

Canada Prays
Diocese of Yukon – 1st Week
Prayers of Thanksgiving

Sunday, Oct. 9 – Creator of the World, we give you thanks for this land that makes up the Diocese of Yukon. You have given us the responsibility to care for what you have made. May we with thankful hearts care for the land and all that is in it, giving you the glory and honour. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Monday, Oct. 10 – Blessed Jesus, we give you thanks for the part of your body we call Diocese of Yukon of which we are part. May our words and actions so honour you that we might know we have pleased you and give thanks for being your servants. Amen

Tuesday, Oct. 11 – Father God, we give you grateful thanks for the women and men, ordained and lay, paid and volunteers who have given of themselves one to Your service in the Diocese of Yukon. May their personal sacrifices so please you that we may see the fruits of their labours in the lives of our people. Protect, guide and uphold them in their service to you. We thank you for their service in Jesus' name. Amen

Wednesday, Oct. 12 – Eternal and merciful God, we give you thanks for the Spouses and families of those who have do ministry in the Diocese of Yukon. It is only because of the support of these your servants, that our ministers, lay ministers, vestry members, Sunday School teachers, youth leaders, bible study leaders and the many other leaders can serve you as they do. Bless them in their ministry of support and may they know your accepting presence in their lives. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Thursday Oct. 13 – Holy Spirit, we give you thanks for the gift of Eternal Life you give us when we put our faith in the resurrected Jesus Christ. We give you thanks for that same eternal life that you give to all that follow Jesus. We give you thanks that as servants of the Father, we can be channels of His grace with your Holy Spirit reaching out through us to touch the lives of those we minister to. Blessed Spirit, we give you thanks in Jesus' name, the son of the Father in heaven. Amen

Friday, Oct. 14 – Father God, Provider and Sustainer, we thank you for providing for us from your bounty and creation. We thank you for the moose and the caribou that run over the land, the fish that swim the waters, and the plants that grow in the earth. These provide for your people both food and clothing. Teach us to treat this part of your creation with respect, taking only what we need and using all that we take. Help us to show our thanks by caring for this precious gift, seeking to serve, protect and care for your creation, and enable us to pass these values on to our children. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Saturday, Oct. 15 – Almighty God, as we come to the end of this week we thank you for the generosity of your undeserved presence. In your love you call us to faith, enabling us to come through the Death of your Son on the Cross. In your power you strengthen us through your Spirit and in your mercy you help us to show our thankfulness through serving you in the Diocese of Yukon. Thank you Father for all you have done, are doing and will do for us your servants. May we be deserving of all your gifts. In Jesus blessed name.