



SAMPLE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Response: Lord hear our prayer.

We pray that we may accept the gifts of immigrants with open hands and hearts showing them that we are brothers and sisters, we pray.

We pray that we may live our baptismal commitment by helping refugees and immigrants in our country, we pray.

We pray that we may listen to the Word of God and live it out fully by our hospitality to all in our parish, we pray.

We pray that we may hear and answer, “Here I am” to the Gospel values of being welcoming to one another, especially our immigrant brothers and sisters, we pray.

We pray that we may reach out to touch others as Jesus did, we pray.

We pray that we are willing to help others who are in need of basic necessities as food and also able to listen to those in need, we pray

We pray that we may find ways of following Jesus by seeking ways to help refugees, immigrants and Dreamers and their families, we pray

God of Unity and Hope, we pray that our nation may be transformed with love. May we hear the cries of families being separated at the border and be ready to help them in any ways we can. All immigrants are our brothers and sisters and all children are gifts of God to us. May we grow in caring for others and be sensitive to their needs. May we welcome those who come to our doors. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.