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IN OUR PRAYERS: *Ruth & Brian Miller *Ruby Smith *Susan Krim *Eric Krim *Maria Pohlmann *Marlet Wardly *Letilia Sterling *Hans Schroedter *Gabriel Civitillo *Trudy Marquardt *Deva Singh *Peter Haug *Tomdaiya *Bill & Shila Mandel *Jamma *Jairam Ganpat *Nila *Razack *Paul Alexander *Indra Seemadray *Marlin *Sam *Dawood *Linda Honke *Dhanraj Barrat

If you or members of your family would like to be included in this list or if you feel that it's time to be removed from this list, please e-mail, phone or speak to Pastor. We encourage members and/or their families to call when sick or in need of pastoral care. The elders and Pastor are also dependent on the eyes and ears of the congregation to notice member absences.

SUMMARY OF TODAY’S READINGS

By the Voluntary Poverty of Christ, We Enter the Kingdom of God
 To love and trust in earthly wealth is vanity. For nothing of this earth will last forever, nor can any of it grant eternal life (Eccl. 5:10). But the one who trusts in God is “*occupied with joy in his heart*” and is able to sleep in peace, “*whether he eats little or much,*” because he knows that the “*days of his life*” are “*the gift of God*” (Eccl. 5:12, 18–20). The person who trusts in riches cannot sleep, because he “*shall take nothing for his toil that he may carry away in his hand*” (Eccl. 5:15). Therefore, it is difficult “*for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God*” (Mark 20:23). Indeed, it is impossible for man, yet “*all things are possible with God*” (Mark 20:27). Thus, the Rich Man, Jesus Christ, has made Himself poor and has gone through “*the eye of a needle,*” through death and the grave, “*to enter the kingdom of God*” on our behalf (Mark 20:24–25). He is the “*great high priest who has passed through the heavens*” (Heb. 4:14), so that we may now enter His Sabbath rest by faith in His forgiveness (Heb. 4:3–9).

INTROIT

Ps. 34:1-4, 17; antiphon: Ps. 34:18

The LORD is near to the broken- | hearted *
 and saves the crushed in | spirit.
 I will bless the LORD at | all times; *
 his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.
 My soul makes its boast | in the LORD; *
 let the humble hear | and be glad.
 Oh, magnify the | LORD with me, *
 and let us exalt his name to- | gether!
 I sought the LORD, and he | answered me *
 and delivered me from | all my fears.
 When the righteous cry for help, the | LORD hears *
 and delivers them out of all their | troubles.
Glorify be to the Father and | to the Son *
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning, *
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
 The LORD is near to the broken- | hearted *
 and saves the crushed in | spirit.

COLLECT

O God,
 Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth.
 Put away from us all things hurtful
 and give us those things that are beneficial for us;
 through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord,
 who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and forever. **Amen.** (B82)

READINGS

Ecclesiastes 5:10–20
 Psalm 119:9-16 (antiphon: v. 14)
 Hebrews 4:1–13 (14–16)
 Mark 10:23–31

GRADUAL

Ps 91:11; 103:1

He will command his angels con- | cerning you *
 to guard you in | all your ways.
 Bless the LORD, | O my soul, *
 and all that is within me, bless his | holy name.

VERSE

Mark 10:27b

Alleluia. With man it is impossible, but not with God. For all things are possible with God. **Alleluia**

About the cover: The occasional glimpse of the beauty of blooming flowers at the golden setting of the sun testifies to the work of our amazing Creator. After creating this world with all of its splendour, God rested on the seventh day (the Sabbath). Our sin, however, introduced death into this world, and no amount of our work can merit salvation and rest. Yet, in Christ we have eternal Sabbath rest in God for all the work He has done on His cross, in the tomb, and upon His resurrection to accomplish our salvation.

Scripture Readings

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Hymn of the Day – 690 or 730

Other Hymns – 781 (OT, G), 850 (G), 783 (OT, G), 907 (E)