

Prayer for Christian Unity

*O God, we thank you
for sending your Son Jesus Christ to gather all
peoples into one communion of love and life through
your Holy Spirit.*

*We thank you
for reminding us in our day to extend every effort
to maintain
the unity of the followers of Christ for which
He so fervently prayed.*

*We ask you today that this unity, this
gift of the Holy Spirit,
be so renewed among our churches that they
will overcome obstacles
that hinder a fuller expression of this gift and
prevent a stronger witness to your love in Christ,
through the Spirit with whom you live and reign
forever and ever. Amen.*