

Sample Petitions

Response: “Lord Hear Our Prayer”

- We come in prayer for all those who have loved and supported _____ family: for all who have gathered here today and for all those who could not be here today, but who are with us in spirit. We pray to the Lord.
- For relatives and friends. And the love and laughter _____ shared and that the memories may sustain _____ family in the days ahead. May we realize that God is always with us. We pray to the Lord.
- Look tenderly on _____ who stands in your presence Lord... Let (h/s) find joy in being united with those who have gone before (h/h). We pray to the Lord.
- We pray for the Church, for peace in our troubled world, compassion for all God’s people and willingness to be open to forgive one another. We pray to the Lord.
- We remember the sick, for those who suffer in mind and body. Send your angel of mercy to comfort them and to render your healing touch. We pray to the Lord.
- Bless the caregivers at _____ for their care and support to _____ as well as to our family during this difficult time. We pray to the Lord.

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- For priests and religious who labor in your vineyard; give them the courage and strength to persevere in your work. We pray to the Lord.
- We pray for the safety of our troops, Lord hold them in your loving hands and protect them. Let there be peace in our troubled world, give us compassionate hearts for all of God's people and a willingness to be open to forgive one another. We pray to the Lord.
- We lift up to you heavenly Father, all families who struggle and live in hardship. Lord, give them faith and courage in the difficulties of life which many today are called to face. We pray to the Lord.