

## **Prayer for Life**

**Loving Father,**

**Giver of all life,**

**We praise you for the mystery and beauty of all creation,  
especially the way you have created us in your own image.**

**Deepen our respect for your presence in every human person  
from the first moment of conception until the last natural  
breath.**

**According to your will, O Lord,  
use us as your instruments to bring about the conversion of all  
who do not yet share our vision or commitment to the dignity  
of the life of the unborn and the dying,  
the chronically ill,  
the disabled,  
and immigrants.**

**Make us instruments of your peace and keep us all from the  
evils of war and violence.**

**We ask all this through Christ our Lord.**

**Amen.**