A Simple Daily Prayer Liturgy for Kingdom Season

- daily variants can be found here1

O Lord, open our lips

All and our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

One or more of the following may be said or sung: a prayer of thanksgiving (<u>here</u>), or Psalm 8 (below): A Song of God's Glorious Name

- 1 O Lord our governor, ♦ how glorious is your name in all the world!
- 2 Your majesty above the heavens is praised ♦ out of the mouths of babes at the breast.
- 3 You have founded a stronghold against your foes, that you might still the enemy and the avenger.
- 4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, ♦ the moon and the stars that you have ordained,
- 5 What are mortals, that you should be mindful of them; mere human beings, that you should seek them out?
- 6 You have made them little lower than the angels ◆ and crown them with glory and honour.
- 7 You have given them dominion over the works of your hands \blacklozenge and put all things under their feet,
- 8 All sheep and oxen, ◆ even the wild beasts of the field,
- 9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea ◆ and whatsoever moves in the paths of the sea.
- 10 O Lord our governor, ♦ how glorious is your name in all the world!

Psalm 8

¹ https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/daily-prayer#na

All Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

As we rejoice in the gift of this day, so may the light of your presence, O God, set our hearts on fire with love for you; now and for ever.

All Amen.

The Word of God

An appointed <u>psalm</u> may be said.

Each psalm or group of psalms may end with

All Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

A suitable canticle, (below) of number 35 (here), may be said

- All Return to the Lord, who will have mercy, to our God, who will richly pardon.
- Seek the Lord while he may be found, call upon him while he is near;
- 2 Let the wicked abandon their ways, ♦ and the unrighteous their thoughts;
- 3 Return to the Lord, who will have mercy; to our God, who will richly pardon.
- 4 'For my thoughts are not your thoughts, ◆ neither are your ways my ways,' says the Lord.

- 5 'For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.
- 6 'As the rain and the snow come down from above, ♦ and return not again but water the earth,
- 7 'Bringing forth life and giving growth, ◆ seed for sowing and bread to eat,
- 8 'So is my word that goes forth from my mouth; \(\int\) it will not return to me fruitless,
- 9 'But it will accomplish that which I purpose, ♦ and succeed in the task I gave it.'

Isaiah 55.6-11

- All Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.
- All Return to the Lord, who will have mercy, to our God, who will richly pardon.

Scripture Reading

The reading for the day is read.

Prayers

Intercessions are offered

- \P for the day and its tasks
- ¶ for the world and its needs
- ¶ for the Church and her life

Silence may be kept.

The Collect of the day (here) or the following is said

Almighty and everlasting God,
we thank you that you have brought us safely
to the beginning of this day.
Keep us from falling into sin
or running into danger,
order us in all our doings
and guide us to do always
what is righteous in your sight;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Lord's Prayer is said (here)

All Amen.

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

All Our Father in heaven ...
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.

Amen.

The Conclusion

The Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life.

All Amen.

Let us bless the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.