

PRAYING FOR GREECE AS IT SUFFERS FROM FOREST FIRES



We pray to you O God, for our sisters and brothers in Greece.
We pray for those who died and their grieving families.
We pray for the children and adult survivors
And their urgent health and personal needs.
We pray for the requested international assistance
In equipment and personnel.

We pray for rain.

As forest fires continue to rage in some areas,
We pray to you O God, for the firefighters
Battling the fire from the air and the ground.
We pray for those conducting evacuations,
And those leaving their homes behind.

We pray to you O God, for families and individuals
In the two regions east and west of Athens,
Including the village of Mati and the Rafina region,
The Penteli region, the Geraneia mountains, the Kineta area.

We pray to you O God for those battling additional fires,
In regions further away including near Corinth,
And around Soufli,
And the other affected regions.

O God hear our prayers for our sisters and brothers.
Amen.

Fr Gerry