

MORNING WATCH

For May 25 –28, 2020, 9:10 a.m.

Based on: A Guide to Prayer for All Who Walk with God
By Rueben P. Job, Norman Shawchuck, John S. Mogabgab
Chapter #28: The Things That Make for Peace

Read Ahead: Daily Scripture Readings

- All Week Psalm 85
- Monday Deuteronomy 30:15-20
- Tuesday Psalm 34:11-13
- Wednesday Micah 6:1-8
- Thursday Matthew 5:38-42
- Friday John 14:21-27
- Saturday Ephesians 2:11-22
- Sunday Lectionary Year A
 - Acts 1:6-14, Psalm 68:1-10 & 32-35, 1 Peter 4:12-14 & 5:6-11, John 17:1-11

Read Ahead: From the Daily Readings for Reflection

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| • Monday | There are those times... | Ruben P. Job |
| • Tuesday | Concern for peace... | John S. Mogabgab |
| • Wednesday | Where there is charity... | Francis of Assisi |
| • Thursday | In my experience... | Mary L. Fraser |

Opening Affirmation

Because of our God's deep compassion, the dawn from heaven will break upon us, to give light to those who are sitting in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide us on the path of peace (Luke 1:78-79).

Psalm Prayer (Based on Psalm 146)

Ever-patient God, you have indeed been kind to us. Your forgiveness opens the way to a new future, your goodness brightens our days, and your truth shows us the things that make for peace. Thank you that in Jesus Christ your salvation has come near to us, for he is the peace that heals our wounded world. Amen.

Daily Scripture Reading

Daily Reading for Reflection

Personal Reflections

Prayers

Our Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Closing Words

Blessing

Let the LORD give strength to his people! Let the LORD bless his people with peace! (Ps. 29:11). Amen.

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