

<u>Description</u>	<u>Creed* (or recite Nicene Creed)</u>	<u>Prayers of the Faithful**</u>	<u>Closing Prayer</u>
12 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:</p> <p>Do you believe in God, sees everything and understands what is in our hearts?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us to trust in God?</p> <p>Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the courage to be strong in our faith?</p>	<p>We do trust in God and so we offer our prayers with confidence.</p> <p>For the leaders of all nations, that they may put their trust in God and do what is right and just for all people, we pray.</p> <p>For our churches, that we may grow in our trust in God's love for all people, of all faiths, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, friends and neighbors, that our faith in God may help us all to do what is right when we are afraid; we pray.</p>	<p>Faithful God, we want to learn always to trust in you. May the heavenly food we are about to share give us the strength to do what is right in all things. We pray in the name of Jesus, who calls us to trust in you.</p> <p>Amen</p>
13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:</p> <p>Do you believe in God, who sent the prophets to speak God's word?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us to welcome others in his name?</p> <p>Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the wisdom to recognize the presence of Christ in others?</p>	<p>We are going to try to welcome Christ in others, and so we pray.</p> <p>For the people of all nations, that we may learn to live as one family, the family of God's people, we pray.</p> <p>For our churches, that we may prepare room in our hearts for every person, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may be generous with one another, we pray.</p>	<p>God all holy, we want to welcome you in every person we meet. May the table of the Eucharist feed our hearts and strengthen our love for one another. We pray in the name of Jesus, who calls us to your heavenly banquet.</p> <p>Amen.</p>

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14 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say: Do you believe in God, who sent Jesus to bring peace and justice to our world? Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us the ways of humility and gentleness? Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who helps us to learn from Jesus?</p>	<p>We are eager to join in the work of Jesus, and so we offer our prayers for needs of our world. For the leaders of nations, that they may turn towards God, who shows the way to lead without weapons of war, we pray. For the people of all our churches, that we may learn to follow the gentle way of Jesus, we pray. For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may all find rest and peace in our love for Jesus, we pray.</p>	<p>God of justice and mercy, we thank you for sending Jesus to show us how to live in peace and humility. May your Holy Spirit awaken in us the desire for true peace in all the world. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.</p>
15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	<p>God we celebrate your love for us as we say: Do you believe in God, who sends the word to fill the earth like a gentle rain? Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us how to nourish the word of God in our world? Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the strength to spread the word of God?</p>	<p>We are eager to bring God's word into our world, and so we offer our prayers. For the people of all nations, that we may listen to what Jesus is saying and find new ways to live in peace, we pray. For all our churches, that we may help God's word to do what it was sent to do, bringing new life to the world, we pray. For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may know the blessings of God's word in our lives, we pray.</p>	<p>God of new life, we are grateful to you for sending your word to us. May our hearts welcome your word, and may we bring your Good News to all we meet. We pray in the name of Jesus, who calls us to the table of the Eucharist. Amen.</p>

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16 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	<p>God we celebrate your love for us as we say:</p> <p>Do you believe in God, who loves all people, gives us hope and forgives our sins?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us about the reign of God?</p> <p>Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who opens our ears to hear what Jesus teaches us?</p>	<p>We want our faith to change the whole world, and so we offer our prayers.</p> <p>For the leaders of nations, that they may lead in the spirit of kindness toward all people, we pray.</p> <p>For all our churches, that we may respond to God's forgiveness of our sins with mercy and compassions for each other, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, neighbors and friends, that our care for one another may grow like a mustard seed, we pray.</p>	<p>Gentle God, we thank you for reigning in our lives with compassions and mercy. May you fill our hearts so that your love will rise in us like yeast in bread. We pray in the name of Jesus who is the Bread of Life everlasting.</p> <p>Amen.</p>
17 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say:</p> <p>Do you believe in God, who offers us the gifts we need to find true happiness?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who teaches us what is truly valuable in the reign of God?</p> <p>Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who gives us the wisdom we need to live as God wants us to?</p>	<p>We want to learn to know what is most truly important for our lives. Let us offer our prayers for the gift of wisdom.</p> <p>For the leaders of nations, that they may seek God's wisdom in order to do what is right for all people, we pray.</p> <p>For all our churches, that we may pay close attention to what is important in God's eyes, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, neighbors and friends, that we may seek the gifts of God's kingdom of compassion and mercy, we pray.</p>	<p>God, the source of true wisdom, we thank you for your many gifts to us, and especially for the gift of Jesus, who teaches us what is truly important in your eyes. May we learn well what Jesus teaches, and may his holy bread and sacred cup nourish us as we grow in faith.</p> <p>Amen.</p>

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18 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we proclaim our faith: Do you believe in God, who makes an everlasting covenant with us?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who fed the crowds with bread and fish? Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who opens our eyes to see the goodness of God?</p>	<p>We know that God will give us everything we truly need, and we want to participate in God's work here on earth and so we offer these prayers.</p> <p>For the people of all nations, that we may remember God's generosity and be generous with one another, we pray.</p> <p>For the churches of our world, that we may work together to invite all people to come to the water of life through faith, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, neighbors and friends, that we may remember the love of God every time we take bread and share a meal together, we pray.</p>	<p>Generous God, we thank you for your never-ending kindness to us. May we accept your invitation and trust in you to provide for what we need. And may your Holy Spirit strengthen us so that we will bring your goodness to others in our world. We pray in the name of Jesus, who feeds us now with the Bread of Heaven at the table of the Eucharist. Amen.</p>
19 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	<p>God, we celebrate your love for us as we say: Do you believe in God, who comes to us with the gentleness of a breeze?</p> <p>Do you believe in Jesus, who calms the storms of our lives? Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, who strengthens our faith so that we can find peace with God?</p>	<p>We want for ourselves and for others to find God's peace and so we offer these prayers.</p> <p>For the people of all nations, that we may not be afraid to seek God's presence in the gentleness of a breeze, we pray.</p> <p>For all our churches, that we may have the faith to reach out to Jesus for all our needs, we pray.</p> <p>For our families, friends and neighbors, that we may know the peace of God through the presence of Jesus, we pray.</p>	<p>God of peace, we thank you for sending Jesus to us so that we might know the gentleness of your love for us. May we learn to seek you in the quiet of our hearts and to bring your peace to others in our world. We pray in the name of Jesus, who brings your love to us. Amen.</p>

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