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The House met at 10 a.m.

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer:

Lord God of history and ever-present, Your call to Abram to leave his place and to move to a place You would show him is truly a call of faith.

Lord, You know it is not easy for us to unplug ourselves or for us to deal with the unknown. There is an inner resistance in all of us to change. We find security in the familiar. Contentment seems to breathe an air of blessedness in being where we are, how we are, and who we are. Yet Your call of faith, O Lord, is a call to change and a constant conversion of heart until we are completely one in You and with You.

Be with all the Members of the United States House of Representa-

tives, the President, and all who serve in government.

Help them to be people of faith and true leaders. May they never be afraid to change themselves or to change the course of history as a response to Your holy inspiration. Give them courage to act upon what they believe, to follow their convictions, and lead others in the ways of faith.

O Lord, in a world of constant change, You alone are reliable now and forever. Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. PENCE. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. PENCE. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

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