



THE OFFICE OF
MISSION INTEGRATION

*"Mary's apostolic mission is to form all persons into the most perfect conformity with the God-Man Christ, her Son."
Blessed William Joseph Chaminade*

Marianist Prayers



PRAYERS FOR TEACHERS

A Teacher's Prayer

God grant me wisdom, creativity and love.

With wisdom, I can look to the future
and see the effect that my teaching will
have on these students and thus adapt
my methods to fit the needs of each one.

With creativity, I can prepare new and interesting
projects that can challenge my students and expand
their minds to set higher goals and dream loftier dreams.

With love, I can praise my students for jobs well done
and encourage them to get up and go on when they fall. Amen.

A Teacher's Prayer for fruitful learning

Lord, let me be just what my students need.
If they need someone to trust, let me be trustworthy.
If they need sympathy, let me sympathetic.
If they need love, let me love in full measure.
Let me not anger easily, Lord but let me be just.
Permit my justice to be tempered in your mercy.

When I stand before them, Lord, let me look strong and good
and honest and loving.

Help me to counsel the anxious, crack the covering of the shy,
temper the rambunctious with a gentle attitude.

Permit me to teach only the truth. Help me to inspire them so that
learning will not cease at the classroom door.

Let the lessons they learn make their lives fruitful and happy.
And, Lord, let me bring them to You.

Teach them through me to love you.
Permit me to learn the lessons they teach. Amen.