

Prayers from the Heavenly Pharmacy of Paul

ESV – 1 Thess 3:10-12 as we pray most earnestly night and day that we may see you face to face and supply what is lacking in your faith? Now may our God and Father himself, and our Lord Jesus, **direct our way** to you, and may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you,

2 Thess 1: 11-12 To this end we always pray for you, that our God may **make you worthy** of his calling and **may fulfill every resolve for good and every work of faith** by his power, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Thess 2:13-16 But we ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers beloved by the Lord, because **God chose you as the firstfruits to be saved**, through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth. To this he called you through our gospel, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers, stand firm and hold to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by our spoken word or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, ¹⁷ comfort your hearts and **establish them in every good work and word.**

2 Thess 3:4-5 And we have confidence in the Lord about you, that you are doing and will do the things that we command. **May the Lord direct your hearts to the love of God and to the steadfastness of Christ.**

LESSON: *Since God's Spirit initiates & perpetuates the work of God in the soul, we must depend on the Spirit to the same extent Paul did! Read John Owen volume 3, p 393 & 547. No wonder prayer to such a sovereign, all powerful Divine Engine of change is so essential!*

LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP May 31, 2026



GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

Prelude

Salutation

Call to Worship

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND

*** Opening Hymn**

Come, Dearest Lord, Descend and Dwell
340 *Trinity Hymnal* (all verses)

1 Come, dearest Lord, descend and dwell by faith and love in ev'ry breast;
then shall we know and taste and feel the joys that cannot be expressed.

2 Come, fill our hearts with inward strength; make our enlarged souls
possess and learn the height, and breadth, and length of your unmeasurable
grace.

3 Now to the God whose pow'r can do more than our thoughts or wishes
know, be everlasting honors done by all the church, thru Christ his Son.**

Invocation & God's Law

Isaiah 61:1-4 (p 737 pew Bible)

Psalm of Confession

Psalm 51:7-12 (p 560 pew Bible)

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 51:1 (p 560 pew Bible)

Congregational Prayer

GOD SPEAKS HIS WORD TO HIS PEOPLE

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture
Bible)

2 Thess. 2:13 - 3:5 (pp 1176 pew

Sermon

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Prayer of Application

* Closing Hymn

Take My Life and Let It Be
585 *Trinity Hymnal* (vv. 1, 4-6)

1 Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee.
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise,
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

4 Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect, and use ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose,
ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne,
it shall be thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store.
Take my self, and I will be ever, only, all for thee,
ever, only, all for thee.**

* Benediction

*Please stand if able

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 31, 2026

THIS WEEK

- **Wed, June 3, 7:00 pm: Zoom Study**
- **Thu, June 4, 1:30 pm: Bible Study**
- **Sun, June 7, 9:30 am: Summer Break Sunday School for kids begins (see insert)**

UPCOMING

- **English for Kids Camp, Quebec** June 27-July 4
- **New Song, Geneva College singing group.** Concert at COPC July 16, 7:00 pm
- **Covenant Kids' Camp** is July 20-24 Camper Registration now active on COPCVT.org.
- **Green Mountain Youth Campout** August 6-8, Lake Elmore State Park.

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