

Condensed Prayer

We pray for the welfare of this congregation, its men, women, and children. May the Holy One protect and bless them. May God bless all the leaders of this congregation and all those who work for its benefit.

We pray for the scholars and teachers of Torah. May the Holy One keep them from harm and enable them to raise up many disciples and to bring all our people near to God's service.

We pray for the good of our community. May the Holy One bless it with tranquility and prosperity, and may God impart wisdom to its leaders and magistrates.

We pray for our country, the United States of America. May the Holy One guard and keep our country, a land of liberty and justice for all. May it be a stronghold of freedom and seeker of peace among the nations. May the Lord bless and keep the President of the United States and all others who govern this land. May the Holy One give them wisdom and energy so that they may realize the hopes of the people of our country and of people all over the world who look to the United States as a leader and model.

We pray for the State of Israel, the dawn of our redemption. May the Holy One gather our dispersed people from the four corners of the earth to its soil. May God strengthen the hands and enlighten the eyes of all who build, defend, and govern our Holy Land.

We pray that all people may enjoy the benefits of peace, freedom, and justice, and share in the blessings of the earth. May the Holy One banish war, oppression, tyranny, and hunger, and may God's kingdom speedily be established on earth. Amen.