



Christ the King Episcopal Church

Prayer and Meditation Aides to support Growth in Christian Maturity

- o The Daily Office in *The Book of Common Prayer*, pp. 37 – 147
- o *Forward Day by Day* is a manual of daily readings and devotions. The need to not only read scripture but meditate on it is so very helpful in our daily walk. *Forward Day by Day* helps us do that. Rating: ***** for this marvelous little booklet. Al Sims
- o Support for reading the Bible in a year, once monthly during Adult Sunday School beginning on February 24
- o Other sessions of Adult Sunday School

Online resources:

The Daily Office

www.missionstclare.com This site provides easy access to the Episcopal offices of Morning and Evening Prayer, with the readings updated every day. If you have good speakers on your computer, there is appropriate music. Come for the Daily Office; stay to explore the other resources.
Rating: ***** Fr. Rich

The (Online) Book of Common Prayer

www.bcponline.org The (Online) Book of Common Prayer according to the use of the Episcopal Church. Also includes links to three versions of the Bible - the RSV, the NRSV, and the KJV. Easy to navigate and helpful if you're reading the Bible this year. **** Sue Jepsen

Lenten Meditations from Episcopal Relief and Development at er-d@er-d.org OR
<http://theepiscopalcommunity.org/docs/Lenten%20Dev%20Master%202012.pdf>

This link sends short, thought-provoking lessons daily. I'm enjoying it! Rating: ***** Sue Jepsen

<http://www.lentmadness.org/about/>

Not really a devotional, but a painless way to learn about people who have been important in the Church's history. Rating: *****Fr. Rich

Daily meditations:

http://prayer.forwardmovement.org/forward_day_by_day.php?d=7&m=2&y=2013. Online version of *Forward Day by Day* (see above).

<http://www.d365.org/todaysdevotion/> Geared for teens, but helpful for adults, too. **** Meg Moss

Lenten Readings in books:

[The Crown and The Fire Meditations on the Cross and the Life of the Spirit](#), N.T. Wright, SPCK, London
This book of Lenten meditations is especially good for Holy Week. Rating: ***** Fr. Rich
(\$15 at Amazon.com)

[Lenten Reflections from A Father Who Keeps His Promises](#), Scott Hahn, Servant Books, Cincinnati
Lenten meditations from a Roman Catholic lay theologian. Very readable. Rating: **** Fr. Rich
(\$11 @ Amazon.com)

