# Daytime Prayer

*Thursday, December 10, 2009*

Advent, Week 2 — Thursday

## OPENING

O God, come to my assistance.

*Lord, make haste to help me.*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

## HYMN

> **Come, Lord, Do Not Delay**
>
> Come, Lord, do not delay;
> your people wait for you;
> illuminate this midday hour
> with all that is your truth.

## PSALMODY

**Psalm 119** *Psalm 119 (Continued)*

> *Ant. Behold, the Lord is coming with power; he will illuminate what is hidden in darkness.*

Your testimonies have I kept; and I love them greatly.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.*

> *Ant. Behold, the Lord is coming with power; he will illuminate what is hidden in darkness.*

**Psalm 119** *Psalm 119 (Continued)*

> *Ant. Behold, the Lord is coming with power; he will illuminate what is hidden in darkness.*

I have kept your commandments and testimonies, for all my ways are in your sight.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.*

> *Ant. Behold, the Lord is coming with power; he will illuminate what is hidden in darkness.*

## SHORT READING

**ISAIAH 40:31**

> Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not faint.

## RESPONSORY

*V. Come, Lord Jesus, and do not delay.*

*R. Give new courage to your people.*

## CONCLUDING PRAYER

> *Lord, give us the eyes of faith to see your signs in the events of this day, and the courage to act on what we see; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

## DISMISSAL

Let us praise the Lord.

*And give him thanks.*