

PRAYERS & INTERCESSIONS.

For International Peace.—O God, Who hast taught us that we are members one of another, and hast ordained our brotherhood in the bond of the Spirit; remove, we beseech Thee, from all nations and classes, distrust, bitterness and discontent; that seeking what is just and equal, and caring for the needs of others, they may live and work together in brotherly concord and love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For the Guidance of Statesmen.—O God, Who alone givest wisdom and understanding, inspire, we pray Thee, the minds of all to whom Thou hast committed the responsibility of government and leadership in the nations of the world. Give to them the vision of truth and justice, that by their counsel all nations and classes may work together in true brotherhood and Thy Church may serve Thee in Unity and Peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Our Parishes.—O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful, sanctify our Parishes with Thine abiding Presence. Bless those who minister in holy things. Enlighten the minds of Thy people more and more with Thine everlasting Gospel. Bring erring souls to the knowledge of God our Saviour, and those who are walking in the way of life, keep steadfast to the end. Give patience to the sick and afflicted, that their sufferings may prove a blessing to them. Guard from forgetfulness of Thee those who are strong and prosperous; and make us all to be fruitful in good works. O Blessed Spirit, Whom with the Father and the Son together we worship and adore, one God, world without end. Amen.

For Those Who Work on the Land.—Almighty God, Who hast blessed the earth that it should be fruitful and bring forth abundantly whatsoever is needed for the life of man: Prosper, we pray Thee, the labours of the husbandmen, both in this Dominion and throughout the world and grant to them such skill and knowledge, and such reasonable weather, that the fruits of the earth may be gathered in and men may

even rejoice in Thy goodness, to the praise of Thy Holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Church Schools.—Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, Who hast committed to Thy Holy Church the care and nurture of Thy children; enlighten with Thy wisdom those who teach and those who learn; that rejoicing in the knowledge of Thy truth, they may worship Thee and serve Thee all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

To Missionaries.—Bestow, O Lord, Thy richest blessing on all Missionaries. Make them to be joyful in spirit, radiant in life, steadfast in faith, zealous in service; and at all times deepen in them the sense of dependence on Thee, and give them peace in Thy service: Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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