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| 1st Sunday of Lent | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who breathed the breath of his own life in us?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who shows us the way to overcome temptation and to serve only God?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the strength to do what is right?</p> | <p>God, you give us everything we truly need so we pray with confidence.<br/>           For the leaders of the nations throughout the world, that they may see in their people the breath of God's life, and serve their people with respect and care, we pray.<br/>           For the churches of the world, that we may worship only God, by being true to God's Word, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may be free from fear, knowing that God's angels will protect us, we pray.</p> | <p>Loving God, we thank you for give us life and for providing all that we need. We thank you especially for the gift of Brea of Life, which you give us at the table of Jesus. We know that your Holy Spirit is with us always to help us to do what is right. We pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.</p> |
| 2nd Sunday of Lent | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who promised blessings to Abraham and Sarah?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who reveals the glory of God to those who follow him?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the wisdom to trust God's promises?</p>              | <p>We trust in God as Abraham did, and we look forward to the glory that is to come. As children of Abraham, we offer our prayers to God.<br/>           That the shining light of Christ may give hope to the people of all nations, we pray.<br/>           For the churches of the world, that the vision of Jesus may guide all our works, we pray.<br/>           For our neighbors, families and friends, that we may live in peace and love with one another, we pray.</p>  | <p>God of Abraham and Sarah, your light shines on us through Jesus. We want to be faithful to your will and to do what you ask of us. May your Holy Spirit give us the courage to follow Jesus, who shows us your way. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.</p>  |

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| 3rd Sunday of Lent | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who has the power to bring life giving water from a lifeless rock?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who gives life-giving water to all who thirst for life everlasting?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, whose life flows within us?</p> | <p>We trust that God will always meet our needs, and so we pray.<br/>           For the people of all nations, that we may trust in God to give us the living water of life and peace, we pray.<br/>           For the churches of the world, that we may work together to help all people come to know the faithfulness of God, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may find the flowing spring of life-giving water in each other, we pray.</p>  | <p>Loving God, we know that you provide for our needs with the care of a loving mother and father. May we trust in you every day. Jesus, you have told us you are the Messiah. May we grow closer to you especially at the Eucharistic table. Holy Spirit, you give us the strength to believe in the promises of God. May we never doubt God's faithfulness to us.<br/>           Amen.</p> |
| 4th Sunday of Lent | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who gives light to the world?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who is the light of the world?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who enables us to see God's hidden presence?</p>  | <p>God of light, with eyes open to see the needs of the world, we make our prayers to you.<br/>           For the leaders of all nations, that they may lead their people to live as children of the light of God's peace, we pray.<br/>           For our churches, that we may kneel with the man born blind to worship God together, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that our blindness to God's presence may be healed, so that we may see in each other the presence of God, we pray.</p> | <p>God of light, we thank you for the gift of faith. We believe in you. Our faith in you enables us to see the presence of Jesus in the Holy Bread and Sacred Cup that you share with us at your table. Your food gives us life that does not end when we die. We thank you and we praise you always in the name of Jesus.<br/>           Amen.</p>  |

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| 5th Sunday of Lent | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who promised to raise us from the dead?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who raised Lazarus back to life?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who helps us to believe in God's promises?</p>   | <p>With confidence in God's faithfulness and power, we offer our prayers.<br/>           For the leaders of all nations, that they may use their power to loosen the bonds of all people, we pray.<br/>           For all the churches, that we may find unity through our faith in the power and goodness of God who takes pity on all who are in need, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may be a source of life for one another, we pray.</p>   | <p>God of life-giving power, you brought Lazarus to life again. Thank you for sharing your life with us when we gather at the table of Jesus. May we share your life with others through the power of your Spirit alive in us. We pray in Jesus' name.<br/>           Amen.</p>                     |
| Passion Sunday     | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who sent Jesus to give his life for us?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who was obedient to the will of God, even to death?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the wisdom and strength to obey God's will for us?</p> | <p>We are grateful for Jesus' gift of love in his suffering and death. Keeping in mind that we are loved so much, let us offer our prayers.<br/>           That the people of all nations may learn to think and act like Christ, bringing all to a new life of peace, we pray.<br/>           That the suffering and death of Jesus may call all churches to work together so that we may cheer with one voice, "Hosanna to the Son of David!" we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, may we obey God in everything by treating each other with love and respect, we pray.</p> | <p>Loving God, we thank you for the gift of salvation. As we prepare to go to the table of Jesus, may your Holy Spirit be with us, showing us the way to live as Jesus lived and to love as he loved. We pray in the name of Jesus, whose love bring us together this day.<br/>           Amen.</p> |
| Easter Sunday      | No Lesson  |   |   |

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| 2nd Sunday of Easter | <p>God we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who raised Jesus from the dead?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who brings true peace to our world?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit who guides the early Christians in a life of joy?</p>     | <p>We offer our prayers in faith and with joy in the risen Lord.<br/>           For the people of all nations, that we may follow the example of the earliest Christians by sharing, caring for each other, and listening to the teachings of Jesus, we pray.<br/>           For our churches, that we may listen to the teachings of the apostles and pray together with joy and thanksgiving in our hearts, we pray.<br/>           For our neighbors, families and friends that our caring hearts may bring to each other the peace of Jesus, we pray.</p> | <p>Powerful Creator, we thank you for the gift of eternal life through the sacrifice of Jesus. May your Holy Spirit be with us as we break bread together at the table of our Son. We pray with the earliest Christians, with joy and thanksgiving in our hearts. Amen.</p> |
| 3rd Sunday of Easter | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who raised Jesus from the dead?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who is always present with us on our journey?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who opens our eyes to recognize the Lord?</p> | <p>With faith and joy in the presence of Jesus with us, let us offer our prayers.<br/>           For the people of all nations, that we may welcome the Risen Lord to walk with us in peace and harmony, we pray.<br/>           For all the churches, that we may rejoice together, knowing that Jesus will stay with us forever, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that our lives may reflect the presence of Jesus, we pray.</p>  | <p>Loving God, we thank you for loving us and for sending your son, Jesus, to die and rise for us. May your Holy Spirit help us to recognize him in the breaking of the bread, and to share his love with one another every day. Amen.</p>                                  |

