**Prayers for the sick:**

1. Almighty God, giver of life and health, we pray for all those who are now suffering from illness, pain, or anxiety, and especially for those in our school community: comfort them, strengthen them, heal them, and bless them. When we are suffering, O Lord, grant us the patience and wisdom to do those things that we know will help us be well, and make us mindful of our need for rest and recovery. We pray all these things in the name of our Creator who made us well, in the name of his Son who healed the sick, and in the name of the Holy Spirit who breathes God’s life into us. Amen.

*From The Book of Common Prayer (1979), Prayers for the Sick, edited.*

1. God, the strength of the weak and the comfort of sufferers:  Mercifully accept our prayers, and grant to your servant *N.* the help of your power, that *his* sickness may be turned into health, and our sorrow into joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  Amen.

*From The Book of Common Prayer (1979), Prayers for the Sick, edited.*

1. God of heavenly powers, by the might of your command you drive away from our bodies all sickness and all infirmity: Be present in your goodness with your servant *N.*, that *his*weakness may be banished and *his* strength restored; and that, *his* health being renewed, *he* may bless your holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  Amen.

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1. Heavenly Father, giver of life and health: Comfort and relieve your sick servant *N.*, and give your power of healing to those who minister to *his* needs, that *he* may be strengthened in *his* weakness and have confidence in your loving care; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  *Amen.*

*From The Book of Common Prayer (1979), Prayers for the Sick, edited.*

**Prayers for use by a Sick Person:**

1. God, the source of all health: So fill my heart with faith in your love, that with calm expectancy I may make room for your power to possess me, and gracefully accept your healing; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  Amen.

*Prayer “For Trust in God,” from The Book of Common Prayer (1979), p. 461.*

1. This is another day, O Lord.  I know not what it will bring forth, but make me ready, Lord, for whatever it may be.  If I am to stand up, help me to stand bravely.  If I am to sit still, help me to sit quietly.  If I am to lie low, help me to do it patiently.  And if I am to do nothing, let me do it gallantly.  Make these words more than words, and give me the Spirit of Jesus.  Amen.

*Prayer “In the Morning,” from The Book of Common Prayer (1979), p. 461.*