



Loving God, our Eternal Shepherd,

You care for your Church in so many ways and guide her with your love. We ask you to bless Bishop Simon Peter, your servant, whom you have called to lead your people.

May he shepherd us with the heart of Christ, teaching your truth with faith, celebrating your mysteries with devotion, and serving with wisdom and love.

Lord, may we, the faithful of the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux, remain united with our shepherd as we gather together in your Spirit through the Gospel and the Eucharist. May we truly reflect the universality of your people and become a living sign of Christ's presence in the world.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

