

Memory Work for October 18th

The Fourth Petition

“Give us this day our daily bread.”

What does this mean?

God gives daily bread without our asking, even to unbelievers, but we pray in this petition that He would teach us to realize this and to receive our daily bread with thanksgiving.

What is meant by daily bread?

“Daily bread” means everything we need for our bodily well-being. It includes food, drink, clothes, shoes, house, home, land, animals, money and goods, a godly husband or wife, godly children, godly workers, godly and faithful leaders, good government, good weather, peace, health, education, honor, faithful friends, trustworthy neighbors – and things like that.

The Fifth Petition

“And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.”

What does this mean?

We pray in this petition that our Father in heaven would not look on our sins or deny our prayer because of them. We are not worthy of things for which we are asking, neither have we deserved them. However, we ask that our Father would by His grace give us what we ask; even though we sin often every day and indeed deserve nothing but punishment. We, too, will from our hearts gladly forgive and do good to all those who sin against us.

^{NKJ} **Psalm 19:12** Who can understand *his* errors? Cleanse me from secret *faults*.

^{ESV} **Psalm 19:12** Who can discern his errors? Declare me innocent from hidden faults.

^{NKJ} **Romans 5:1** Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,

^{ESV} **Romans 5:1** Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

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^{NKJ} **Romans 8:32** He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?

^{ESV} **Romans 8:32** He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?

^{NKJ} **1 Timothy 6:6-8** Now godliness with contentment is great gain. ⁷ For we brought nothing into *this* world, *and it is* certain we can carry nothing out. ⁸ And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content.

^{ESV} **1 Timothy 6:6-8** Now there is great gain in godliness with contentment, ⁷ for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. ⁸ But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content.