The ascetic crusade

Of the holy martyrs speaks in our favor before you, beneficent Son of God.

Grant unwavering peace to the world.

And keep safe the holy church,

which has been built on the foundation of the apostles and martyrs.

We appeal to you.

Hear us, Lord, and have mercy on us.
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May burdens be calmed.

May the assaults of the enemy cease.

May love and justice be planted on earth. We appeal to you.

Hear us, Lord, and have mercy on us.

By the appeals of the holy martyrs, Lord,
who crusaded for the sake of your holy name.

Look favorably upon the worship of your people and forgive their sins.

Lift them up among all the saints.

We appeal to you.

Hear us, Lord, and have mercy on us.

By the appeals of of the holy witnesses, who testified in their blood, O Lord,
who cleansed themselves to become a temple of your Holy Spirit.

Grant seasonable weather to our land,

and delectable plants.

so that all of our needs may be satisfied.

We appeal to you.

Hear us, Lord, and have mercy on us.

By the intercession of the holy Mother of God,
and John the Forerunner; and of the holy apostles,

the prophets and martyrs;

and of St. Gregory our Enlightener; by the intercession and prayers

of saints (names) whose commemoration is today;

and of all your saints, O Lord, who united themselves to your divine love,

remember the souls of our loved ones who have fallen asleep,

and visit them when you come again. We appeal to you.
Remember them, Lord and have mercy on them.

Moreover, we beseech you to increase in us love and good works.

Grant them to us, Lord God.

Let us commit ourselves and one another to the almighty Lord God.

We commit ourselves to you, O Lord.
Have mercy on us, O Lord our God, as befits your great mercy.

Let us all say together:

Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.