

Called to Pray Together

Leader: Peace be with you and special blessings from God, who has given us a special claim to love and has gifted us to bring that same love to those we pray with and for every day.

All: And also with you.

Reader: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke: (*Proclaim Luke 11:2–4.*)

Leader: With one voice, let us place our needs before our gracious and loving God.

Reader: Our response is: “We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.”

Lord, help us to hallow and honor your name.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to pray that your Kingdom will come.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to pray for your will to be done.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to build the Kingdom of God here on earth.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to pray for our daily bread.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to be daily bread for others.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to forgive those who have wronged us.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, help us to seek forgiveness from those we have wronged.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, steer us away from that which is not good for us.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Reader: Lord, lead us back toward you when we find ourselves straying.

All: We pray, Lord. Hear our prayer.

Leader: May God, who has called us to this community of faith, be with us and guide us. May we, as a community of faith, always give our God honor and glory. May God, who loves and invites us to grow in faith together, grant us peace.

All: Amen.

Leader: We close this prayer by praying the words that Jesus gave us: (*Conclude by leading the participants in praying the Lord’s Prayer.*)

