

# MISSION STATEMENT PRAYER

**G**RACIOUS AND LOVING GOD,  
WE OFFER YOU THANKS AND PRAISE FOR THE GIFT OF  
THIS CATHEDRAL AND OUR FAITH COMMUNITY. AS  
DISCIPLES OF CHRIST, WE OFFER OUR GRATITUDE FOR THE  
BLESSING OF WORD AND SACRAMENT THAT WE SHARE.

SHAPE US IN YOUR SPIRIT, SO THAT WE MAY BE STEWARDS OF OUR  
GOOD GIFTS, AND SEEKERS OF GRACE-FULL LIFE IN CHRIST. HELP  
US EMBRACE OUR ROLE AS LOVING AND HOSPITABLE GUARDIANS  
OF THE MOTHER CHURCH OF THE ARCHDIOCESE. LET OUR ARMS  
OPEN WIDE IN SERVICE TO ALL GOD'S PEOPLE.

AS WE HONOR OUR ROMAN CATHOLIC TRADITION, LET US  
CONTINUE TO DISCOVER NEW OPPORTUNITIES TO EMBRACE THE  
COMMUNITY OF LOUISVILLE.

MAY WE FAITHFULLY SUPPORT ALL THOSE WHO WORSHIP HERE,  
WITH UNCONDITIONAL LOVE.

WE ASK THIS, MINDFUL OF THE GLORIOUS ASSUMPTION OF THE  
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THROUGH CHRIST OUR LORD,

AMEN.

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