



THE LITANY

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| L O Lord, | C have mercy. |
| L O Christ, | C have mercy. |
| L O Lord, | C have mercy. |
| L O Christ, | C hear us. |
| L God the Father in heaven, | C have mercy. |
| L God the Son, Redeemer of the world, | C have mercy. |
| L God the Holy Spirit, | C have mercy. |
| L Be gracious to us. | C Spare us, good Lord. |
| L Be gracious to us. | C Help us, good Lord. |
- L** From all sin, from all error, from all evil;
From the crafts and assaults of the devil; from sudden and evil death;
From pestilence and famine; from war and bloodshed; from sedition and from rebellion;
From lightning and tempest; from all calamity by fire and water; and from everlasting death:
C **Good Lord, deliver us.**
- L** By the mystery of Your holy incarnation; by Your holy nativity;
By Your baptism, fasting, and temptation; by Your agony and bloody sweat;
by Your cross and passion; by Your precious death and burial;
By Your glorious resurrection and ascension; and by the coming of the Holy Spirit, the Comforter:
C **Help us, good Lord.**
- L** In all time of our tribulation; in all time of our prosperity; in the hour of death;
and in the day of judgment:
C **Help us, good Lord.**
- L** We poor sinners implore You
C **to hear us, O Lord.**
- L** To rule and govern Your holy Christian Church;
to preserve all pastors and ministers of Your Church in the true knowledge and understanding
of Your wholesome Word and to sustain them in holy living;
To put an end to all schisms and causes of offense;
to bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived;
To beat down Satan under our feet; to send faithful laborers into Your harvest;
and to accompany Your Word with Your grace and Spirit:
C **We implore You to hear us, good Lord.**
- L** To raise those who fall and to strengthen those who stand;
and to comfort and help the weakhearted and the distressed:
C **We implore You to hear us, good Lord.**

L To give to all peoples concord and peace; to preserve our land from discord and strife;
to give our country Your protection in every time of need;
To direct and defend our president/queen/king and all in authority;
to bless and protect our magistrates and all our people;
To watch over and help all who are in danger, necessity, and tribulation;
to protect and guide all who travel;
To grant all women with child, and all mothers with infant children,
increasing happiness in their blessings; to defend all orphans and widows and provide for them;
To strengthen and keep all sick persons and young children; to free those in bondage;
and to have mercy on us all:

C **We implore You to hear us, good Lord.**

L To forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers and to turn their hearts;
to give and preserve for our use the kindly fruits of the earth; and graciously to hear our prayers:

C **We implore You to hear us, good Lord.**

L Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,

C **we implore You to hear us.**

L Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,

C **have mercy.**

L Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,

C **have mercy.**

L Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,

C **grant us Your peace.**

L O Christ,

C **hear us.**

L O Lord,

C **have mercy.**

L O Christ,

C **have mercy.**

L O Lord,

C **have mercy. Amen.**

The Litany may conclude with the LORD'S PRAYER and a collect.

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