University of the Incarnate Word Prayer

Jesus Christ, the Incarnate Word, Son of God and Son of Mary, you are Emmanuel: God-with-us. We praise and thank you for your life, your love, your death, and resurrection.

We ask you, please, send your Holy Spirit

to enlighten our minds with your truth and to enflame our hearts with love for you and for all human persons everywhere on earth.

Soften our hearts to the needs of the poor.

Inspire us to use the knowledge we are acquiring here to: understand better your plan for creation,

bring about justice,

and alleviate human suffering everywhere on your good earth.

Mary, Mother of Jesus and Mother of the Church, pray for us that we may always say

"Yes"

to God's call in our lives.

Amen