



Morning Prayer



Upon rising, make the sign of the holy cross and remember your Baptism.

In the name of God the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Psalm Verse

Psalm 118:24

This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13; cf. Luke 11:2-4

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 those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Luther's Morning Prayer

I thank Thee, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Thy dear Son, that Thou hast kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray Thee that Thou wouldst keep me this day also from sin and every evil; that all my doings and life may please Thee. For into Thy hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Thy holy angel be with me, that the wicked Foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Then go joyfully to your work, singing a hymn or saying the Ten Commandments, the Creed, or another devotion.

Collect

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; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, bless and preserve us. Amen.