



Diocese of Madison Response to the Earthquake in Haiti

Material from the Office of Worship
January 13, 2010

Prayers from the Sacramentary

Masses and Prayers for Various Needs and Occasions

- No. 34 (In time of earthquake)
- No. 38 A and B (For any need)
- No. 29 (For Refugees and Exiles)

Intercessions related to the earthquake in Haiti

For the people of Haiti, that they find strength and consolation in Jesus Christ who suffered on the Cross, we pray to the Lord.

For all who were killed in Haiti's earthquake, may they have eternal rest, we pray to the Lord.

That the world community may generously assist the victims of Haiti's earthquake [and all who are in dire need], we pray to the Lord.

That God will grant grace and strength to the victims of Haiti's earthquake, we pray to the Lord.

Prayer from the Office of Worship

Merciful and loving God,
you set the earth on its foundations
and covered it with the oceans.

Look with your great compassion on the people of Haiti:
welcome those who died into your heavenly kingdom,
comfort those who still suffer amidst the rubble,
strengthen those who seek to help,
reunite those who are separated,
and console those who mourn their dead.

Grant that the people of Haiti
may rise from the depths of this great tragedy
trusting in your Divine Mercy and Providence.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

This prayer may be published on websites, bulletins, and newsletters or in any other format by parishes in the Diocese of Madison.

Additional prayers are available on our blog: www.onebodyonespirit.blogspot.com.