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Morning Prayer according to

The Book of Common Prayer

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ORGAN PRELUDE O man bewail thy sins so great BWV 622 - J.S.Bach
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=426_aUowh_0

O SACRED HEAD, SURROUNDED

<https://youtu.be/Pa3GL465UqM>

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| 1. O sacred head, surrounded
by crown of peircing thorn!
O bleeding head, so wounded,
reviled, and put to scorn!
Death's pallid hue comes o'er thee,
the glow of life decays,
yet angel-hosts adore thee,
and tremble as they gaze. | 2. I see thy strength and vigour
all fading in the strife,
and death with cruel rigour
bereaving thee of life;
O agony and dying!
O love to sinners free!
Jesu, all grace supplying,
O turn thy face on me. |
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3. In this thy bitter Passion,
Good Shepherd, think of me
with thy most sweet compassion,
unworthy though I be:
Beneath thy Cross abiding
for ever would I rest,
In thy dear love confiding,
and with thy presence blest.

tr. from Latin by Rev Sir H.W.Baker

SCRIPTURE SENTENCES

Daniel 9:9-10

To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgivenesses , though we have rebelled against him, neither have we obeyed the voice of the Lord our God to walk in his laws, which he set before us.

Romans 5:8

But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Beloved, we are come together in the presence of almighty God and of the whole company of heaven to offer unto him through our Lord Jesus Christ our worship and praise and thanksgiving; to make confession of our sins; to pray, as well for others as for ourselves, that we may know more truly the greatness of God's love and shew forth in our lives the fruits of his grace; and to ask on behalf of all men such things as their well-being doth require.

Wherefore let us kneel in silence, and remember God's presence with us now. Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God

**Almighty and most merciful Father,
we have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep.
We have followed too much the devices and desires
of our own hearts.**

We have offended against thy holy laws.

We have left undone those things

which we ought to have done;

and we have done those things

which we ought not to have done;

and there is no health in us.

But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.

Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults.

Restore thou them that are penitent;

according to thy promises declared unto mankind

in Christ Jesu our Lord.

And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,

that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life,

to the glory of thy holy name. Amen.

Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who desireth not the death of a sinner, but rather that he may turn from his wickedness and live; and hath given power, and commandment, to his ministers to declare and pronounce to his people, being penitent, the absolution and remission of their sins:

he pardoneth and absolveth all them that truly repent
and unfeignedly believe his holy gospel.
Wherefore let us beseech him to grant us true repentance, and his
Holy Spirit,
that those things may please him which we do at this present;
and that the rest of our life hereafter may be pure and holy;
so that at the last we may come to his eternal joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**Our Father, which art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come;
thy will be done,
in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive them that trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

O Lord, open thou our lips
and our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.
The Lord's name be praised.

PSALM 51<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GMBG05xYmr8>

Have mercy on me O God in your enduring goodness:
according to the fullness of your compassion
blot out my offences.

Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness:
and cleanse me from my sin.

For I acknowledge my rebellion:
and my sin is ever before me.

Against you only have I sinned
and done what is evil in your eyes:
so you will be just in your sentence
and blameless in your judging.

Surely in wickedness I was brought to birth:
and in sin my mother conceived me.

You desire truth in the inward parts:

O teach me wisdom in the secret places of the heart.

Purge me with hyssop and I shall be clean:
wash me and I shall be whiter than snow.

Make me hear of joy and gladness:
let the bones which you have broken rejoice.

Hide your face from my sins:
and blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart O God:
and renew a right spirit within me.

Do not cast me out from your presence:
do not take your Holy Spirit from me.

O give me the gladness of your help again:
and support me with a willing spirit.

Then will I teach transgressors your ways;
and sinners shall turn to you again.

O Lord God of my salvation
deliver me from bloodshed:
and my tongue shall sing of your righteousness.

O Lord open my lips:
and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

You take no pleasure in sacrifice or I would give it:
burnt offerings you do not want.
The sacrifice of God is a broken spirit:
a broken and contrite heart O God
you will not despise.
In your graciousness do good to Zion:
rebuild the walls of Jerusalem.
Then will you delight in right sacrifices
in burnt offerings and oblations:
then will they offer young bulls upon your altar.

PSALM 22:1-24

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Why are you so far from helping me, from the words of my groaning?

² O my God, I cry by day, but you do not answer;
and by night, but find no rest.

³ Yet you are holy,
enthroned on the praises of Israel.

⁴ In you our ancestors trusted;
they trusted, and you delivered them.

⁵ To you they cried, and were saved;
in you they trusted, and were not put to shame.

⁶ But I am a worm, and not human;
scorned by others, and despised by the people.

⁷ All who see me mock at me;
they make mouths at me, they shake their heads;

⁸ "Commit your cause to the Lord; let him deliver—
let him rescue the one in whom he delights!"

⁹ Yet it was you who took me from the womb;
you kept me safe on my mother's breast.

¹⁰ On you I was cast from my birth,
and since my mother bore me you have been my God.

