

## LITANY OF THANKSGIVING FOR EASTER SUNDAY



Let us give thanks for all of God's mercies on this Day of Resurrection.

O God, our Covenant Friend, you have been gracious to us through all the years of our lives. We thank you for your loving care, which has filled our days and brought us to this time of rejoicing and so we praise your holy name, O God.

**You have given us life and reason and set us in a world filled with your glory. You have comforted us with family and friends and ministered to us through the hands of our sisters and brothers and so we praise your holy name, O God.**

You have filled our hearts with a hunger after you and have given us your peace. You have redeemed us and called us to a high calling in Christ Jesus. You have given us a place in the fellowship of your Spirit and the witness of your Church and so we praise your holy name, O God.

**You have been our light in darkness and a rock of strength in adversity and temptation. You have been the very Spirit of joy in our joys and the all-sufficient reward in all our labors and so we praise your holy name, O God.**

Throughout our Lenten journey, when we walked in the ways of Jesus' cross, you remembered us when we forgot you. You cultivated and nurtured us on our spiritual journeys.

You met us with forgiveness when we returned to you. For all your patience and overflowing grace, for the gift of your only Son who died and rose that we might truly live, we praise your holy name, O God, and pray as our Risen Savior has taught us.....

### **The Lord's Prayer**

