

For the democratic principle
 by which we can all participate
 in the ordering of our community,
 State, and National life, we
 pause today in gratitude
 before thee O God, Grant
 that we might be concerned
 enough to be informed, wise
 enough to choose leaders with
 our Honor, with integrity
 and ability, American enough
 to rise above party loyalty, and
 responsible enough to vote
 for the sake of justice as we
 know it in thee.

Keep our Governor and his
 wife with steadfast courage
 and unwaning hope face
 the tasks which your will
 and the citizens of this
 State demand to be done
 Amen

