

HOW TO CONNECT FAMILY & FAITH AT HOME

"Pope Francis

reminds

everyone: "We

are not alone,

the Lord goes

before us on

our journey,

and removes

the stones that

paralyze us."

This is the

hope that no

one can take

from us.



Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,

Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas. We fly to you today as your beloved children. We ask you to intercede for us with your Son, as you did at the wedding in Cana.

Pray for us, loving Mother, and gain for our nation and world, and for all our families and loved ones, the protection of your holy angels, that we may be spared the worst of this illness.

For those already afflicted, we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance. Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful, wipe away their tears and help them to trust.

In this time of trial and testing, teach all of us in the Church to love one another and to be patient and kind.

Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.

We come to you with confidence, knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother, health of the sick and cause of our joy.

Shelter us under the mantle of your protection, keep us in the embrace of your arms, help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus. Amen.



PRAYER INTENTIONS

For all families, homes, our schools and young people, We pray that God's light brings us courage and hope. We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who have contracted coronavirus, We pray for care and healing.

We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.

For those who are particularly vulnerable, We pray for safety and protection.

We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who experience fear or anxiety,
We pray for peace of mind and spirit.
We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters around the world, We pray for shared solidarity.

We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.

Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all. Be with us, Lord. We pray to the Lord. R. Lord, hear our prayer.



RESOURCES & ACTIVITIES



The Gathering Box, Prayer Plate, gives your family the opportunity in becoming aware of the blessings and challenges others might face, our children develop the gift of empathy. Kindness in our kids doesn't just happen; it is the result of intentional moments with parents and other adults who talk about it, teach it, and model it.

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