

2026-01-02 Meditation for Friday of Christmastide is now available
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Theme song (7th-century hymn for Advent):

Creator of the stars of night
Your people's everlasting light,
O Christ, Redeemer of us all,
We pray you hear us when we call

In sorrow that the ancient curse
Should doom to death a universe

The Lord's Prayer / *Otche Nach*, Op. 41, No. 13 (1878)

Lyrics: Matthew 6:9b-13

Music: Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840-1893)

Artists: St Petersburg Chamber Choir, Nikolai Korniev (dir.)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FiHigAqBV6o>

Otche nash,

Our Father,

sushchiy na nebesakh,

Who art in heaven,

Da svyatitsya imya Tvoye,

Hallowed be thy name.

Da priidet Tsarstviye Tvoye.

Thy kingdom come.

Da budet volya Tvoya

Thy will be done

Tak zhe, kak v nebe i na zemle.

On earth, just as in heaven.

Khleb nash nasushchnyy

Our daily bread

day nam na sey den',

Give us this day,

I prosti nam dolgi nashi,
And forgive us our debts,
Kak i my proshchayem
As we forgive
dolzhnikam nashim.
Our debtors.

I ne vvedi nas v iskusheniye,
And lead us not into temptation,
No izbavi nas ot lukavogo.
But deliver us from the evil one.

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