
PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

CELEBRANT: No trial or power can deprive us of the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus. With renewed faith in god's goodness let us pray for all our needs.

LEADER:

We pray for the Church, that it will feed the human hunger for love, truth and mercy as abundantly as Jesus.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for peace-makers, that the 75th anniversary of Hiroshima on the feast of the Transfiguration will aid their efforts to free the world of nuclear arms.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our pray

We pray for the world's poor and hungry, that the global response to the COVID pandemic will offer them proper access to the necessities of life.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for the people of Australia, that they will be inspired by St Mary MacKillop to work for a community of justice, compassion and dignity.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for indigenous and islander children, that they will grow to adulthood in a safe, loving and respectful environment.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for the homeless and poorly housed, that the provision of social housing will be a priority in the economic recovery from the pandemic.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for who are struggling with hard lockdown conditions, especially detainees and the disadvantaged, that they will receive the material and pastoral care they need.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for the staff and residents of aged care facilities, that they will draw strength from the loving support of the whole community.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

R. Loving God, hear our prayer.

We pray for the recently deceased Sister Margaret Wilson RSM, all those who have died from Corona, Father Pat Harney O.Carm, Danny Gleeson and those whose anniversaries we honour Darryl Leddin, Fathers Meagher and Brophy, Sister Dorothy Finnigan, Jayne McMeal, Beverly Quinn, Joan Sinnott, Nancy O'Grady, Jade Shannon Burns.

(Pause for silent prayer)

Loving God, hear us

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CELEBRANT: From of old, O Lord, you have been full of kindness and compassion for all your creatures. Help us put your boundless love to work. We ask this through Christ our Lord.