

Prayer of Preparation for Proclaimers:

Everlasting God, bless and strengthen me as I prepare to proclaim your loving word, a word that calls me to respond in faith and love.

Make me a hollow reed, so that your voice will be heard by all who will hear me.

Free me from any anxiety so that with deep faith and confident voice I may announce your saving word.

May your Spirit fill me as it fills the holy word that I am about to proclaim.