

Let us pray together the prayer that Jesus taught us:

Our Father

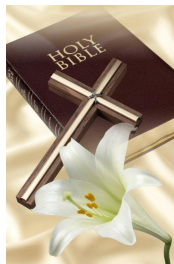
Concluding Blessing

May there always be work for your hands to do.
May your purse always hold a coin or two.
May the sun always shine warm on warm on your
windowpane,
May a rainbow be certain to follow each rain.
May the hand of a friend always be near you,
and may God fill your heart with gladness
to cheer you.

And may the blessing of God be upon us all.

All: Amen

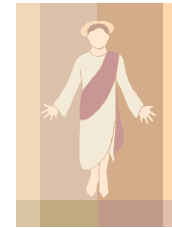
Irish Blessing



We Are An Easter People

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Opening Prayer/Liturgy



Opening Song

Your Amazing Grace

Jon Bauer

**It was Your amazing grace
That has brought me to this place
And forever I'll say thank you
You have always been my guide
Held me closely to your side
And forever I will praise you**

Oh Lord, when I think of what You've done
I stand amazed at what You've begun
The work You have done in me
Every hour and day
You saved me from myself
And brought me to this place

Gathering Prayer

Be with us Lord, as we continue our pilgrim journey as an Easter people. Guide our Footsteps with the light of Easter faith, that we may walk in your ways.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, Who has risen from the dead. Alleluia.

Amen

Written Reflection

Easter is the gift of Hope

Easter is the gift of Peace

Easter is the gift of Love

Let us rejoice in Him,

Who gives them all.

May God give you all the faith it takes

To make your dreams come true.

May God's love and wisdom always

Help, to guide you on your way.

May God's light shine down upon you

Now, to bless your Easter day.

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Easter Litany

Leader: Christ Jesus, you call us to bring your joy into the world.

All: Alleluia!

Leader: You invite us to be your holy body on earth.

All: Alleluia

Leader: You mission us to reach out to the fearful and the weak.

All: Alleluia

Leader: You empower us to reveal your presence to a weary world.

All: Alleluia

Leader: You motivate us to enter deeper into a life assured of resurrection.

All: Alleluia