



**MONDAY — THE PSALM**

**Read Psalm 85**

What is the psalmist asking for throughout this psalm? (verses 1, 4, and 6)

What is God's steadfast love?

Define folly. (verse 8)

**TUESDAY — THE OLD TESTAMENT**

**Read Isaiah 42:1-7**

Who is the "servant"? (verse 1)

What does God instruct His Servant to do? (verses 6-7)

**WEDNESDAY — THE GOSPEL**

**Read Matthew 3:13-17**

What is the importance of Jesus being baptized?

What happened next? (verses 16-17)

Review *Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation*, question 96 (page 109)

**THURSDAY — THE EPISTLE**

**Read 1 Corinthians 1:26-31**

What does it mean to be "called"? (verse 26)

What does "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord." mean? (verse 31)

Review *Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation*, question 238 (page 203)

**CATECHISM CONNECTION**

What is the connection of the Sacrament of Holy Baptism and the Baptism of our Lord?

**Optional Reading & Discussion Question**

**Joshua 3:1-3, 7-8, 13-17**

What does God promise Joshua? (verses 7-8)