



Northern Illinois District

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

Weekly Prayers for May 2021

Prayer for the week of May 3, 2021: Lord of the Nations, as we gather for the National Day of Prayer, we remember Your promise in 2 Chronicles 7:14 to forgive our sin and heal our land if we humble ourselves and pray. We thank you for the forgiveness offered through Your Son, Jesus, and we humbly ask for Your healing hand upon our country.

Prayer for the week of May 10, 2021: Heavenly Father, we pray for Your wisdom and strength in the efforts to vanquish the pandemic in our country and throughout the world. Thank You for the progress that has already been made.

Prayer for the week of May 17, 2021: Loving and Almighty God, we give You thanks that we are all Your children through Jesus' redeeming work. Remind us often that You love us all, no matter our ethnicity, culture, or social standing. We pray that You would help us treat others with respect, dignity, and love.

Prayer for the week of May 24, 2021: Father of All Good Gifts, we pray for those in this country who do not have their basic needs met. Place within our hearts the desire to be generous with the bounty of blessings You have provided us.

Prayer for the week of May 31, 2021: Gracious Lord, we thank You for those men and women who gave their lives to keep our country free from foreign powers. We thank You for the freedom we have as citizens of this country. Please continue to place Your hand of blessing and protection on our country. Help us to walk in Your ways.