## Week Three

Monday, September 30, Day 15 - Heavenly Father, we thank You for the many blessings You have given to Hope Lutheran Church and School. Our history is filled with pastors who preached the pure Gospel and steadfast members who sought to carry on the traditions of the Lutheran Church throughout the past and into this present day. We come to You now to ask for Your blessing upon our Fulfilling the Mission of Hope campaign. Open our hearts to the spiritual growth that comes only from Your Word and Sacraments. Move us to take on the debt that burdens us. Help us all to find the joy in giving back to You, knowing that we have the one thing needful – Your Son Who paid our debt in full. Amen.

**Tuesday, October 1, Day 16** - O Lord, our God, whose mercies are new every morning, we give You thanks and praise for all Your kindness toward us, and we pray You to grant us the will and desire to worship You joyfully, serve You faithfully and proclaim boldly Your mighty acts of deliverance through our Lord, Jesus Christ. To You alone be glory, honor, worship and praise, O Lord, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Wednesday, October 2, Day 17 - Dear Heavenly Father, we live in a world that looks inward for truth and pleasure. Fix our eyes on Your cross, for in You there is no one else on earth to defend us. Forgive us for neglecting to fix our eyes on our neighbors in need of mercy during hard times. Forgive us for finding joy in worldly things that starve the soul. Instead, feed us, Your children, with Your gifts from heaven that nourish our soul. Bless us during this time of spiritual growth in You. Amen.

**Thursday, October 3, Day 18** - Lord, sanctify us in Your truth; Your Word is truth Amen

**Friday, October 4, Day 19** – Gracious Heavenly Father, Save us from weak resignation To the evils we deplore; Let the gift of Your salvation Be our glory evermore.

Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, Serving You whom we adore. Serving You whom we adore. Amen.

(LW 398, v. 4)

**Saturday, October 5, Day 20** – Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness!...Be gracious to me and hear my prayer. Amen. (*Psalm 4*)

**Sunday, October 6, Day 21** – Holy Father, You have invited us to the banquet of Your Son. We thank You for this gift of grace and for Your promise of forgiveness. Lead us to Your altar with humble and repentant hearts, so that we may hear Your Word for us. Make us mindful of Your presence with us as we share in Communion with You and one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.