



## We Pray for our Priests

We thank you God for the ministry of our priests who have come from among us to be, for us, one who serves.

Thank you Lord for the many gifts that they bring to our parish communities:

for drawing us together in worship,

for visiting us in our homes,

for comforting us in sickness,

for showing us your compassion,

for blessing our marriages,

for baptising our children,

for confirming us in our calling,

for supporting us in bereavement,

for helping us to grow in faith,

for encouraging us to take initiative,

for helping the whole community to realize God's presence among us.

Servant Lord, we ask you to bless our priests and confirm them in their calling.

Give them the gifts they need to respond with generosity and a joyful heart.

St. John Vianney Pray for Us