

LITANY FOR THE CHILDREN

LEADER: Lord we thank you for gracing us with your love, teach us to pray *ALL: In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit*

For the young innocent children crossing the U.S./Mexico border *Good Lord, watch over them*

For the lonely child wandering in search of love *Good Lord, watch over them*

For safety from harm Good Lord, watch over them

For compassion as they seek shelter among other children Good Lord, watch over them

For daily prayer, comfort and understanding as they trust in the Lord Good Lord, watch over them

That they may love, obey, and serve the Lord daily Please bless and guide them, Lord

Keep the wandering children free from sickness or trouble *Good Lord, watch over them*

Lighten their darkness we beseech you O Lord. Defend them from all perils, danger and harm. Grant this for the sake of your love.

Amen.

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