

August 15
ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Priest Celebrant

With Mary, trust in God,
who is merciful from age to age:

Deacon/Cantor/Reader

That the Church on earth rejoice with Mary in worship and service,
let us pray to the Lord:

That catechumens and everyone searching for faith
take inspiration from Mary's Assumption into God's Kingdom,
let us pray to the Lord:

That all who bear Christ's name honor His Mother
and come to unity in Him,
let us pray to the Lord:

That Mary's native land, the mid-East, Central Asia,
and every suffering country accept the peace of her Assumption,
let us pray to the Lord:

That the peace of Mary's Assumption
free the world of nuclear threats,
let us pray to the Lord:

That the homeless, the rejected, victims of violence and terror
find strength with Mary at the foot of the Cross,
let us pray to the Lord:

That the war-injured and our sick take refuge in Mary, our Mother,
[especially _____],
let us pray to the Lord:

That our brothers and sisters lost in war and
all our beloved dead enter eternal life with Mary
[today in particular _____],
let us pray to the Lord:

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Raise up your servants, Lord,
and give every good thing to the hungry.
In Mary, be blessed, now and for ever.