

PRAYER FOR THE VICTIMS OF THE VENEZUELA EARTHQUAKE

O Christ our Lord, our refuge and strength, a very present help in times of trouble, we come before You with sorrowful hearts as we mourn the lives lost and the devastation caused by the recent earthquake in Venezuela. Amid fear, uncertainty, and suffering, we place our hope in Your unfailing love and compassion.

We commend to Your eternal mercy all those who have perished in this disaster. Receive them into Your heavenly kingdom, where there is no pain, no sorrow, and no sighing, but everlasting life. Comfort those who grieve the loss of loved ones, strengthen those who have been injured, shelter those who have lost their homes, and uphold all who now face an uncertain future. May Your Holy Spirit surround them with peace, courage, and hope.

We pray also for the first responders, medical personnel, relief workers, clergy, and volunteers who are serving with compassion and selfless dedication. Grant them strength, wisdom, protection, and perseverance as they care for those in need. Bless all efforts to bring relief, healing, and restoration to the affected communities.

Lord, inspire the nations of the world to respond with generosity and compassion. Move our hearts to remember our brothers and sisters in Venezuela through our prayers, our concern, and our acts of mercy, bearing one another's burdens as members of Your one human family.

For You are the God of all comfort and the giver of every good and perfect gift. In You alone we place our trust, knowing that even in the darkest moments Your light continues to shine. To You belong all glory, honor, and worship, together with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and always and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

