Prayers to Our Lord

O Lord, teach us to pray to You earnestly and sincerely, and grant that our prayers may ascend unto You like the smoke of incense. Amen.



O Lord, You know the springs of our life; all the thought of our heart is laid open before You; from You no secret is hidden. Enlighten our minds, we beseech You, that we may see and acknowledge our secret sins and open transgressions, and be made pure in heart by Your might and power, O Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Search me, O God, and know my heart. Try me and know my thoughts, and see if there is any wicked way in me. And lead me in the way everylasting. Amen. (Psalm 139:23-24).

Teach us, O Lord, to worship You. Make our hearts pure, our thoughts clean, and our spirits humble. Help us to be attentive and to listen well to the teaching of Your Word, that it may be written upon our hearts, and that we may learn to love only what is right in Your sight, now and forever. Amen.

Lord, we ask for Your mercy, we seek Your blessing, and we knock at the door of Your heavenly kingdom. Please give us Your help, lead us to find Your peace, and open the glory of Your presence before us. Amen. (see Matthew 7:7-8)