An Order of Service for Noonday

Opening Sentences BCP p. 103

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.

People O Lord, make haste to help us.

All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it

was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

One of the following psalms is read.

Psalm 119 BCP p. 103

Your word is a lantern to my feet * and a light upon my path.

I have sworn and am determined *to keep your righteous judgments.

I am deeply troubled; * preserve my life, O LORD, according to your word.

Accept, O LORD, the willing tribute of my lips, * and teach me your judgments.

My life is always in my hand, * yet I do not forget your law.

The wicked have set a trap for me, *but I have not strayed from your commandments.

Your decrees are my inheritance for ever; *truly, they are the joy of my heart. I have applied my heart to fulfill your statutes *for ever and to the end.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: * as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Psalm 126 BCP p. 105

When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion, *then were we like those who dream.

Then was our mouth filled with laughter, * and our tongue with shouts of joy.

Then they said among the nations, * "The LORD has done great things for them."

The LORD has done great things for us, * and we are glad indeed.

Restore our fortunes, O LORD, * like the watercourses of the Negev.

Those who sowed with tears *will reap with songs of joy.

Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed, * will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: * as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Psalm 121 Levavi oculos BCP p. 104

I lift up my eyes to the hills; * from where is my help to come?

My help comes from the LORD, *the maker of heaven and earth.

He will not let your foot be moved * and he who watches over you will not fall asleep. Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel * shall neither slumber nor sleep; The LORD himself watches over you; * the LORD is your shade at your right hand, So that the sun shall not strike you by day, * nor the moon by night. The LORD shall preserve you from all evil; * it is he who shall keep you safe. The LORD shall watch over your going out and your coming in, from this time forth for evermore.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: * as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

A Reading from Scripture

Readings can be found at http://satucket.com/lectionary/

People: Thanks be to God

Discussion/Reflection

(Silence)

Prayers BCP p. 106

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on 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.

(Choose one of the following collects)

Officiant Lord, hear our prayer;

People And let our cry come to you.

Officiant Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, send your Holy Spirit into our hearts, to direct and rule us according to your will, to comfort us in all our afflictions, to defend us from all error, and to lead us into all truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty Savior, who at noonday called your servant Saint Paul to be an apostle to the Gentiles: We pray you to illumine the world with the radiance of your glory, that all nations may come and worship you; for you live and reign for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly city, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Free intercessions may be offered. Week 1 (psalm 119)

Monday- Allen, Anderson, Bahr, Baku, Bazel, Biedenstein, Tuesday- Blumenschein, Botts, Bradley, Bradsen, Breunle, Bureau, Wednesday- Burkhart, Burton, Chase, Crawford, Cusick-Rindone, Thursday- Dolbier, Dunn, Earnhart, Edwards, Emenyonu Friday- Everett, Foose, Gideon, GoForth, Griswold, Haddock

Week 2 (psalm 126)

Please pray for families in our congregation:

Monday: Hardy, Hauet, Hayford, Heil, Henderson, Henry

Tuesday: Hernandez-Caudron, Hollister, Howard, Humpert, Jannson, Jones,

Wednesday: Kendrick, Kim, Kinnaird, Klemp, LaFrance,

Thursday: Lanning, Latchford, Lerrew, Link/ Wiggins, Maurwel, Friday: Mancuso, Matthews, Mitchell, Munroe, Nelson, Olbricht,

Week 3 (psalm 121)

Monday: Parko, Puckle, Remington, Rice-Cave, Rich/Willis, Richardson,

Tuesday: Rippetoe, Rodasta, Rogers, Samson, Seese, Shaw,

Wednesday: Shortridge, Skidmore, Small, Smith, (G/M), Smith (T/B),

Thursday: Snyder, Stoeber, Strickland, Thompson, Tull,

Friday: Ulmer, Whitman, Whitely, Wetzberger, Williams, Zuniga

Officiant Let us bless the Lord. People Thanks be to God.