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7 Days of Prayer

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Grant me to recognize
in others, Lord God,
the radiance
of your own face.

Written by Pierre Teilhard de Chardin



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Deliver me from just going through the motions and wasting everything I have which is today, a chance, a choice, my creativity, your call. O persistent God, let how much it all matters pry me off dead center so if I am moved inside to tears or sighs or screams or smiles or dreams, they will be real, and I will be in touch with who I am and who you are and who my sisters and brothers are.

From Ted Loder, Guerrillas of Grace



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Father, fill our hearts with deep
compassion for those who suffer,
hasten the coming of Thy
kingdom of justice and truth.
Amen.

Written by Eugène Bersier



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Holy God, to whom we turn in our trouble, and from whom we receive life and well-being even in the face of death, we gladly and without reservation assert:

You are the one who gives life. ... As an act of praise, we submit more and more of our own life to you.

As an act of praise we notice your poor, and pledge our energy on their behalf. As an act of praise we say "yes" to you and to your rule over us. We say, "yes, yes."

Amen and Amen.

Written by Walter Brueggemann, Awed to Heaven, Rooted in Earth



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Lord, in our efforts to serve, help us be true to who we are in you.

Make us see and understand the gifts and talents you have given us, and give us courage to use them for the building up of your kingdom. Amen.

From Common Prayer: A Liturgy for Ordinary Radicals



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Give us, good Lord,
the grace to work for
the things we pray for.
Amen.

Written by St. Thomas More



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You are the God who calls people like us, and the long list of mothers and fathers before us, who trusted the promise enough to keep the call. So we give you thanks that you are a calling God, who calls always to dangerous new places. We pray enough of your grace and mercy among us that we may be among those who believe your promises enough to respond to your call.

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