Prayer to Saint Anne

Holy Mother of the Mother of God, Saint Anne, woman of faith,
in you the expectation of the centuries
reaches the root of the Mystery:
You are the dawn that prepares the day of encounter,
You are the hope that opens to fulfillment,
You are the vigil of the feast
in which heaven and earth met in your daughter Mary,
ark of the covenant and the temple of God's coming among us.
Intercede for us, so that like you we may be faithful in waiting,
men and women of hope, open to the gift of the Eternal,
docile in faith and generous in love.
With your love as Mother of the Mother of God,
as grandmother of the Savior of the world,
ask Christ to fulfill the true longings of our hearts.
Protect our parish and all our families with your intercession.
Accompany us as we follow Jesus, the light of life,
in daily faithfulness,
toward the pastures of eternal beauty,
where, with Mary and all the Saints, You too await us,
in the unclouded and unfading joy of the heavenly homeland.
Amen.