## A Prayer for Responding with Love:

Legislative Proposals for a Sanctuary of Life

Heavenly Father,

Comforter, Author of Life, and the Source of all Love,

Grant to our public officials and elected representatives the wisdom, courage, and fortitude to make our state a sanctuary for life. Teach them to respond with love.

Show us how to build a culture of life that embraces the common good, respects the inherent dignity of every human person, and assists everyone in need.

We pray for a web of life so pervasive that no one ever feels that ending another human life is the answer. Teach us to respond with love.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Unborn,

We remember that you appeared to us expectant with child, our Lord Jesus.

Pray for our mothers, sisters, daughters, and their children, born and unborn.

Pray that our government officials and the people of North Dakota respond with love and make North Dakota a sanctuary for life.

We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, who is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

