Prayer Litany for Kids

You can have a different child read each “Leader” part and “Response” part, or have one child read all of the parts, or have everyone say the “Response” part.

Leader:  *Loving God, in the midst of our daily lives, we remember.*

   **Everyone:** We remember, O God.

Leader:  *As we worry about waiting too long at drive-in windows, vending machines that don’t work, and stewed tomatoes in the school cafeteria,*

Response: We remember kids who go to bed hungry each night and who have no choices about what they eat.

   **Everyone:**  *We remember, O God.*

Leader:  *As we worry about getting to stay up late, having to share our room, or needing a bigger closet to hold all of our stuff,*

Response: We remember kids who don't have a room, a place to sleep, or even a shelter to call home.

   **Everyone:**  *We remember, O God.*

Leader:  *As we worry about buying name-brand clothes, sports shoes, compact discs, and computer games,*

Response: We remember kids who have no money to buy clothes, shoes, music, or toys.

   **Everyone:**  *We remember, O God.*

Leader:  *As we worry about taking out the garbage, doing the dishes, and getting yelled at for talking too long on the phone,*

Response: We remember kids who have been abused, abandoned, or don’t have a family to call their own.

   **Everyone:**  *We remember, O God.*
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Leader: *As we worry about math homework, taking pop quizzes, and turning in science projects,*

Response: We remember kids who don't have a school, pencils, papers, books, or other opportunities to learn.

**Everyone:** *We remember, O God.*

Leader: Dear God, we thank you for giving us the spirit of Your love, to see our own worries as blessings. We remember the worries and needs of others. We give thanks for our church, the promise and hope of the Gospel, and the opportunity to both serve and learn from others in the name of Jesus Christ.

Response: As united children of God, remembering, serving, and learning from others, we thank you, O God.

**Everyone:** Amen.