

INTERCESSORY PRAYER II

Almighty God, who has guided the church since the earliest days, from the shores of Galilee to the banks of the St. Lawrence, hear our petitions.

1a. For the Holy Church, that by following the footsteps of her Master, Christ our Lord, she may come to know the fullness of salvation. We pray to the Lord.

1b. For Leo our Pope, and Michael our Bishop, that they might know Christ as their salvation, and follow where-ever He leads. We pray to the Lord.

1c. For Michael our Bishop, and the entire clergy of the Archdiocese of Kingston, that by knowing Christ and His sufferings, they might lead their flock into salvation. We pray to the Lord.

2a. For the people of God gathering around the altar of the Lord, that through the challenges they experience in life, offer fitting sacrifice to God.

2b. For those who seek God with a sincere heart, that they will find Him who is the source of all creation. We pray to the Lord.

3a. For the unity of all Christians, who follow the one God and the one Lord, may they enter into true dialogue and become one Church. We pray to the Lord.

3b. For those who serve the public in any ways, may they be inspired by the Spirit of Christ to build up a just and merciful society. We pray to the Lord.

4a. For those who suffer, that they might join their sufferings to Christ, and thus know the fullness of His Glory. We pray to the Lord.

4b. For those who have died, may they know the power of the Resurrection of Jesus in their own flesh. We pray to the Lord.



**Christ our King,
Who, for two centuries, has
Built up the Archdiocese of Kingston,
Upon the solid rock of Faith,
Grant that your people
May know the Risen Christ,
And through participating in Your suffering and death,
Come at last to attain
The Glory of Your Resurrection.
Who live and reign with God the Father,
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
Amen**