Prayer to Begin a Lengthy Meeting

Leader 1: God of Charity and Grace, it’s hard to set aside other concerns for a few hours, but with You as our companion and guide, we dedicate this meeting to Your honor and glory.

All: We trust Your Spirit to lead us.

Leader 2: May these next few hours be a time of grace to identify and resolve problems.

All: We trust Your Spirit to lead us.

Leader 3: To say aloud those things that others need to hear, and to refrain from words and actions that distract.

All: We trust Your Spirit to lead us.

Leader 4: To think creatively, to develop ideas that will empower our co-workers to grow in your spirit.

All: We trust Your Spirit to lead us.

Leader 5: Finally, Lord, strengthen us and help us remember and that we serve together in your name and by your call.

All: We trust Your Spirit to lead us. Amen.

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