

Prayer of the Faithful

Reader: For the Body of Christ, Holy Church, called to renewal and a spiritual purification this Lent, We pray to the Lord

Reader: That God’s grace bring blessing to all the diverse and many needs of people around the world, We pray to the Lord

Reader: That all the faithful find the inspiration and grace needed to embrace the value of this season of repentance, so that all of us may benefit in body and soul by keeping Lent well, We pray to the Lord

Reader: That we respond to the call to charity and acts of justice, along with prayer and fasting, as a way to put our faith to action – offering a worthy sacrifice to God through our personal response to our neighbours as Jesus teaches us, We pray to the Lord

Reader: For profound and sacred encounters with our Lord Jesus, so that we may be drawn into his divine life and the hope that it brings, We pray to the Lord

Reader: For all those who suffer and for all those who are sick, including: Sister Ely Nasol, Noella Cossette, and Shirley Keeley, and for all caregivers, We pray to the Lord

Reader: For all those who have died, including: Frank Hubbard †, Lawrence Nycholat †, and Ellena Bollen †, and for all who grieve, We pray to the Lord

Reader: For all the intentions we hold in the silence of our heart, We pray to the Lord