

## Prayer for the Election of a New Pope

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O God, eternal shepherd,  
who govern your flock with unfailing care,  
grant in Your boundless fatherly love a pastor for Your Church  
who will please You by his holiness and to show us watchful care.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, forever and ever.

Amen