

Epiphany 3A Psalm 22:27–31; antiphon: v. 22

P I will tell of your name to my brothers; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

C All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord, and all the families of the nations shall worship before you.

P For kingship belongs to the Lord, and he rules over the nations.

C All the prosperous of the earth eat and worship; before him shall bow all who go down to the dust, even the one who could not keep himself alive.

P Posterity shall serve him; it shall be told of the Lord to the coming generation;

C they shall come and proclaim his righteousness to a people yet unborn, that he has done it.

C Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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CATECHISM

The Third Article—Sanctification

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

What does this mean?

I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ. This is most certainly true.

LEARN BY HEART

John 20:22–23

And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld.”

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Mic 6:1–8; 1 Cor 1:18–31; Matt 5:1–12

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: *Portals of Prayer* and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU:	1/22	Joel 2:1–17	Romans 11:1–24
M:	1/23	Joel 2:18–32	Romans 11:25—12:13
T:	1/24	Joel 3:1–21	Romans 12:14—13:14
W:	1/25	Zechariah 1:1–21	Romans 14:1–23
TH:	1/26	Zechariah 2:1—3:10	Romans 15:1–13
F:	1/27	Zechariah 4:1—5:11	Romans 15:14–33
SA:	1/28	Zechariah 6:1—7:14	Romans 16:17–27

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #395 O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright

APOSTLES’ CREED**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:**

- For faithfulness to the end; for the renewal of those who are withering in the faith or have fallen away;
- **Birthdays this upcoming week:** Ruth; Ginny; Rita
- **Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week:** Kaylin

COLLECT (front page); **LORD’S PRAYER**

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.

C Amen