

**PRAYER OF THE ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES**

Almighty God and Father,  
Look with love upon our men and women in uniform  
And protect them in their time of need.  
Give them health and stability  
And allow them to return to their loved ones whole and unshaken.  
Be with their families and sustain them in these uncertain times.

Grant strength and peace of mind to the Veterans  
Who have given their best for the country they love.  
Support them in infirmity and in the fragility of old age.  
Teach us to remember their sacrifices and to express our gratitude.

Manifest your tender care to those in the Military Academies  
Who prepare for future service and  
To those who serve our Nation far from home.  
Teach us to remember the sacrifices of those  
Whose efforts contribute to ensuring our way of life.

Bless and multiply the priests who minister to the faithful  
Of the Archdiocese for the Military Services.  
Reward their generosity and keep them faithful.

Here us as we present our prayers to You through Christ our Lord.