

Daily Prayer

March 26

Prayer:

Almighty and loving God, we arrive in Your presence with grateful and thankful hearts. But to be honest, we are not sure of the days ahead. We have tried to live within the parameters of Your guidance. Now we are in total shutdown and things appear unclear.

But, The scripture Lesson today helps us and guides us to be children of "light." That is where I will direct my heart. Beginning today, I will strive to be a light of strength. I will strive to be patient. I will look for grace in all that touches me.

In these times O Lord, we seek your blessing to guide us fruitfully into tomorrow. We ask these things in Your precious name, Amen.

Reading:

EPHESIANS 5:8-17 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)

8 For once you were darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as children of light— 9 for the fruit of the light is found in all that is good and right and true. 10 Try to find out what is pleasing to the Lord. 11 Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. 12 For it is shameful even to mention what such people do secretly; 13 but everything exposed by the light becomes visible, 14 for everything that becomes visible is light. Therefore it says, "Sleeper, awake! Rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you." 15 Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, 16 making the most of the time, because the days are evil. 17 So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.



