



DAYS OF PRAYER

July 28 - August 3, 2019

SERIES 5: MAY 12 - AUGUST 19, 2019

Begin with the prayer below, then go to the prayer for the day.

God of wisdom and mercy, grant us patience to listen; compassion to be open to other views and opinions; generosity to forgive and grace to change. As you taught us to love our dear neighbor, we pray that you give us strength to be healing instruments of unity and reconciliation.

DAY: 78 SUNDAY JULY 28	God, You provide me with all that I need because I know you love me. Help me follow Your example. Guide the use of resources - planned through federal budgets or in my own household - to provide results for those most in need.
DAY: 79 MONDAY JULY 29	God of creation, thank you for the gift of our common home. Let us care for it and one another with many, small yet thoughtful steps like planting a tree. Inspire millions of us to plant trees to reforest our planet and clean our air.
DAY: 80 TUESDAY JULY 30	Today I pray to “go back where I came from” because I come from You. With the faith and trust of a child, help me to recognize our similarities, celebrate our differences, bring people together and encourage others to do the same.
DAY: 81 WEDNESDAY JULY 31	God of grace, let me see what You see. May my focus be outward to see the real poor and in need. Destroy the myth of people perceived as undeserving because of a lack of morals or work ethic. Guide me to respond with love.
DAY: 82 THURSDAY AUG 1	Heal my heart, O God, from the divisions created at the US - Mexico border. Unite families and mend the wounds created by their separation. May I take action to sew our rips and tears with compassion for my sisters and brothers.
DAY: 83 FRIDAY AUG 2	The Democratic Republic of Congo needs Your hand to contain an Ebola epidemic. I pray that the disease may be eradicated, and that the health workers attempting to help are safe from infection and conflict.
DAY: 84 SATURDAY AUG 3	Today I pray for safety from all who act out violently. Help me to recognize warning signs and act to prevent the preventable. Grant Your protection to the most vulnerable among us.
OPTION TO TAKE ACTION	<i>Take action to prevent the U.S. from starting a nuclear war.</i> <i>Click here or copy this link to take action: http://bit.ly/100dop19A25</i>