

TWO-YEAR DAILY LECTIONARY

Year 2 • Pentecost and Proper 2

Sunday, May 19, 2024

The Day of Pentecost

Psalm 118 (morning)

Psalm 145 (evening)

Deut. 16:9-12

Acts 4:18-21, 23-33

John 4:19-26

Monday, May 20, 2024

Psalms 1, 2, 3 (morning)

Psalms 4, 7 (evening)

Prov. 3:11-20

1 John 3:18—4:6

Matt. 11:1-6

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Psalms 5, 6 (morning)

Psalms 10, 11 (evening)

Prov. 4:1-27

1 John 4:7-21

Matt. 11:7-15

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

Psalm 119:1-24 (morning)

Psalms 12, 13, 14 (evening)

Prov. 6:1-19

1 John 5:1-12

Matt. 11:16-24

Thursday, May 23, 2024

Psalm 18:1-20 (morning)

Psalm 18:21-50 (evening)

Prov. 7:1-27

1 John 5:13-21

Matt. 11:25-30

Friday, May 24, 2024

Psalms 16, 17 (morning)

Psalm 22 (evening)

Prov. 8:1-21

2 John 1-13

Matt. 12:1-14

Saturday, May 25, 2024

Psalms 20, 21:1-7(8-14) (morning)

Psalms 110:1-5(6-7), 116, 117

Prov. 8:22-36

3 John 1-15

Matt. 12:15-21

Eve of Trinity Sunday:

Psalm 104

Ecclus. 42:15-25

Eph. 3:14-21

Sunday, May 26, 2024

Trinity Sunday

Psalms 146, 147 (morning)

Psalms 111, 112, 113 (evening)

Job 38:1-11; 42:1-5

Rev. 19:4-16

John 1:29-34

For Your Study and Reflection This Week **Pentecost**

Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. (vv. 1-4)

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;

I will sing praise to my God while I have being. (v. 33)

Romans 8:22-27

Now hope that is seen is not hope, for who hopes for what one already sees? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness, for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with groanings too deep for words. (vv. 24-26)

John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

“I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.” (16:12-15)

Questions for Reflection

In this coming week consider how many ways and through which persons you are shown a new path for your life. Watch for startling nudges or sudden epiphanies; listen for sighs that signal letting go of something pressing so that you can hear the Spirit's guidance. What have you learned? How can you give thanks?

Household Prayer: Morning

God of newness and delight,
you greet your world again with light and life.
I awaken to your presence behind, before,
beneath, above, and within me.
I thank you for another day
and ask only that you keep me so firmly in your care
that I can move gracefully through all I have to do.
Guard my family, my friends,
and all my brothers and sisters in faith.
Let me be a peacemaker today; in Jesus' name. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Good and Holy One,
you have led me through this day of many encounters
to the time when I may close my eyes and dream.
I thank you for the people you have sent my way today,
for the work I have had to do,
for the food, shelter, and safety you have given.
I pray that people everywhere
may have all necessary comfort and nourishment
and that I may lie down in peace,
resting in the truth that you are watching over all creation.
I pray this in the name of the One who made Earth,
called the children to come,
and blows through our days with wisdom. Amen.