

Ideas for verses in cards for Shepherds of the Field

Thinking of You:

When you are lonely I wish you love. When you are down I wish you joy. When you are troubled I wish you peace. When things are complicated I wish you simple beauty. When things are chaotic I wish you inner silence. When things look empty I wish you hope. Thinking of you and wishing you a great day!

Wishing you happiness and all good things today! Every thought of you brings a sincere prayer for a day of joy and peace for you.

You are in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless you richly today and always.

Thinking of you, Shepherd of the Field, with gratitude for your ministry to God's people. Thank you for saying "yes" when God called you by name. Have a wonderful day!

Thinking of you, Father! The Lord has filled your heart with the gift of love for others. May He bless you for your dedication and inspire you to always be a true sign of His Presence to the people you shepherd.

Hoping today is a grace-filled day for you. May Jesus, the Eternal High Priest be your haven and peace in moments of struggle or concern. May He unite the sacrifices you make as a priest with His sacrifice and give them merit.

Thinking of you today and how you conform your life to that of Christ. You are an inspiration to the people you shepherd. Have a great day!

Thanksgiving:

Thinking of you at this time of thankfulness when we reflect on the good things God has brought into our lives. May this season be a blessed one for you and may you enjoy His peace and goodness in your life. Happy Thanksgiving!

Praying God will fill your Thanksgiving this year with the warmth of His love and the blessing of His care. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Birthday:

Good people will be remembered as a blessing...Proverbs 10:7
Father, Wishing you every good thing that life can bring, on your birthday and always.
Happy Birthday!

God has a marvelous plan for our lives. In expectation of what God has ahead for you, and with a prayer that His blessing will be upon all you do. Happy Birthday!

With gratitude for your priestly ministry, I celebrate your birthday. In the coming year may you daily discover the depth of His Sacred Heart and the measure of His love for you. Happy Birthday!

As you celebrate your birthday, may you carry a deep sense of God's Divine Providence upon you and His special purpose for your life. Happy Birthday!

May our gracious Lord, the Good Shepherd, bless you with peace and lead you, our Shepherd of the Field, to happiness on your birthday and always!

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above...James 1:17

Blessings to you on your birthday! Your life is a gift to those you serve. With appreciation for the gift of your priestly ministry, I wish you another year of life, good health and happiness. Happy Birthday!

God's blessings on your Birthday Father! With thoughts of you on your Birthday and a prayer that God may bless you with every happiness.

May the Lord guide your footsteps through every day of the year. May He walk with you on your birthday and all through the future. May He never cease to send you His blessing of true and lasting peace. Happy Birthday!

Anniversary of Ordination:

Good Bless You, Father, on your anniversary and always! Your anniversary is a perfect time for offering a prayer that God will always keep you in His never-failing care, that His love will give you faith and hope, His wisdom be your guide and you'll have the joy of knowing He is always at your side. Happy Anniversary!

God Bless You, Father! Many have been touched by your kind and gentle spirit. Thanks for being a priest in the New Ulm Diocese! Thinking of you with love and appreciation Father and praying that God will bless you with His most precious gifts- because you're a wonderful priest! Blessings on your Ordination Anniversary,

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Can't think of what to write in your card? Heartfelt words are always best! If you just can't think of how to say it, try these samples:

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a prayer that God will always keep you in His never-failing
care, that His love will give you faith and hope,
His wisdom be your guide and you'll have the joy of knowing
He is always at your side. Happy Anniversary, *Sender's name*

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Blessings

A good person, out of the good treasure of the heart, brings forth good things.

Matthew 12:35

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Happy Birthday, *Sender's name*

Ideas for Promoting the Shepherds of the Field Project

Use cards from NUDCCW online that can be downloaded, folded, written with a personal note, and then mailed.

Contact individual women who would take on this apostolate monthly on behalf of local CCW.

Put a write up about the Shepherd of the Field in bulletin, introducing him to parish.

Put Shepherds name on prayer list in bulletin.

Parish CCW put reminder in bulletin 2-3 weeks before Shepherd's birthday, anniversary, etc.

Parish pres. put Shepherd's name, address, DOB and ordination at bottom of every agenda

Do not expect a reply to your cards. Priests are very busy. They will appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing and will most likely pray for you. Be sure to remember your Shepherd of the Field daily in prayer. A spiritual bouquet of prayers can also be included in your card from time to time. Time spent in Adoration is especially good.