

**January 3, 2021**

*Question for Reflection*

Warned in a dream of Herod's evil intentions, the magi "left for their own country by another road." What could it mean for you to take "another road" as the church concludes the celebrations of the Christmas season?

*Household Prayer: Morning*

Loving God,  
do not let my good intentions become a means of evil.  
Do not let my trust become cooperation with sin.  
Do not let my naivete become an opportunity for wickedness.  
Make me prudent in acts of mercy,  
firm in my resistance to evil,  
and wise in my discernment of wrong,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Household Prayer: Evening*

Loving God,  
in the journey of life  
guide me by the star that leads to Jesus,  
that I may return to you transformed by his love. Amen.