

## **MORNING WATCH**

**Week of June 20, 2022**

Based on: *A Guide To Prayer For All Who Seek God*

Chapter #30 "God Lives in Community"

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### *Affirmation*

I bind unto myself today the strong name of the Trinity, by invocation of the same, the Three in One, and One in Three. I bind this day to me forever by power of faith Christ's incarnation, his baptism in the Jordan River, his death on the cross for my salvation; his bursting from the spiced tomb, his riding up the heavenly way, his coming at the day of doom I bind unto myself today.

### *Petition*

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me; Christ to comfort and restore me; Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

*The Affirmation, Petition, and My Response are from "I Bind unto Myself Today" attributed to Saint Patrick.*

### *Daily Scripture Readings*

Monday – John 17:11-24

Tuesday – Matthew 18:15-20

Wednesday – John 10:22-30

Thursday – Romans 12:3-5

### *Daily Readings for Reflection*

#### *Prayers*

*Our Lord's Prayer*

*Closing Word*

*God's Promise*

I will come and dwell in your midst, says the Lord. Many nations shall join themselves to the Lord on that day, and shall be my people; and I will dwell in your midst. (Zechariah 2:10-11)

*My Response*

I bind unto myself today the power of God to hold and lead, his eye to watch, his might to stay, his ear to hearken to my need, The wisdom of my God to teach, his hand to guide, his shield to ward, the Word of God to give me speech, his heavenly host to be my guard.

*Benediction*

Now go, all you who are loved by God, hear his call to serve others as he has served you.