

# Daily Devotional

Spring Faith Challenge | Week 36

This spring's faith challenge is to spend a few meditative moments with God twice each weekday, once in the morning and once before bed.

## Morning

**Pray:** Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, I start my day in your name. Guide me in your will.

### Read & Reflect:

**Mon:** "Come and see the works of the LORD, the desolations he has brought on the earth" (Ps 46:8).

*Today I will sit down and shut up in awe of God and everything he has done... trusting what he will do.*

**Tues:** "He makes wars cease to the ends of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear, he burns the shields with fire" (Ps 46:9).

*God is so powerful. Why am I trying to fight the battles only he can fight?*

**Wed:** "Be still, and know that I am God" (Ps 46:10a).

*No matter how much I worry or plan, I can rest knowing God can trump all of my decisions.*

**Thur:** "I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth" (Ps 46:10b).

*Today I proclaim God as King, Jesus as Lord. Today I put him on the throne of my life.*

**Fri:** "The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress" (Ps 46:12).

*God is with me. God is with me! GOD IS WITH ME! I am safe with him.*

### Pray Luther's Morning Prayer:

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

## Evening

**Pray:** Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, I end my day in your name. Guard me in your will.

### Read:

Mon: Philippians 4:4-7

Tues: Ps 142

Wed: Ps 143

Thur: Ps 144

Fri: Ps 145

Extra: Ps 119:161-168 (*sin & shin*)

### Pray Luther's Evening Prayer:

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.