

O GOD, from Whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all works of piety and charity do proceed, we beseech Thee to prosper with Thy blessing the designs of this Society. Comfort with Thy grace those benefactors who contribute to its support. Bless all those orphan children who are under its fostering care, and enable them, as good soldiers of Thy cross, to fight manfully under Thy banner, against the world, the flesh, and the devil: and may Thy Holy Spirit bless our consultations, for the glory of Thy great Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

“That it may please Thee to provide for the fatherless children.”

ANSWER—“*We beseech Thee to hear us, good Lord.*”

OUR Father, which art in Heaven, Hallowed by Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. AMEN.

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And when business is ended :

**O** FATHER of the fatherless and GOD of all mercies, we Thine unworthy servants do give Thee most hearty thanks for all Thy goodness and loving kindness to us and to all men. More particularly for the providential support by which this Society hath been enabled to shelter the Orphan; but, above all, for Thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by Thy blessed Son, for the means of grace and for the hope of glory, which Thou hast given us in the same Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ: to whom with Thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. AMEN.

**T**HE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the Love of GOD, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. AMEN.