

Friday Mid-Day Prayer Service

The musical score consists of five staves of music in a 4/4 time signature, with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The lyrics are: "Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, that I might serve you; cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, that I might be re - newed. So fill me and heal me, and bring me back to you. Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, that I might serve you." The chords are: F, C/E, C/D, Dm, Dm/C, Bb, Gm, C7sus, C7, F, C/E, C/D, Dm, Dm/C, Gm, F/A, C, F, Am7, Dm7, Am7, Dm7, Gm7, Gm/D, C7sus, C7, F, C/E, C/D, Dm, Dm/C, Gm, F/A, C, F.

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. God of mercy, you know us better than we know ourselves, and still you love us. Wash us from all our sins, create in us clean hearts, and strengthen us by your Holy Spirit that we may proclaim your praise; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. (Psalm 51)

C **Amen.**

Lord Jesus, Think on Me



1 Lord Je - sus, think on me, and purge a - way my sin;
2 Lord Je - sus, think on me, by anx - ious thoughts op - pressed;
3 Lord Je - sus, think on me, nor let me go a - stray;
4 Lord Je - sus, think on me, that, when the flood is past,



from self - ish pas - sions set me free and make me pure with - in.
let me your lov - ing ser - vant be and taste your prom - ised rest.
through dark - ness and per - plex - i - ty point out your cho - sen way.
I may the e - ter - nal bright - ness see and share your joy at last.

Text: Synesius of Cyrene, 375–430; tr. Allen W. Chatfield, 1808–1896, alt.
Music: SOUTHWELL, W. Daman, *The Psalmes of Dauid*, 1579, alt.

Psalm 51:6-12

⁶You desire truth in the inward being;
therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart.
⁷Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
⁸Let me hear joy and gladness;
let the bones that you have crushed rejoice.
⁹Hide your face from my sins,
and blot out all my iniquities.
¹⁰Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and put a new and right spirit within me.
¹¹Do not cast me away from your presence,
and do not take your holy spirit from me.
¹²Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and sustain in me a willing spirit.

Renuévame, Señor Jesus

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Marcos Witt, as sung by Pr. Moisés

Re - nué - va - me, Se - ñor Je - sús, Ya no
 Re - new_____ me, Lord Je - sus Christ, I don't

quie-ro ser i - gual. Re - nué - va - me, Se - ñor Je - sus,
 want to be the same. Re - new_____ me, Lord Je - sus Christ.

Pon en mí tu co - ra - zón Por - que to - do lo que
 Plant in me_____ your_____ heart. Be - cause e - very - thing that

hay den - tro de mí ne - ce - si - ta ser cam - bia - do Se - ñor
 hides in - side of me, needs to be_____ chang - ed O_____ Lord;

Por - que to - do lo que hay den - tro de mí co - ra zón
 be - cause all my in - ner be - ing all my heart and my soul

ne - ce - si - ta más de ti.
 longs_____ for_____ more of you.

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Meditation at Noon

There's still time to live this day with intention,
To set aside petty thoughts and small tasks,
To regard myself with dignity and grace.

There's still time to live this day
with my hands and my heart,
To walk with strength,
To act with courage,
To offer kindness,
To build and to sustain,
To embrace and to bless.

God of forgiveness,
Thank You for the gift of hope
That You've planted in every moment,
The gift of renewal
that You've given to every hour,
So that we may find the way
To redeem our days with holiness.

Solovy, Alden. This Grateful Heart: Psalms and Prayers for a New Day - CCAR Press. Kindle Edition.

The LORD bless you and protect you!
The LORD deal kindly and graciously with you!
The LORD bestow His favor upon you and grant you peace!