

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Priest: *Christ is the Good Shepherd who gives his life to save those he loves. In our loss, let us turn to him and with confidence make our needs known to him.*

Reader:

The Response to each prayer is “Lord Hear Our Prayer.”

1. In baptism,was given the pledge of eternal life. May he/she now be admitted to the company of the saints in heaven.

We pray to the Lord...(R)

2. For who during his/her life, received in faith the Body of Christ at the banquet of the altar. May he/she be raised up on the last day.

We pray to the Lord...(R)

3. For all of us who knew and loved, that we may draw compassion and understanding from his/her life.

We pray to the Lord...(R)

4. For all family members and friends who have gone before and await the kingdom, and other deceased family members, especially(names of deceased relatives) grant them an everlasting home with your Son, Jesus.

We pray to the Lord...(R)

5. For all of us gathered here, that we may remember at all times, but especially at times of trouble and anxiety, that we are loved by God and that he will take care of us.

We pray to the Lord...(R)

Priest: *Father, into your hands we commend the soul of our sister/brother,..... Look gently upon his/her and bring him/her home to your kingdom where death will be no more. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*