



Evening Prayer: Tuesdays during Lent at 5pm

Preparation

O God make speed to save us.
O Lord make haste to help us.
Hear our voice O Lord, according to your faithful love,
according to your judgement, give us life.

Cast your burden upon the Lord:
he will sustain you.
Create in us clean hearts O God;
renew a right spirit within us.
Cast us not away from your presence;
take not your Holy Spirit from us.
Give us the joy of your saving help;
sustain us with your life-giving Spirit.

That this evening may be holy, good and peaceful, let us pray with one heart and mind.

Silence is kept.

As our evening prayer rises before you O God, so may your mercy come down upon us to cleanse our hearts and set us free to sing your praise, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Word of God

We listen to one or two readings from scripture, followed by a short reflection and a time of silence.

We use the following responses:

Forsake us not O Lord; be not far from me, O my God.
Forsake me not O Lord; be not far from me, O my God.
Make haste to help me, O Lord of my salvation.
Be not far from me, O my God.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
Forsake me not O Lord; be not far from me, O my God.

Prayers The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as 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 the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

The Conclusion

May God our Redeemer show us compassion and love. **Amen.**
Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.