

SAMPLE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSIONS II

PRIEST My dear friends, we know that nothing can ever come between us and the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus our Lord, so let us pray to our loving God for our needs at this time.

READER Compassionate God, so often your ways are beyond our understanding. As we entrust N. to your care, strengthen our faith and trust through Christ our Lord.
.....(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

READER In Baptism, N. received the light of Christ. Welcome her (him) now into the joys of your heavenly Kingdom.(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

READER That God will receive our praise and thanksgiving for the life of N. .
.....(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

READER That all of us, N.'s family and friends, may be comforted in our grief.
.....(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

READER For us the Church, that we may prepare worthily for the hour of our death, when God will call us by name to pass from this world to the next.
.....(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

READER Many friends and members of our families have gone before us and await the kingdom. May God grant them an everlasting home with Christ.
.....(*Pause*).....Lord hear us.

ALL Lord hear our prayer

PRIEST Lord hear the prayers we offer in our sorrow for the loss of N. As we believe that she (he) is now living in your kingdom, so may we one day join her (him) and together share the joy of eternal life. This we ask through Christ our Lord.

ALL Amen