

Universal Prayers of the Faithful

February 15, 2026

For the Church: that we may persistently seek greater holiness and never be satisfied with merely fulfilling the letter of the law.....**we pray to the Lord**

For those who feel anxious or uncertain during this time of transition, that they may find comfort in Christ and peace in the support of their parish family.....**we pray to the Lord**

For the gift of courage: that God will strengthen us as we make difficult moral decisions and empower us to put the values of the teachings of Jesus into practice.....**we pray to the Lord**

For a spirit of reverence: that we may recognize our need for God, seek to serve God each day, and never use God to achieve our agenda.....**we pray to the Lord**

For healing: that God will heal the sick, give hope to those preparing for surgery, comfort the parents of sick children, and strengthen all who care for the sick.....**we pray to the Lord**

For peace: that God will bring an end to violence in Ukraine, in workplaces, in our city streets, and within families and help all to find ways to resolve differences in life-giving ways.....**we pray to the Lord**

In three days' time, on Ash Wednesday, we mark the commencement of Lent. We pray that our Lenten observances and charitable donations alleviate the suffering and injustices faced by so many.....**we pray to the Lord**

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For our faithful departed ones: that they may soon behold that which God has prepared for those who love Him, especially Angela Dearing and Angela McDonald.....**we pray to the Lord**