



PRAYER HELPERS OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD MONTHLY PRAYER FOR PRIESTS IN THE DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD, MA

Dearest Jesus, for our salvation, You were born in a stable, endured a life of pain and sorrow, and died on a cross. Lovingly unite Your priests, especially [Name], to Your Heavenly Father so that they will remain close to those who belong to Him. When they are overcome in their struggles, intercede for clergymen by begging Almighty God, “Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do.” Never abandon or forsake them. May priests always thirst for You, Fountain of Living Water. When their days on earth come to an end, say to each and every one of Your ordained ministers, “This day you shall be with Me in paradise.” Into Your hands, O Merciful Savior, we commend their spirits, now and forever. Amen.

—Adapted from a prayer by St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

January 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for those priests who lack the courage to profess the true teachings of Christ. Amen.</i>					1 Pope Francis	2 Rev. Mark Stelzer
3 Most Rev. William D. Byrne	4 Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI	5 Rev. Douglas McGonagle	6 Rev. J. Lessard-Thibodeau, JCL (healing)	7 Rev. Julian LaFlamme	8 Rev. Yerick Mendez	9 Rev. Ron McBride, MIC
10 Rev. Merle Lavoie	11 Rev. John Roach	12 Rev. Shaun O'Connor	13 Rev. John Salatino	14 Rev. John Bonzagni	15 Rev. Michael Lillpop	16 Rev. Stefan Niemczyk
17 Rev. Gerald Ornowski, MIC	18 Rev. Msgr. David George	19 Rev. John Lis	20 Rev. James Longe	21 Rev. Donald Noiseux	22 Rev. William Rousseau	23 Rev. Michael Bernier (healing)
24 Rev. David Raymond	25 Rev. Piotr Calik	26 Rev. Peter Ha Dinh-Dang	27 Rev. Msgr. Christopher Connelly, JCL	28 Rev. John Larson, MIC	29 Rev. Richard Drabik, MIC	30 Rev. Thomas Shea
31 Rev. John Smegal	<i>Lord, grant priests the grace to ardently desire all that is pleasing to You, and strengthen them to accomplish it perfectly. Amen.</i>					

“What tongue, human or angelic, may ever describe a power so immeasurable as that exercised by the simplest priest in Mass?”

—St. Leonard of Port Maurice



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