

The Daily Office: Morning Prayer



**The Episcopal Church of
St. John in the Wilderness**

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Welcome to Morning Prayer at The Episcopal Church of St. John in the Wilderness. We are glad you are here. Please enter in silence and prepare your Book of Common Prayer by marking the Psalms and Canticles outlined below. Here are a few other instructions:

- Mark your Psalm for the day and the Canticles, or be ready to turn to the Canticles during each reading since the first canticle will be said after the first reading and the second after the second.
- Stand and sit with the Officiant.
- We will begin on page 76 with an opening sentence and then turn the page for the confession on page 79. Turn the page after each section is finished.
- The Psalm is said responsively by whole verse.
- Simply listen to the readings.
- There is a Canticle said (standing) after each reading. Following the 2nd Canticle, we will continue with the Apostles Creed on page 96, and then follow along from there while the Officiant says three collects.
- We will use the contemporary version of the Lord's prayer.

So glad you are here! This can take a while to learn but it's worth the time. Let us know if you have any questions

Monday (3/30) The Fifth Week of Lent
Psalm 31 (pg 622) Canticle 9 (pg 86) Canticle 19 (pg 94)

Tuesday (3/31) The Fifth Week of Lent
Psalm 121, 122, 123 (pg 779, 780) Canticle 13 (pg 90) Canticle 18 (pg 93)

Wednesday (4/1) The Fifth Week of Lent
Psalm 119:145-176 (pg 775) Canticle 14 (pg 90) Canticle 16 (pg 92)

Thursday (4/2) The Fifth Week of Lent
Psalm 131, 132 (pg 785) Canticle 8 (pg 85) Canticle 19 (pg 94)

The Psalms for the service are found in the Daily Office Lectionary, which begins on page 936 in the Book of Common Prayer. We are in Year Two. The Canticles are chosen from the table on page 144.

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An order of service

Please follow the instructions above. This order may be helpful to be aware of as you move through the service.

Opening Sentence (pg 76)

Confession (pg 79)

Invitatory (pg 80)

Venite or Jubilate (pg 82)

Psalm (see table)

First Reading (Epistle - *just listen*)

Canticle (see table)

Second Reading (Gospel - *just listen*)

Canticle (see table)

Apostles' Creed (pg 96)

The Prayers (pg 97)

Suffrages (pg 97 or 98 - *listen for first line*)

The Collect of the Day (*listen*)

Collect (pg 98-100 - *Officiant chooses*)

Collect for Mission (pg 100-101 - *Officiant chooses*)

General Thanksgiving (pg 101) or

Prayer of St. Chrysostom (pg 102)

Dismissal (pg 102)

Closing Sentence (pg 102)