

MASS OF ST. CATHERINE  
**LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER**

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**Introduction** ♩ = 75-80

1 G Am Bm Cadd9 Dsus4 D7 C/G G

**Refrain**

5 G Am Bm Cadd9 Dsus4 D7 C/G G

Lord, hear our prayer. Lord, hear our prayer.  
 Éist linn a Thiar - na. Éist linn a - Thiar - na.

Thiar - na.

9 G Am/G Bm/G C/G D/G C/G G

*Repeat as needed for the recitation of the intercessions.*

*(to refrain)*

*(to refrain)*

# Intercessions

*Intercessions such as these should be recited over the instrumental verse.*

That members of the Church may be ambassadors for the healing of anger, jealousy and resentment.

That warring nations and peoples may be reconciled.

That the people of the world might put others before themselves so that peace might reach to the ends of the earth.

That all those seeking repentance and forgiveness may be embraced by the disciples of Jesus.

That we disciples gathered here may celebrate with great joy and continually praise God in our lives.

For all who lead and minister to the people of God, may they proclaim together the message of Christ's reconciling love.

For those who govern and lead our nation, may God inspire them to find ways of developing a just human society.

For the poor, the broken, those who hunger, who are homeless, who are unemployed, for those whose faith is weakened, may they may find new hope in you.

For the sick, the dying and those who suffer from any kind of illness, loving God console and strengthen them with loving care.

For peace and justice in those parts of the world where hatred, resentment and bitterness reign, may forgiveness and hope triumph.

For ourselves, the community gathered here, may we know the joy and freedom of God's love for each of us.

That families will strive to make their homes places where children can hear God call them by name.

That young men and women will listen to the Spirit in their hearts and respond to the cry from deep within.

For those who struggle in their vowed commitment that the mystery of God's deep love will strengthen them.

That our parish communities will nurture religious vocations through their lives of prayer and service, giving witness to God's loving action in the world.

That God may welcome into the kingdom of heaven those of our family and friends who have departed this life.

That God may give a place in the kingdom of heaven to all the faithful departed.