PRAYER.

To be used in all the Churches of the Diocese during the effort to augment the funds of the Diocese:—

O Almighty God, who hast put it into the minds of Thy servants to augment the funds of Thy Church for her work in this Diocese, we humbly beseech Thee to guide and bless us in our efforts and to grant such an increase as may be for Thy Glory; the advancement of Thy Church, and the fulfilment of her duty, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NOTE RESPECTING THE VARYING OF THE USUAL ORDER OF SERVICE.

The Bishop observes that various uses are being employed by the Clergy, without authority, by reading Lessons from the Revised Version without the permission of the Ordinary, and otherwise varying the Order of Service. The Bishop therefore desires that the Clergy will abstain from any deviations from the usual Order of Service, beyond those above permitted until the written consent of the Ordinary has been asked for and obtained.