

Blessing: The Lord Almighty bless us and direct our days and our deeds in ✠ His peace. Amen.

Looking Forward to Next Week:
Twenty-Third Sunday after Trinity – November 8, 2026
Hymns: 585, TLH 437, 659, 850, 734, 940
Readings: Psalm 111; Proverbs 8:11-22; Philippians 3:17-21; Matthew 22:15-22