

Prayers of the People this morning is Form IV on page 388 of the Book of Common Prayer

Prayers of the People (*All remain standing.*)

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Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give to all who are visitors and guests in this place your joy and peace; that they may find a home in our midst.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; Especially those affected by natural disasters and civil unrest, give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We pray for the men and women of our armed forces, especially those who are deployed in war zones, and their families, and for all troops and civilians in harm's way in regions of conflict around the world.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For our companion Diocese, the Episcopal Church in Navajoland: Bishop David E. Bailey.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.