

OPTIMIST CLUB INVOCATIONS

Please stand for our invocation:

Our God, thank you for allowing us to share fellowship and bread with one another today. Help us to be responsive to the needs of our community and the youth. Give us the strength and resources to help groom all youth to be better off tomorrow that they are today. Allow us to encourage all youth to strive to be the best they can be as they grow to be leaders of tomorrow. Help us to be so strong that nothing can disturb our peace of mind. In your name we pray. Amen

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Please stand for our invocation:

Our gracious and loving God, giver of all gifts, thank you for bringing us together this day to share fellowship and bread with one another. Help us to be responsive to the needs of our community and our youth. In these days of troubling times give us the strength and resources to help our youth to be better tomorrow than they are today. Help us to encourage all youth to strive to be the best they can be as they grow to be leaders for tomorrow. Help us to be so strong that nothing can disturb our peace of mind. In you name we pray. Amen.

Please stand for our invocation:

Our God, thank you for sharing the abundance of your world as we enjoy our daily successes and the food we are about to enjoy. Thank you for providing the freedom to meet and enjoy fellowship and learning with one another. Help us to practice our Optimism as we daily talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person we meet. Allow us to see you in everyone we meet and to treat them with kindness. In Your name we pray. Amen.

Please stand for our invocation:

O God, you are the source of life and all we have comes from you. Thank you for sharing the abundance of your world as we enjoy our daily successes and the food we are about to enjoy. Thank you for the freedom to enjoy fellowship and learning with one another. Help us as we talk health happiness, and prosperity to every person we meet. May we see you in everyone we meet. In your name we pray. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear God, Thank you for the bounty which you have provided as we come together enjoy the fruits of your harvest in the meal we are about to partake. As we enjoy this sharing of fellowship, help us to make all of our friends feel that there is something in them. Help us to nurture the youth of our community with Optimism to encourage them to reach their full potential. In Your name we pray. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear God, thank you for the blessings of the harvest as we come together for fellowship and nourishment. As we enjoy one another, help us to make all our friends feel that there is something in them. Help us to nurture the youth of our community with optimism and encourage them to reach their full potential. Help us to treat one another with respect and kindness. In your name we pray. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear Lord, Thank you for our many blessings. Thank you for the friends who have gathered today and for the food we are about to enjoy. Thank you for our Optimistic attitudes which ask us look at the sunny side of everything and make our Optimism come true. Help us to share our Optimism with others throughout the week, so that everyone may enjoy a smile and happiness. We pray to you. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear God, thank you for our many blessings. Thank you for the friends who have gathered here today and for the food we enjoy. Down through the ages you have always taught your people to “look forward in hope.” Nurture our Optimists attitudes which ask us to look at the sunny side of everything and make our Optimism come true. Help us to share our Optimism with others this week, so that everyone may enjoy happiness and a smile. In your name we pray. Amen.

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Our Heavenly Father, We thank you for all the good things that we have enjoyed in our lives. Most importantly, we thank you for our friends who have joined us here today as we share fellowship and this meal. Help us to strive to make all things better than we find them as we think only of the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best. Help us to make our community the best place for youth to grow and become better citizens. We ask these things in Your name. Amen.

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Our Heavenly Father, we thank you for all the good things we enjoy in our lives. Most especially, we thank you for our friends who have joined we here today as we share fellowship and food. As you have made us stewards of your creation, help we to strive to make things better than we find them as we think only of the best, work only for the best and expect only the best. Help us to make our community the best place for youth to develop their talents and become good citizens. We ask these things in your name. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Our Heavenly Father, Thank you for another successful day. Thank you for helping us find successes in each opportunity. Help us to be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as we are about our own. Thank you for these friends who have gathered for food and fellowship. We offer these thanks and prayers in Your name. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Heavenly Father, in a world of competition, help us to be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as we are about our own. Thank you for our own successes and help us to find success in each opportunity. Thank you for these friends who have gathered for food and fellowship. We offer these prayers and thanks in your name. Amen

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear God, Thank you for helping us to forget the mistakes of the past and press on to greater achievements of the future. Help us to forgive others as we would wish to be forgiven.

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Our loving God, without you we are nothing and without your help we are bound to fail. Help us to forget the mistakes of the past and press on to greater achievements of the future for with you all things are possible. Help us to forgive the mistake of others as we wish to be forgiven. Bless the food and fellowship of this day. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature we meet a smile. Thank you for the sunshine, flowers and all things which you have made that brighten our lives.

