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Advent Wreath Prayer Fourth Week of Advent – Year A

(This prayer is repeated each day during the fourth week. After the prayer, the head of the family will light all 4 candles)

All make the Sign of the Cross.

The leader says: The King of glory dwells among us. May His love cover the world
as we light four candles on our Advent Wreath.

Let us pray,
We shout Glory to the King of Kings.
Whose love reigns in our hearts.
May these final days of the season bring us closer
to one another and mystery of the Incarnation,
as You enter our homes, our lives, and our history.
We ask this in your most holy name. **Amen.**

Reader: **(R.) Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory.**

The Lord's are the earth and its fullness;
the world and those who dwell in it.
For he founded it upon the seas
and established it upon the rivers.

All: **(R.) Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory.**

Reader: Who can ascend the mountain of the Lord?
or who may stand in his holy place?
One whose hands are sinless, whose heart is clean,
who desires not what is vain.

All: **(R.) Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory.**

Reader: He shall receive a blessing from the Lord,
a reward from God his savior.
Such is the race that seeks for him,
that seeks the face of the God of Jacob.

All: **(R.) Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory.**

Leader: Let us light all four candles on our wreath, as we sing
our Advent Wreath song.

(All four candles are lit before and left burning during the evening meals on each day of the fourth week in Advent)

