

V E S P E R S

Wednesdays at 7:00pm online

LIVINGSTON UMC



Gathering

Call to Praise and Prayer

From the rising of the sun to its setting,
Let the name of the Lord be praised.

Psalm 134

Bless the Lord, all who serve in God's house
Who stand watch throughout the night.

Lift up your hands in the holy place and bless the Lord.

And may God the maker of earth and sky,
bless you from Zion.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sovereign God, you have been our help during the day
and you promise to be with us at night. Receive this
prayer as a sign of our trust in you. Save us from all evil,
keep us from all harm, and guide us in your way.
We belong to you, Lord. Protect us by the power of
your name. In Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Silence

Self-Examination

(Reflect on the day, using questions such as below as a
guide, confess any departures from the law of love, and
ask God for forgiveness.)

- Have I done anything that was not in some way to the glory of God?
- Have I failed to do what good I could?
- Have I unnecessarily grieved anyone by word or deed?

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
Forever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord,
even as we hope in you.