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| 4th Sunday of Easter | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God who raised Jesus up and made him Lord and Christ?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who is the Good Shepherd?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit who gives us the power to recognize the voice of Jesus?</p>        | <p>Our Good Shepherd also hears our voice, when we offer our needs in prayer.<br/>           For the people of all nations, that we may change our lives and live more peacefully together, we pray.<br/>           For all the churches of our world, that we may hear the voice of Jesus, our Good Shepherd and follow him, we pray.<br/>           For our neighbors, families and friends that they may know the joy of sharing the peace of Jesus with one another, we pray.</p> | <p>Gracious God, we thank you for sending us Jesus to be our Good Shepherd. May your Holy Spirit open our ears to know and hear the voice of Jesus, even as we pray in his name. Amen.</p>  |
| 5th Sunday of Easter | <p>God we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who sent Jesus to show us the way of love and compassion?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus who is the way, the truth and the life?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit who gives us the wisdom to do God's will?</p> | <p>We are confident that Jesus will show us the way of God and so we pray.<br/>           For all the nations, that we may come to believe in the teachings of Jesus, we pray.<br/>           For all our churches, that we may spend time in prayer and the ministry of the word, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors that we may learn to live more like Jesus did and bring peace to our world in this way, we pray.</p>                               | <p>Loving God, you sent Jesus to express your deep love for us and all your people. As we gather at your table, may we be filled with the wisdom of the Holy Spirit, so that we will know how to bring your love more fully into the world. Amen.</p> |

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| 6th Sunday of Easter | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who sent Jesus to love as God loves?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who will be with us forever?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who comes from the Father to give us courage?</p> | <p>We trust in the promises of Jesus and so we pray.<br/>           For all nations, that we may keep the commands of Jesus to love one another, we pray.<br/>           For our churches, that we may faithfully proclaim the Good News of Christ by the way we live, we pray.<br/>           For our families, neighbors and friends, that we may know the loving touch of Jesus among us, we pray.</p> | <p>God of love, we want to keep the commandments of Jesus by loving each other as he loves us. May your Spirit of Truth be in our hearts so that we will know and do what is right. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.</p>   |
| 7th Sunday of Easter | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who gives eternal life to everyone?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who calls us all his own?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who comes to us from God?</p>                         | <p>Like the apostles, we trust in God's promises and so we offer our prayers with confidence.<br/>           For all the nations of the world, that all people may come to know the presence and peace of Christ in our world, we pray.<br/>           For our neighbors, families and friends that we may know through our words and actions that Jesus is always with us we pray.</p>                   | <p>God of love, you always keep your promises. We thank you for the gift of Jesus and of your Holy Spirit. May our hearts be open to receive your gifts and may we proclaim the Good News in everything we do. We pray in the name of Jesus, who shares with us the food of life everlasting. Amen.</p> |

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| Pentecost                      | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who raised Jesus from death to life?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus who sent the Holy Spirit to guide and protect us?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who enables us to do the work of Jesus in the world today?</p>   | <p>We want to be followers of Jesus and speak the Good News to all in our world.<br/>           For the people of every nation, that we may learn the one language of love and peace, we pray.<br/>           For all our churches, that we respond to the Holy Spirit and spread the Good News by the way we live, we pray.<br/>           For our families, neighbors and friends, that we may live in ways that fill us with the joy of Christ's peace, we pray.</p>  | <p>God, we are grateful for the peace of Jesus and the power of your Holy Spirit in our lives. May we bring this peace to others and may your Spirit help us to grow in faith as we share your Sacred Food of life everlasting. We pray in the name of Jesus, your Son. Amen.</p> |
| Feast of the Most Holy Trinity | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who gives Jesus all power and authority in the world?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who came to show us how much God loves us?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who with the Father and Son are the Holy Trinity?</p> | <p>As children of God, we offer our prayers as we would talk to a loving father or mother.<br/>           For all the nations of our world, that we may all become disciples of Christ and bring new life and new peace to the world, we pray.<br/>           For our churches, that we may see ourselves as children of God and live together in peace and harmony, we pray.<br/>           For our families, neighbors and friends, that we may all do as Jesus has taught us, especially by loving and caring for one another, we pray.</p> | <p>God, we are filled with joy to be called your children. May we understand the Trinity relationship and help us to live in peace with others. We ask this in Jesus' name and by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.</p>   |

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| Body and Blood of Christ | <p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:<br/>           Do you believe in God, who sent Jesus to be our salvation?<br/>           Do you believe in Jesus, who gives himself to us in the Eucharist?<br/>           Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who strengthens our faith in the promise of eternal life?</p> | <p>At the Last Supper, Jesus prayed for his disciples and for the world. Let us do the same now, as we offer our prayers.<br/>           For the nations of the world, that we may all become a real sign of the true bread of life to everyone in the world, we pray.<br/>           For the churches of our world, that we may all become a real sign of the true bread of life to everyone in the world, we pray.<br/>           For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may often give thanks for their love in our lives, we pray.</p> | <p>God of all creation, we thank you for the gift of Jesus, who is the bread of life for us. May this Eucharist nourish us so that we may become the bread for the world and bring your love to everyone we meet. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.</p> |

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