¹¹ Do not be far from me,
for trouble is near
and there is no one to help.

¹² Many bulls encircle me,
strong bulls of Bashan surround me;
¹³ they open wide their mouths at me,
like a ravening and roaring lion.
¹⁴ I am poured out like water,
and all my bones are out of joint;
my heart is like wax;
it is melted within my breast;
¹⁵ my mouth is dried up like a potsherd,
and my tongue sticks to my jaws;
you lay me in the dust of death.
¹⁶ For dogs are all around me;
a company of evildoers encircles me.
My hands and feet have shriveled;
¹⁷ I can count all my bones.
They stare and gloat over me;
¹⁸ they divide my clothes among themselves,
and for my clothing they cast lots.
¹⁹ But you, O Lord, do not be far away!
O my help, come quickly to my aid!
²⁰ Deliver my soul from the sword,
my life from the power of the dog!
²¹ Save me from the mouth of the lion!
From the horns of the wild oxen you have rescued me.
²² I will tell of your name to my brothers and sisters;
in the midst of the congregation I will praise you:
²³ You who fear the Lord, praise him!
All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him;
stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!
²⁴ For he did not despise or abhor
the affliction of the afflicted;
he did not hide his face from me,
but heard when I cried to him.

WE SING THE PRAISE OF HIM WHO DIED

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=45t_3WuX1cU

1. We sing the praise of him who died,
of Him who died upon the cross;
the sinners' hope though all deride,
for this we count the world but loss.
2. Inscribed upon the cross we see
in shining letters "God is Love."
he bears our sins upon the tree,
he brings us mercy from above.
3. The cross!--it takes our guilt away,
it holds the fainting spirit up,
it cheers with hope the gloomy day,
and sweetens every bitter cup.
4. It makes the coward spirit brave
and nerves the feeble arm for fight;
it takes all terror from the grave
and gilds the bed of death with light.
5. The balm of life, the cure of woe,
the measure and the pledge of love,
the sinners' refuge here below,
the angels theme in heaven above.

Thomas Kelly (1769–1855)

MARK 15:25-39

²⁵ It was nine o'clock in the morning when they crucified him. ²⁶ The inscription of the charge against him read, "The King of the Jews." ²⁷ And with him they crucified two bandits, one on his right and one on his left. ²⁹ Those who passed by derided him, shaking their heads and saying, "Aha! You who would destroy the temple and build it in three days, ³⁰ save yourself, and come down from the cross!" ³¹ In the same way the chief priests, along with the scribes, were also mocking him among themselves and saying, "He saved others; he cannot save himself. ³² Let the Messiah, the King of Israel, come down from the cross now, so that we may see and believe." Those who were crucified with him also taunted him. ³³ When it was noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. ³⁴ At three o'clock Jesus cried out with a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" which means, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" ³⁵ When some of the bystanders heard it, they said, "Listen, he is calling for Elijah."

³⁶ And someone ran, filled a sponge with sour wine, put it on a stick, and gave it to him to drink, saying, "Wait, let us see whether Elijah will come to take him down." ³⁷ Then Jesus gave a loud cry and breathed his last. ³⁸ And the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. ³⁹ Now when the centurion, who stood facing him, saw that in this way he breathed his last, he said, "Truly this man was God's Son!"

MOTET - Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?

Ouseley

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aMR4hxa54-g>

Lamentations 1:12

Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?

Behold and see

if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow

which is done unto me,

where with the Lord hath afflicted

me in the day of his fierce anger.

THE 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 Ghost,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried.

He descended into hell;

The third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost;

the holy catholic Church;

the communion of saints;

the forgiveness of sins;

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, which art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name;

thy kingdom come;

thy will be done,

in earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive them that trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation;

but deliver us from evil. Amen.

○ Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

And grant us thy salvation.

○ Lord, save the Queen.

And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.

And make thy chosen people joyful.

○ Lord, save thy people.

And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, ○ Lord.

Because there is none other that fighteth for us,

but only thou, O God.

○ God, make clean our hearts within us.

And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who through thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life: We humbly beseech thee, that as by thy special grace preventing us thou dost put into our minds good desires, so by thy continual help we may bring the same to good effect; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen**

The Collect for Peace

O God, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom; defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Collect for Grace

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day; defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ANTHEM In tears of grief (St Matthew Passion) J.S.Bach
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_xNeMVZ7acc

PRAYERS Rev David Crain
<https://youtu.be/AGccjsla-Sc>

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost,
be with us all evermore. Amen**

THERE IS A GREEN HILL FAR AWAY

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d0ybUpuLn8M&t=2s>

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| 1. There is a green hill far away,
outside the city wall,
where the dear Lord was crucified
who died to save us all. | 3. He died that we might be forgiven,
he died to make us good,
that we might go at last to heaven,
saved by his precious blood. |
| 2. We may not know, we cannot tell
what pains he had to bear,
but we believe it was for us
he hung and suffered there. | 4. There was no other good enough
to pay the price of sin,
he only could unlock the gate
of heaven, and let us in. |
| 5. O dearly, dearly has he loved
and we must love him too,
and trust in his redeeming blood,
and try his works to do. | |

Cecil Francis Alexander (1818- 895)

SERMON Rev Dr David Peterson
<https://youtu.be/9BN6AXCOsVo>

WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z9eCUqz_x5A

You can make an online offertory [here](#)

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.
2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
Save in the death of Christ my God!
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to His blood.
3. See from His head, His hands, His feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down!
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
4. Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all.

Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

BENEDICTION

Now may the God of peace, who brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make you complete in everything good so that you may do his will, working among us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glor

ORGAN POSTLUDE : Prelude in C Minor - BWV 546 J.S.Bach

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X_ERENjdZXI

WHAT'S ON AT ST MARK'S TERM TWO 2020



STAY CONNECTED WITH ST MARK'S

We would love to stay connected with you and support you during this time of challenge, even though we are unable to meet in person.

We have a range of online resources available which we trust you will find helpful. Alternatively, visit stmarksdp.org/COVID19 for all the details.

If you would like practical help, a chat, or prayer, please contact us on 9363 3657 or office@stmarksdp.org

ONLINE SUNDAY SERVICES FOR ALL AGES

Everyone is welcome to participate in our online Sunday services. If you would like to be notified about our online services, sermon podcasts and other resources for both adults and children, visit stmarksdp.org/COVID19. We are beginning Term 2 by looking at the stories of Jacob from the book of Genesis, as he grasps after the God of grace.

Our online services are:

- Book of Common Prayer Communion Service with a 9:00am online Sermon Q+A and discussion with others.
- A contemporary service of Scripture, songs, and prayer with a 10:45am online Sermon Q+A and discussion with others.
- A contemporary service of Scripture, songs, and prayer with a 6:15pm online Sermon Q+A and discussion with others.
- Family Church material with Scripture, songs and prayer (especially designed with kids in mind).

PARENTING CHILDREN COURSE

Recognising the important role parents have in raising children, St Mark's is planning to offer an online Parenting Children course. Come and gain practical parenting advice while sharing your parenting journey experiences with other families. If you would like to be notified about when this course will be held, please contact us at office@stmarksdp.org

MUSICTIME

MusicTime is being held online with Zoom on Mondays during term time 9:30am – 10:30am. This group offers a fun and friendly community where children can learn with song and dance, while adults enjoy the opportunity to connect with other parents. Each week there is a structured music class. The programme is ideal for 2 - 5 year olds, but all little ones under the age of 5 years are welcome to join. Grandparents and dads are also welcome. MusicTime resumes on Monday 20 April 2020. To register and connect via Zoom, visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/kids/>

ONLINE ALPHA COURSE

Online Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that explores the big questions of life, faith and meaning. The course is presented online with Zoom in a friendly and open environment and provides an opportunity to explore the Christian faith, deepen your understanding of God and learn more about the Bible. The evening involves a video presentation and then small group discussions.

The next course prospectively commences early Term 2 2020. For more details, to register and to connect via Zoom, please visit stmarksdp.org/ministries/alpha

ONLINE CONNECT GROUPS

Online Connect groups are the best way to explore questions and deepen your faith, while connecting with others in the St Mark's community. There are online Connect groups meeting on Zoom throughout the week in the daytime and the evening, exploring a range of topics and parts of the Bible. Connect groups resume the week commencing Monday 27 April 2020. For more details, to register and to connect via Zoom, please visit stmarksdp.org/ministries/connect-groups

DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Michael Jensen distributes a free daily devotional, delivered conveniently straight to your inbox each weekday morning. This provides an excellent opportunity to partake in a short Bible reading and application message. To subscribe to this helpful service, please visit stmarksdp.org/COVID-19/DailyDevotionals

WEEKLY CATCH-UP

St Mark's emails out the free Weekly Catch-Up to our church community members, each Tuesday and Thursday. This provides an easy way for our church community members to stay in touch with church news and also offers messages of encouragement. To subscribe please contact us on office@stmarksdp.org

WHAT'S ON AT ST MARK'S TERM TWO 2020



A MESSAGE FROM OUR RECTOR

"Transformed by Grace to Love One Another, to Serve the City and to Share Christ."

At St Mark's Anglican Church Darling Point we want to help people connect with God. We want people to experience his love and mercy. We are not a community of perfect people. In fact, we are the opposite! However, we are a community who gather together because we need to hear the message of God's mercy to us in the death of Jesus Christ.

We believe that the best way to discover more about God is in community. That's why even at this time we provide different opportunities during the week to get together online, enjoy each other's company, and to find out more about God. Our church is a hive of activity, with something for everyone. But it all has the same purpose: we want to be shaped by the good news of Jesus Christ, so that we can be used by God to do the things he wants done – in the Eastern Suburbs, in Sydney, and across the world. We hope that you will join us.

Michael Jensen, Rector

GET IN TOUCH

We would love to welcome you back to St Mark's Church soon. For more information about our service times, sermon series, activities and other ways to become involved with our community, please contact us.

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