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Intercessions.

"Prayer and Thanksgiving are the two wings of the soul by which it rises upward to God."

Prayers Suggested for use in Private or Family Prayer.

We pray for the Holy Catholic Church of Christ, that Thou wouldest pour upon it, O Lord, all the gifts of Thy Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

For the Bishops, and all the Clergy who minister in it [especially for *him* who *ministers* in this Parish], that they may rightly handle the Word of Truth. *Amen.*

For all who aid in the ministering work of Thy Church, and those who, at Thy call, devote themselves to Thy service in works of piety and charity. *Amen.*

For the poor and needy, sick and afflicted, widows and orphans; for those especially who ask our prayers, and for those who have none to pray for them. *Amen.*

For all whom Thou hast given to be near and dear to us [those who are absent from our household, with] all who love us, and who are specially loved by us. Give them Thy blessing, O Lord, for the sake of Him Who hath taught us to love one another, even as He hath loved us, Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Gracious Father, we humbly beseech Thee for Thy Holy Catholic Church. Fill it with all truth, and in all truth with all peace: where it is corrupt, purge it; where it is in error, direct it; where it is superstitious, reform it; where anything is amiss, rectify it; where it is right, strengthen and confirm it; where it is in want, furnish it; where it is divided and rent asunder, heal the breaches thereof, O Thou Holy One of Israel, for the sake of Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Redeemer and our Lord. *Amen.*

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CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY, 1911.

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Purification of Mary, the Blessed Virgin.

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY. Morn.: Proverbs i; Matt. xx, 17. [Even.: Proverbs iii or viii; Acts xxi, 17.]

SEPTUAGESIMA. Morn.: Genesis i and ii, 1 to 4; Rev. xxi, 1 to 9. [Even.: Genesis ii, 4, or Job xxxviii; Rev. xxi, 9, to xxii, 6.]

SEXAGESIMA. Morn.: Genesis iii; Matt. xxvii, 1 to 27. Even.: [Genesis vi or viii; Romans iii.]

S. Matthias, Apostle and Martyr.

QUINQUAGESIMA. Morn.: Genesis ix, 1 to 20; Mark ii, 23, to iii, 13. [Even.: Genesis xii or xiii; Romans ix, 1 to 19.]

Esaculatory Prayers, Etc.

"Then the King said unto me, For what dost thou make request? So I prayed to the God of Heaven. And I said unto the King . . ."—NEHEMIAH ii, 4.

On First Arising.—I laid me down and slept, and rose up again; for the Lord sustained me.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord, who hast given us sleep to refresh the weary frame,—order, sanctify, and govern all my energies, to Thy Glory and the salvation of my soul.

In Moments of Temptation.—By Thy Cross and Passion, Good Lord, deliver me.

When Going to Rest.—I will lay me down in peace, and take my rest, for it is Thou, Lord, only, that makest me dwell in safety.

Into Thy Hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit, for Thou hast redeemed me, O Lord, Thou God of Truth.

In any Danger.—The Lord Himself is my keeper: the Lord is my defence upon my right hand.

At any Moment.—O Father, sustain me by Thy power; O Eternal Son, enlighten me by Thy wisdom; O Holy Spirit, sanctify me by Thy indwelling.

Before Reading Holy Scripture.—Speak, Lord, for Thy servant heareth. Open Thou mine eyes, that I may see the wondrous things of Thy law.

Before Prayer.—Lord, teach me how to pray; Lord, increase my faith.

In Beginning any New Undertaking.—Prevent us, O Lord, in all our doings with Thy most gracious favour, and further us with Thy continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy Holy Name, and finally by Thy mercy obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*