

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 the Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany  
February 20, 2022 through February 26, 2022

As you use this devotional resource at home, you may use or omit certain parts, as you see fit for your family group. Be sure to include the basic elements, like Scripture reading and prayer, especially the Lord's Prayer, and add others later. If you cannot sing the hymn, read a stanza or two and reflect on its message. As with all things, they get better with practice! May the Lord bless you and those with whom you pray, and may He graciously gather us again as the Body of Christ, since we know the great, final Day approaches.

### Order of Daily Prayer

Invocation ✠

Apostles' Creed (see *LSB* p. 286)

Memory verse for the week: 1 Timothy 6:10

Psalm of the Week: Psalm 103

*Psalm Prayer:* O Lord, heal the infirmities of Your people; who always pities sinners as a father his children, that delivered from the destruction of everlasting death, our soul may praise You, and our life glorify You; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings:	<u>Morning</u>	<u>Evening</u>
February 20	Job 19:1-27	John 8:1-20
February 21	Job 20:1-29	John 8:21-38
February 22	Job 21:1-21	John 8:39-59
February 23	Job 30:16-31	John 9:1-23
February 24	Job 31:1-40	John 9:24-41
February 25	Job 33:1-18	John 10:22-42
February 26	Job 33:19—34:9	John 11:1-16
February 27	Job 34:10-33	John 11:17-37

Hymn of the Week: *LSB* 683 "Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me"

Catechism for the Week: Christian Questions with Answers (see *LSB* p. 329)  
*Questions 1-8*

*Collect for the Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany:*

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in You, mercifully grant that by Your power we may be defended against all adversity; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Collect for church musicians and artists:*

God of majesty, whom saints and angels delight to worship in heaven, be with Your servants who make art and music for Your people that with joy we on earth may glimpse Your beauty. Bring us to the fulfillment of that hope of perfection that will be ours as we stand before Your unveiled glory; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

For our parish shut-ins and all who suffer from loneliness  
For the Church as it suffers rejection and persecution near us and worldwide  
For families who need food, warmth and other everyday necessities  
For grace to recall our Baptism and the blessings of daily forgiveness  
For Holy Cross members who have not attended Divine Service recently

For Irene Anderson, Glorine Bahl, Margery Baresel, David & Jeanne Beck, Tim & Alarice Carrao, Livy Contreras, Bob Hardesty, Lloyd Harfst, Phyllis Henry, Garney & Linda Hill, Tripp Hughes, Irma Kerksiek, Sharon Kernes, Shirley Laber, Kay Medick, Briggette Mwazembe Ron Ringstad, John Schroeder, Darrell Schulz, Nat & Joyce Serfass, Curt & Elenita Wendt, Blanch Weymuth and Linda Yinger.

Lord's Prayer ✠

Morning Prayer or Evening Prayer or Prayers 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:

Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 27, 2022

Hymns: 538; 544; 587; 568; 548; 412

Readings: Psalm 99; Deuteronomy 34:1-12; Hebrews 3:1-6; Luke 9:28-36

The Transfiguration is the climactic festival of the Epiphany season, not only because it begins our Savior's journey toward the cross in Jerusalem, but also because He revealed His radiant glory to the three disciples on the mountain top. Epiphany means revealing, and even though the disciples did not tell anyone immediately about what they witnessed about Jesus, it was after His death and resurrection that they fully understood His glory only through His suffering for our sake.