

**Prayer of the Faithful  
Thanksgiving Day  
November 25, 2021**

**Presider: In a spirit of gratitude on this National Day of Thanks, we now present our prayers and petitions.**

**Lector: Our special response today is “God of all grace, hear our prayer.”**

**In thanksgiving for our world, may our nation experience an ecological conversion so that we become better stewards of the gift of God’s creation, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for our country, may we grow in our compassion, care, and concern for all peoples so that through our responsible citizenship we may further liberty and justice for all, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for our Church, that we may journey as a pilgrim people along a path that envisions a future that embraces the gifts and vocations of all its members, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for farmers and all those who provide us with our food, may we cherish their labor and love for the land, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for our parish community and for all those who give of their time, talent and treasure to enable us to sustain our sacramental, spiritual, faith formation, outreach and social justice mission, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for those who fight for justice and furthering human dignity, may their efforts bear fruit, we pray...**

**In thanksgiving for all the ways in which our beloved dead touched our lives during their time here on earth, may they inherit the kingdom prepared for them from the foundation of the world, we pray...**

**Presider: Bountiful God, help us to always to find reasons and ways to be grateful in and through Christ our Lord. AMEN.**