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#### A Leader's Prayer



Leadership is hard to define.

Lord, let us be the ones to define it with justice.

Leadership is like a handful of water.

Lord, let us be the people to share it with those who thirst.

Leadership is not about watching and correcting.

Lord, let us remember it is about

listening and connecting.

Leadership is not about telling people what to do.

Lord, let us find out what people want.

Leadership is less about the love of power,

and more about the power of love.

Lord, as we continue to undertake the role of leader let us be affirmed by the servant leadership we witness in your son Jesus. Let us walk in the path He has set and let those who will, follow. Let our greatest passion be compassion.

Our greatest strength love.

Our greatest victory the reward of peace.

In leading let us never fail to follow.

In loving let us never fail.

For our Holy Father, bishops, priests, and all ministers of the Church, that they may have the courage to speak the truth with love and conviction, let us pray to the Lord.

For all government leaders, that they may be guided by wisdom, justice, and a sincere desire to serve the common good, let us pray to the Lord.

For our President/Prime Minister and all civil authorities, that they may respect the dignity of every human life and promote

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policies that protect the most vulnerable, let us pray to the Lord. For those who serve in the armed forces, law enforcement, and emergency services, that they may be protected in their duties and carry out their responsibilities with honor, let us pray to the

For the families in our community, that they may find strength and support in times of difficulty, let us pray to the Lord.

For the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, that she may remain steadfast in preaching the Gospel and leading all people to salvation in Christ, let us pray to the Lord.

For our government leaders, that they may have the humility to listen to the voice of the people and the courage to make decisions for the true good of all, let us pray to the Lord.

For those in positions of authority, that they may exercise their power with justice, integrity, and a spirit of service, let us pray to the Lord.

For nations torn by conflict, violence, and oppression, that peace, reconciliation, and respect for human rights may prevail, let us pray to the Lord.

For our parish community, that we may be a living example of Christ's love and compassion, especially to those who are marginalized or suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

For our government leaders, that they may be guided by the principles of truth, freedom, and respect for human dignity, let us pray to the Lord.

For those entrusted with the responsibility of making laws and policies, that they may seek the common good and uphold the rights of all citizens, let us pray to the Lord.

For international organizations and institutions working for peace, development, and human rights, that their efforts may bear fruit, let us pray to the Lord.

For our local community, that we may be united in our diversity and work together to build a society of justice, compassion, and mutual understanding, let us pray to the Lord.

Pray Everyday! Go to Daily Mass if you can! **Volunteer for the Church! God Bless You!** 





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## **PRAYERS FOR OUR GOVERNMENT LEADERS**







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### **Prayer for Government Leader**



God of power and might, wisdom and justice, through you authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment is decreed. Assist with your spirit of counsel and fortitude the President and other government leaders of these United States. May they always seek the ways of righteousness, justice and mercy. Grant that they

may be enabled by your powerful protection to lead our country with honesty and integrity. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### A Prayer for Our Government by Bishop John Carroll

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We pray, O almighty and eternal God, who through Jesus Christ has revealed thy glory to all nations, to preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church, being spread through the whole world, may continue with unchanging faith in the confession of your name.

We pray Thee, who alone are good and holy, to endow with heavenly knowledge, sincere zeal and sanctity of life, our chief bishop, the pope, the vicar of Our Lord Jesus Christ, in the government of his Church; our own bishop, all other bishops, prelates and pastors of the Church; and especially those who are appointed to exercise among us the functions of the holy ministry, and conduct your people into the ways of salvation.

We pray O God of might, wisdom and justice, through whom authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment decreed, assist with your Holy Spirit of counsel and fortitude the president of these United States, that his administration may be conducted in righteousness and be eminently useful to your people over whom he presides; by encouraging due respect for virtue and religion; by a faithful execution of the laws in justice and mercy; and by restraining vice and immorality.

Let the light of your divine wisdom direct the deliberations of Congress, and shine forth in all the proceedings and laws framed for our rule and government, so that they may tend to







the preservation of peace, the promotion of national happiness, the increase of industry, sobriety and useful knowledge; and may perpetuate to us the blessing of equal liberty.

We pray for his excellency, the governor of this state, for the members of the assembly, for all judges, magistrates, and other officers who are appointed to guard our political welfare, that they may be enabled, by your powerful protection, to discharge the duties of their respective stations with honesty and ability.

We recommend likewise, to your unbounded mercy, all our brethren and fellow citizens throughout the United States, that they may be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of your most holy law; that they may be preserved in union, and in that peace which the world cannot give; and after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal

Finally, we pray to you, O Lord of mercy, to remember the souls of your servants departed, who are gone before us with the sign of faith and repose in the sleep of peace; the souls of our parents, relatives and friends; of those who, when living, were members of this congregation, and particularly of such as are lately deceased; of all benefactors who, by their donations or legacies to this Church, witnessed their zeal for the decency of divine worship and proved their claim to our grateful and charitable remembrance. To these, O Lord, and to all that rest in Christ, grant, we beseech you, a place of refreshment, light and everlasting peace, through the same Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior, Amen.

## **Praying for Government Leaders**

Oh Lord, our governor, your glory shines throughout the world. We commend our nation to your merciful care, that we may live securely in peace and may be guided by your providence. Give all in authority the wisdom and strength to know your will and do it. Help them remember that they are called to serve people as lovers of truth and justice.

# **Praying for State and Local Governments**

Almighty God, bless those who hold office in the government of this state/city/town, that they may do their work in a spirit of wisdom, kindness, and justice. Help them use their authority to serve faithfully and promote the general welfare.

