



LECTIONARY TEXTS

RCL (Revised Common Lectionary)
Deuteronomy 26:1-11
Psalm 100
Phillipians 4:4-9
John 6:25-35

Suggested ReClaim texts
(same)

COLLECT / PRAYER OF THE DAY

Lord God, heavenly Father, from whom comes all good gifts, and in whose gracious daily care we are guarded against all evil, grant us the Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge all your goodness, and may ever thank and praise your loving kindness and tender mercy; for you live and reign with the Christ, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

ON THE GOSPEL READING

Lord Jesus Christ, you are the true bread which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world. Stir in us the hunger to be fed with this bread that we may always do the work of God. Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

FOR OUR COUNTRY

Almighty God, who has given us a land in which we are free to read and hear your Word, to confess your name, to labor together in the work of your kingdom, we pray that the liberty granted to us may continue to our children and our children's children, and that the power of the Gospel may here abound, to the blessing of all the nations of the earth, and to your eternal glory. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

FOR THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Lord God, heavenly Father, we give you thanks that in your great mercy you sent your only Son to become incarnate, and to redeem us from sin and everlasting death, and we pray that you would enlighten our hearts by your Holy Spirit, that we may give thanks always for your grace, Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

FOR CONTENTMENT

Keep us, O Lord, from distrust of your Fatherly care, whenever we become overly anxious about our earthly needs, and direct us anew to live for the hallowing of your name, the coming of your kingdom, and the doing of your will. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

FOR OUR MILITARY

Almighty God, our refuge and strength, be with all who serve in the military forces, especially _____ . Give them courage and strength, and spare them from harm and destruction. Grant that they may find in you refuge, and in Christ mercy. Let hope and comfort attend their families, and grant a speedy resolution with a just and lasting peace. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

FOR THE SICK

Father, hear our prayer for your servants who are ill, for whom we implore your help and mercy, that being restored to health they may give you thanks and praise with your whole church. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Lord, we thank you that you have taught us what you would have us believe and do. Help us to keep your Word in pure hearts, so we thereby may be strengthened in faith, perfected in holiness, and comforted in life and in death. **Amen.**
