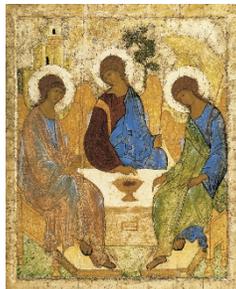


Prayer Circle

February 2018 - Month of the Most Holy Trinity



NOTE: at Beloved Disciple Eucharistic Catholic Church, Toronto

- The petitions included in the Monthly Prayer Circle are placed on the Altar and included in the daily prayers at Divine Office, Rosary and Mass throughout the month.
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Sundays at 10:00 am with Matins-Lauds and 11:00 am Mass followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament (No Exposition and Benediction during Advent and Lent).

Please join us in praying for the following intentions:

From Archbishop Roger, O.F.A.:

- That our Lenten pilgrimage may deepen our discipleship of Christ.
- That during this month of devotion to the Most Holy Trinity our belief in God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit be strengthened.
- For the homeless and the precariously housed.
- For the unemployed and the underemployed.
- For the safety and care of all refugees.
- For those suffering and dying of famine in South Sudan, those threatened by famine in Yemen, northern Nigeria and Somalia, and for those facing severe food insecurity in southern Africa.
- For humanitarian aid workers, for due recognition, fortitude and perseverance.
- For my mother's continued return to health post-chemotherapy.
- For Mother Silvia's continued recovery from her arduous and trauma-inducing months in Cuba.
- In **thanksgiving** for those who have generously responded to our appeal for Cameroon, and for continued generous benefactors to help with providing housing and care of our orphans under the attention of Msgr. Joseph.
- For generous benefactors to help us make Msgr Joseph's episcopal consecration happen.
- For our Franciscan novices and our seminarians, for dedication in their studies and devotion in their spiritual lives.
- For vocations to our Church and Franciscans of the Annunciation.
- For generous benefactors to our Church.
- For John G., for healing, fortitude and patience.
- For Mark, special intentions.
- For a special intention for a friend.
- For atonement of sins committed against Indigenous peoples, and for reconciliation.
- For an end to violence against women.
- For meaningful, collaborative relationships leading to increased unity among autocephalous Catholic Churches' bishops, clergy, religious and members.
- In **thanksgiving** for those who have attended Mass at Beloved Disciple in the past month.
- For all former members of our Church.
- For all who are suffering or in pain.
- For all persecuted Christians.
- For peace in all places of global conflict <http://reliefweb.int/updates>
- For the removal of land mines in areas of conflict.

From Mother Jean, FCJM.:

- Prayers for a successful surgery in my eye for Glaucoma.
- For all those traveling, that they may reach their destination safely.

From Mother Silvia, O.F.A.:

- In thanksgiving for my son's generosity in providing housing costs the next two months
- In thanksgiving for a special relationship in my life

- In thanksgiving for a scholarship to study writing
- In thanksgiving for my editor, Joe, who is helping to publish an article in the Globe and Mail
- In thanksgiving for Zulema, Yilsin, Karol and the entire family
- In thanksgiving for Mabel and Paul and their generosity
- In thanksgiving for Skip and his ongoing prayers and emotional support
- In thanksgiving for all those who have supported me during a very difficult time in my life
- For Jorge who is experiencing multiple health issues in Cuba
- For John Graham's continued recovery from open heart surgery and his recurring prostate cancer; strength and faith for his family, Sylvia Cheuy, wife, and children Gabriella, Sean and Garrett.
- For those experiencing mental health issues especially PTSD, complex trauma, complex grief such as I am
- For my physical and mental health; still, have special doctor's appointments through April
- For Andre and his business plans
- For Dean and his business plans
- For greater unity and community in our church
- For several job interviews, I have in Toronto and out of the country that God's will be done
- For wisdom in developing my website for business
- For finding an individual that will help with our church website
- For the repose of the souls of those who have died of influenza in a men's shelter here in Toronto
- For the repose of the souls of those murdered by serial killer Bruce McArthur and for the families where he hid the dismembered bodies
- For the abolition of human trafficking and child labour laws
- For all peacemaker teams in places of conflict, wars, oppression and violation of human rights
- For all orphans in Africa
- For our church family in Cameroon that they will be able to resolve their housing issue with the government
- For Gene (18) awaiting trial for murder that God will have mercy on him and give wisdom to his lawyer; that he will read the Bible on Redemption I sent him
- For Father Humberto's house church ministry in Cuba

From Father Tomás, O.F.A.:

- For my family in Spain.

From Friar Pete, O.F.A.:

- Special intentions for: Dan, Roger, Karen, David, Doreen, Pam, Dave, Tracey, Sr. Clare, Sr. Marylin, Fr. Thomas, Fr. Bob, Sr. Tanya, Br. Angelo.
- Special intentions for fellow brother and sister Franciscans and religious, my Eucharistic Catholic Church family, fellow seminarians.
- Special intentions for the LGBTQI community of Regina, Canada, and the world---for brothers and sisters of the LGBTQI community who are still fighting for the rights and privileges we experience here in Canada.
- Special intentions for my godmothers, Marylin and Sylvia.
- Special intentions for our church in Cameroon that they may pass through this trial and all subsequent trials, that they may know we are carrying our crosses in solidarity with Msgr. Joseph and all our ECC family there.
- That the Blessed Mother might guide, direct, and edited my work.

From Friar Adrian Seán, O.F.A.:

- For all animals, who are lonely, frightened or in pain.
- For our seminarians, especially for myself and Peter.
- For the most forgotten souls in purgatory.
- For those people, most abandoned and who have no one to care for them or pray for them.
- For peace in the souls of all who have been wounded and injured by the institutional church, when it has taken its eyes off Jesus, specifically including but not limited to, women in general and those with vocations to ordained ministry, gay people, members of various racial groups and those living with disabilities.
- For Loretta to find a job.
- For the repose of the soul of Steven M., an estranged friend whose death three years ago, I only learned about recently.

From Denise.:

- That my Mother's cancer treatments were successful.
- For one of my students who was diagnosed with thyroid cancer, and will undergo surgery at the end of February.