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## **Prayer for Civic Leaders**

God our Father, You guide everything in wisdom and love. Accept the prayers we offer for our nation. In your goodness, watch over those in authority so that people everywhere may enjoy freedom, security and peace. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

#### **A Prayer for World Leaders**

God, today I pray for my local, state, and national government because I know these jobs often feel unrelenting. I pray all leaders, in every party and from every place, come to a personal experience of knowing You. Please strengthen their families, provide them with rest, and direct them toward plans and policies that benefit all people. And I ask that they would lead with kindness, humility, and integrity. Please remind me to pray for these leaders daily as you also lead me to ways I can live out Your love in my community. Amen.

## A Prayer for Protection and Safety for Government Leaders

God, You are very good to me. I pray You will be very good to those in public service at all levels in my country and the world. I pray You would keep them safe, bring health to their bodies, and protect their daily routines and travel. You are the ultimate provider, and I pray our leaders will come to know and experience You as a strong refuge. I pray this in the name of

#### **Prayer for Government Leaders to Have a Heart of Justice:**

Lord, you are witnessing the division in our country. Many people have lost faith in our government's ability and willingness to serve justice equally. My heart aches for my country. I humbly ask that you guide and direct those in leadership positions in our government. Give them a heart for justice and a desire to serve the common good. Remove all self-centered motives in their hearts and open their eyes to the good of all citizens.

Father, I feel the battles raging as demonic forces are trying to destroy countries. Send your spiritual prayer warriors to bind all works of Satan in my country and government.

Father, we need fearless men and women in government who will do what is right in your eyes. We need people who will stand on Your principles even when standing alone. Help them to be strong and courageous in the face of challenges and to always seek your will in all they do. As they seek Your will, I pray they make decisions based on the people's will. May they put aside their selfish ambitions, truly love our country, and make decisions for the betterment of our country.

I pray that our government may be a beacon of hope and a model of good governance for the world. May it work to promote peace, justice, and the common good, and may it be a blessing to all who live within its borders.

I pray that you will bless our leaders with your presence and quidance and use them to bring about positive change in our nation and worldwide.

In your holy name, we pray, Amen.

### Prayer for Unity of the Officials in Our Government:

Sovereign God, My heart aches for the division in our nation and our government. The conflicts distract from the work our government was designed to do. I come before you with a heavy heart, seeking your guidance for the officials who serve in our government. I recognize that unity among our leaders is crucial for the well-being of our nation and community, and I ask that you help them work together in harmony and with a spirit of cooperation.

I speak Jesus over all members of government. I bind the spirit of conflict, division, and selfishness. Open the eyes and hearts of all members, revealing the damage that is being done to our community and nation. Set their eyes on you as they govern. Please grant them the wisdom to make sound decisions that benefit all citizens, regardless of their political affiliations or backgrounds. Help them to put aside their differences and personal agendas for the greater good of our country.

Lord, I ask that you politically remove any person(s) in our government who isn't focused on leading with integrity. Reveal their intention to the voting citizens. I pray the voters elect officials who will honor and govern according to my nation's Constitution or ruling documents.

I pray that the members of different parties find common ground. Give them a spirit of negotiation and cooperation as they come together to make decisions. During this process, have them decide what is best for their citizens. Rise up a spirit of cooperation that will bring honor to Jesus Christ.

Above all, Lord, we ask that you pour your love and grace upon our officials and bless them with hearts full of compassion and understanding for the people they represent. We pray all of these things in your holy and precious name. Amen.





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# **Prayer for our Political leaders**



Dear Heavenly Father, We come before you today with humble hearts, seeking your divine intervention and guidance in the realm of politics. We acknowledge that you are the ultimate authority, and we recognize the significance of leaders who govern our nations and communities.

Lord, we pray for our political leaders, both elected officials and those aspiring to serve in public office. Grant them wisdom, integrity, and a genuine desire to serve the common good. May they prioritize justice, compassion, and the well-being of all people, regardless of their background or beliefs.

We ask that you grant our leaders the courage to make difficult decisions based on your principles of righteousness and truth. Help them to resist the temptation of personal gain or selfish ambition, and instead, empower them to act with humility and selflessness.

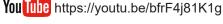
Father, we lift up our nations and communities to you. Guide us in unity, that we may work together for the betterment of society. May we seek understanding and common ground, putting aside divisive ideologies and focusing on the values that unite us.

Lord, we pray for the healing of divisions and the restoration of trust in the political process. Help us to engage in respectful and constructive dialogue, even in the midst of differing opinions. May we learn to listen, empathize, and find ways to collaborate for the greater good.

Above all, we submit our desires and aspirations for political success to your will, dear Lord. We trust that you know what is best for us and that your plans are perfect. Help us to surrender our own agendas and seek your guidance, knowing that you work all things together for good.

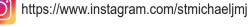
In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

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We give thanks for the democracy alive in our country and for the freedom to worship You.

Help the elected government and all in positions of power and authority to govern wisely and for the common good of all.

Help us all to recognize that humility and respect for democracy are characteristics which make

America a beacon for stability and prosperity around the world – characteristics which should be upheld, as they were fought for by ancestors who sacrificed so much for the freedoms we too often take for granted today.

#### **Government Leaders and Families**

God, thank You for the men and women who serve our country in leadership roles and for their families.

Please provide our leaders with reminders each day of why they decided to dedicate their lives to public service, and use that commitment to encourage them.

Give them peace when their work takes them away from their

We also pray specifically for the wives, husbands, and children of our leaders. We ask that You draw near to them and give them the wisdom on how to best support one another while their loved one is away working.

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