

SEASONAL TABLE CARDS

The parish uses table cards on a regular basis to both encourage prayer in one's home and to help parish members share some common practices of prayer, no matter our schedules.

To use:

- Print out page two of this document.
- Fold the page in half so that the prayer is on one side and the reflection on the other.
- Place the card on the table where you eat or another conspicuous spot and use it as your prayer before meals or as a night prayer.

News of your Son Jesus with others. Amen.
God of all, as we learn about the passion and zeal of St. Paul, help us to open our minds and hearts to you, to listen to your will for our lives, and to share the Good News of the love and redemption of Jesus Christ with all the world.
Intercede on our behalf with God so that we receive the words we need to share the love and redemption of Jesus Christ with all the world.



- *St. Paul, pray that we see ourselves as missionaries to the world as you were. that we might always put God before every other priority in our lives.*
- *God's love except our own desires and decisions. Pray that we might always put God before every other priority in our lives.*
- *St. Paul, you knew that nothing can separate us from God's love except our own desires and decisions. Pray that we might always put God before every other priority in our lives.*
- *St. Paul, you spread the Good News of Jesus across the Mediterranean world. Pray that we might have your courage so that we too go and evangelize others.*
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Response: St. Paul, pray for us.
God, our Father, we thank you for the gift of St. Paul, the apostle to the Gentiles. Help us to have the same zeal for spreading the Good News of your Son Jesus which St. Paul had. We ask this in the name of Jesus. Amen.

JANUARY TABLE CARD

FOCUS: YEAR OF ST. PAUL

St. Paul's Letter to the Philippians, 4:6-9

Brothers and sisters: Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you.