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Intercessory Prayers – *Month of Love & Lent*

For our Church, that it may be united in love under the perfect dominion of the Lord our God, we pray to the Lord ...

That we may strive to imitate the love and unity of the Holy Family in our homes and families, we pray to the Lord ...

For families everywhere, especially those that are broken or struggling, that they may be restored by the Holy Spirit, the renewer and orchestrator of love, we pray to the Lord ...

As Mary and Joseph presented Jesus to the Father in the temple, may we too be upheld by our Blessed Mother and St. Joseph in the sight of God, we pray to the Lord ...

For all who have lost a loved one or who experience loneliness, that they may be consoled in the eternity of God's love for us, we pray to the Lord ...

For spouses, that their love for each other points them and their children always toward our true home in heaven, we pray to the Lord ...

For those soon to be married, that they may put themselves at the service of God and their future spouse to live out the vows they will profess, we pray to the Lord ...

For all those in discerning the priesthood, diaconate or religious life, that they may experience joy and peace in offering their lives in service to the Church, we pray to the Lord ...

For grandparents, that they may pass down the teachings and traditions of the Catholic faith as they seek to protect the souls of their grandchildren, we pray to the Lord ...

For peace in our world and for our leaders, that they may be humbled by the example of Christ's sacrifice, we pray to the Lord ...

In imitation of all the martyrs whose feasts we celebrate this month, especially Sts. Blaise, Agatha and Valentine, that we too may be witnesses of God's unending love for his children, we pray to the Lord ...

As we begin this season of Lent, may we be committed to prayer, fasting and giving so that we increase our devotion and focus on Christ's gift of salvation, we pray to the Lord ...