

September 14
THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Priest Celebrant

Under the Sign of the Cross, we pray:

Deacon/Cantor/Reader

For our Holy Father and his brother bishops,
our priests and deacons,
let us pray to the Lord:

For our president and governor, our senators and representatives;
for everyone who serves the public safety and well-being,
let us pray to the Lord:

For our parents, brothers, sisters, and relatives,
our neighbors and friends,
let us pray to the Lord:

For our principal, teachers and
all our parish school family,
let us pray to the Lord:

For students throughout the world
and their progress in God's blessings of the arts and sciences,
let us pray to the Lord:

For the homeless, the hungry, the sick
[today in particular,]
let us pray to the Lord:

For peace in all the world; for our troops in Iraq and their families;
let us pray to the Lord:

For the victims of war and all our beloved dead
[especially]
let us pray to the Lord:

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God our Father,
accept our thanks for Jesus, your Son,
who has saved us by his holy Cross.
Send your Spirit upon us,
to know, love, and serve you each day
and to walk in Jesus' paths
now and for ever.