XI. For an end to the pandemic

Let us pray, dearly beloved for a swift end to the coronavirus pandemic that afflicts our world, that our God and Father will ________ heal the sick, strengthen those who care for them, and help us all to ________ persevere in faith.

Prayer in silence. Then the Priest sings/says:

Almighty and merciful God, source of all life, health and healing,

look with compassion on our world, brought low by disease; protect us in the midst of the grave challenges that assail us,

and in your fatherly providence grant recovery to the stricken, strength to those who care for them, and success to those working to eradicate this scourge. Through Christ our Lord. R. Amen.