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Please stand for our invocation:

O God, Creator of the universe, when you looked on all the things you created you declared that they were good. To see the beauty in all creation should help us to wear a cheerful countenances at all times and give every living creature we meet a smile. Thank you for all the sunshine the flowers, the animals and every person that brightens our life. Bless the friends who gather this day and the food we share. Amen

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Please stand for our invocation:

To give so much time to the improvement of ourselves that you have no time to criticize others. (incomplete)

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Please stand for our invocation:

Dear God, in our highly technological society we have so many ways of accomplishing the same task. There are times when we feel our way is the only way. Help us to see that we can always grow in our way of thinking and so to give so much time to the improvement of ourselves that we have no time to criticize others. As we gather this day for food and friendship help us to work together for the improvement of our society. Amen.

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Father of us all, we thank you for allowing us to come together as Optimists to serve the needs of our youth and our community. We thank you for the food we are about to receive and for the fellowship we share. Help us be mindful of the needs of others and to keep us strong so that we may continue to serve you and our community. Help us to be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear and too happy to permit the presence of trouble. In Your name we pray. Amen.

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Please stand for our invocation:

Father of us all, as we gather today for food and fellowship, help us serve the needs of our youth and our community. Help us to be mindful of the needs of others and keep us strong so that we may serve you in serving others. When we may want to give up because of conflict or disappointment or fear, help us to be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear and too happy to permit the presence of trouble. In your name we pray. Amen.

Respect for Law Dinner

Please stand for our invocation:

Our Heavenly Father, We thank you for all the good things that we have enjoyed in our lives. Most importantly, we thank you for our friends who have joined us here today as we share fellowship and this meal. As we honor the law enforcement community joined with us this evening, help us focus on a government of laws rather than of men. Bless those that have fallen in duty and continue to protect them in your Kingdom as they protected us on earth. Help us to strive to make all things better than we find them as we think only of the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best. Help us to make our community the best place for youth to grow and become better citizens. We ask these things in Your name. Amen.

Please stand for our invocation:

Heavenly Father, you are the source of all good and for this we thank you. Most importantly, we thank you for our friends who have joined us here as we share this meal. With justice you govern all creation. As we honor the law enforcement community this evening, help us to focus on a government that lives in accordance with your laws. Bless those who have fallen in the line of duty and continue to protect them in your kingdom as they protected us here on earth. As we strive to make our community the best place for youth to grow and become better citizens, help us to think only of the best, work only for the best and expect only the best. We ask all these in your name. Amen.

New Club Building Meeting

Please stand for our invocation:

Our God, thank you for sharing the abundance of your world as we enjoy our daily successes. Thank you for providing the freedom to meet and enjoy fellowship and learning with one another. Help us to practice our Optimism and Service to Youth as we daily talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person we meet. Allow us to see you in everyone we meet and to treat them with kindness. In Your name we pray.

Amen

Please stand for our invocation:

O God you have helped us to appreciate the goodness of the world you have created. Help us to appreciate our own successes and to share those with others. Help us to practice our Optimism and service to youth as we talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person we meet. As you help us in making our Optimism come true, may we spread that same Optimism with others in other communities as well as our own. Help us to treat all with kindness and respect. In your name we pray. Amen.

Membership Event

Please stand for our invocation:

O God, we know that to wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile can be very contagious. Help us to do that in everything we do that it may influence the thoughts and actions of others. May others see that we look at the sunny side of everything to make our Optimism come true and may they desire to share in that same enthusiasm. Help us all to work together in friendship and services. Amen.

Youth Appreciation Event

Please stand for our invocation:

Loving God, we often us the expression that the youth are the future of our communities, our clubs, our country and the world. But in truth, they are the present of all that is to be. Help our youth to look at the sunny side of everything and make their Optimism come true and to think only of the best, to work only for the best, and to expect only the best. May we always appreciate the efforts of our youth and encourage them to press on to the greater achievements of the future. We ask this in your name. Amen.

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Zone Meeting

Please stand for our invocation:

Our Gracious God, you have given us gifts in abundance to share with others. As we gather here from various areas, let us be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as we are about our own. May we share our successes and failures so that we can forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future. May our minds be open to learn from one another that we can make our clubs, our communities and our country a better place to live. In your name we pray.

Amen

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