

Prayer of the Faithful 6th Sunday of Easter 4/5 May 2024

1. We pray for Pope Francis and the synod secretariat, that together they will lead the Church into a new and fruitful era of collaboration.
(Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
2. We pray for the leaders and citizens of every country, that Holocaust Remembrance Day on Monday will encourage greater efforts to rid the world of hateful prejudice. *(Pause for silent prayer)* Lord, hear us.
3. We pray for the people of India and other countries holding national elections around this time, that they will vote conscientiously for the common good.
(Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
4. On the eve of Labour Day, we pray for fair treatment and just compensation for all workers and for the welfare of the unemployed and underemployed.
(Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
5. We pray for volunteers who devote time and energy to help make the world a better place, that they will be blessed in their endeavours and see their efforts bear fruit. *(Pause for silent prayer)* Lord, hear us.
6. We pray for all of us gathered here. In this Easter season, may be ready to share the joy that Christ's resurrection brings us with everyone we encounter.
(Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.