

DAILY PRAYER

(for the week of April 3 - 9)

Lord God, You who are the creator and master of the universe, you are the source of all; and nothing worthy of life is done apart from you. The sounds and rhythms of the day are echoes of your song. I am like the string on a violin or the hollow of a flute. Apart from your touch, the breath of your Spirit, I cannot know the meaning of my life. You are wondrously great, without flaw, fault, or limit; the very light of light; and I am small, and weak, trivial in so many ways. Yet, Lord God, small and weak as I am, you did not create me for power or strength. Nor did you create me for beauty or charm. You created me to resound—hollow and string—with *your* love in *this* world. You have made me to love me, so that with me and through me *your* love can come into *this* world today. You have made us to love each other as you have loved us. O let my life bear that gift today. Amen.