O MOST merciful Father, who of Thy gracious goodness hast heard the devout prayers of Thy Church, and has granted us to gather in the kindly fruits of the earth in their season; we give Thee humble thanks for this Thy bounty, beseeching Thee to continue Thy loving-kindness towards us, that our land may yield her increase, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

¶ This Prayer may be used, instead of the two former, when the harvest has been defective.

A LMIGHTY GOD and heavenly Father, who art able either to send us an abundance or scarceness, and who hast in wisdom seen fit to withhold from us at this time Thine accustomed bounty; we most humbly praise Thee for still bestowing upon us far more than we deserve. Make us truly thankful for our many blessings. Increase in us more and more a lively faith and love, and an humble submission to Thy blessed will. Be pleased to continue Thy favour, with the light of Thy Gospel, to us and our posterity for evermore. Grant this, we beseech Thee, for Thy dear Son's sake Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE COMMUNION SERVICE.

I Instead of the Collect for the day, one of the special Collects may be used.

The Epistle. Rev. xiv. v. 14 to v. 19. The Gospel. St. Mat. xiii. v. 36 to v. 44.

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