



**PRAYER FOR POPE BENEDICT XVI  
AT THE CONCLUSION OF HIS MINISTRY AS  
BISHOP OF ROME AND SUPREME PONTIFF**

Almighty ever-living God,  
who has given your faithful servant Benedict  
grace to maintain his faith and hope in you  
amid the labours of his apostolic ministry;  
graciously bestow upon him, we pray,  
the consolations of your Holy Spirit  
and uphold him in serenity of life.  
Through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us

St Peter, pray for us

St Paul, pray for us

St Benedict, pray for us

All holy men and women, pray for us

