

Opening prayer: Lord, we come to you with a sense of continual personal need. Sometimes there is an unfeeling desire in our unshaken faith that you have what we need in your promises. We still understand that though you withhold for a while, you love to be asked and asked again. Grant us a firm belief that if we ask believing, we shall receive.
Amen.

Pastoral prayer: Almighty God, you spoke through your Son, Jesus Christ the words "people ought always to pray." Just as the widow tried day and night to the unjust judge, may we who live under injustice and oppression offer our prayers to you. Not a mere selfish feeling prevailed with the bad judge, we are made certain that you will give good gifts to those who ask. If the impertinence and perseverance of the widow at last prevailed, how much more will virtues prevail with you? If we are on the right terms with you, then we know you will answer and answer us. We expect from a ~~to~~ heartless judge. As we ask, we believe which we plead. Continue to send your wisdom and love. As we wait with patient hearts. Our solemn charge, in spite of accused of position and trials, to keep the faith. Amen.

Knowing that you have been forgiven,
let the message of Christ dwell among
you in all its richness. Whatever
you are doing, whether you speak
or act, do everything in the name
of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to
God the Father through him. Amen.

