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Prayer. A man may pray night and day, and yet deceive himself; but no man can be assured of his sincerity, who does not pray. Prayer is faith passing into act; a union of the will and the intellect realizing in an intellectual act. It is the whole man that prays. Less than this is wishing, or lip-work; a charm or a mummerly. Pray always, says the Apostle; "that is, have the habit of prayer, turning your thoughts into acts by connecting them with the idea of the redeeming God, and even so reconverting your actions into thoughts. The Sacrament of the Eucharist. Goodreads helps you keep track of books you want to read. Start by marking "Notes on the Book of Common Prayer" as Want to Read: Want to Read savingâ€¦; Want to Read.Â Error rating book. Refresh and try again. Rate this book. HE Book of Common Prayer is a priceless possession of our Church. By its intrinsic merits, as a book designed for the reverent and seemly worship of Almighty God, it has en-deared itself to generation after generation of devout Christians throughout the world. None would desire or advocate any change therein which would impair or lessen this deep-seated affection.Â Any changes which were made elsewhere in the Book were designed to render the Services more readily understood by the people, or to provide such additional Services as were needed in the growing life of the Church. By order of the General Synod Of 1943 the work of revision was taken up again.