

STEADFAST IN FAITH

Jesus, You call us to pray, fast and give alms.
We, the people of the Archdiocese of St. Louis, thank You
for Your call this Lent to grow steadfast in our faith.

In our Archdiocesan journey,
may we stay close to the Word and grow in virtue,
so that we may find mutual affection for one another
as we embrace the plan for the future of the Archdiocese.

Strengthen us with the discipline of prayer,
aid us in fasting from negativity and self indulgence.
Stir through the Spirit, a generosity for the needs of others
so that we may grow in charity.

As we journey through these days of Lent,
may we seek the power of the Spirit
to grow through your transformative Love, Lord.

Amen.