

November 4-10, 2018

Begin with the prayer below, then go to the prayer for the day.

God of wisdom and mercy, grant us patience to listen; compassion to be open to other views and opinions; generosity to forgive and grace to change.

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DAY: 62 SUNDAY NOV. 4	As we fall back with the change in Daylight Saving Time, we pray for Your wisdom in how we use our precious time. May the moments we have be used to provide rest for the weary, benefit those in need, and greet You in prayer.
DAY: 63 MONDAY NOV. 5	God of compassion, look after migrant people with Your care. Soften the hearts of those who place blame on them. Help us to recognize push factors that drive people from their homes, and guide us to solutions that benefit all.
DAY: 64 TUESDAY NOV. 6	As people vote today, we pray to be inspired by the Holy Spirit to express how we collectively work together. Let us consider our many blessings, make just choices, and act with wisdom and compassion.
DAY: 65 WEDNESDAY NOV. 7	God, the day after this latest election in the U.S., help us to listen more, uphold dignity and respond with love as we interact with others who may be angry and hurt. Help us to create unity out of divisiveness.
DAY: 66 THURSDAY NOV. 8	Help us walk in the footsteps of the healing ministry of Jesus. Where there is brokenness, show us how to bring wholeness.
DAY: 67 FRIDAY NOV. 9	Today we pray for constructive conversations that lead to action in the care of our environment. Open our eyes to see that caring for our common home means caring for one another.
DAY: 68 SATURDAY NOV. 10	God, heal the hearts of those who act out with violence. Before there is a need to pray for victims, help us become aware of those stuck in despair and dysfunction. May our compassion end tragic chains of events at the first link.
OPTION TO TAKE ACTION	Prepare for National Hunger and Homelessness Week (Nov. 10-18) by getting to know the agencies in your region and learning what you can do to help them. Also, be courageous and greet those who appear homeless. Acknowledgment can be a restorative act.