General Intercessions

For all those called to lay down their lives as priests, deacons, and in the consecrated life, that they will be faithful witnesses to the Good Shepherd in our midst.

We pray to the Lord.

For unity among all Christians, gathered as one flock around Christ the Good Shepherd; and for all who are entrusted with the ministry of shepherding: parents, teachers, bishops, priests, and lay pastoral ministers.

We pray to the Lord.

For the men and women who daily risk their lives that peace might be a reality in our world; and for those who cry out for justice and peace.

We pray to the Lord.

For young people; that they may know the personal love of the Lord for them, and respond with an open and generous heart.

We pray to the Lord.

For the children and young people receiving the sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation this Easter Season, may their encounter with the Risen Lord transform their lives, empowering them as faithful witnesses of God's Kingdom in word and in deed.

We pray to the Lord.

For our parish as we journey through the projects to restore our church roof and replace the church boiler, grant protection for the workers and favourable weather, and may our projects this year be governed by your providence, as we continue to raise the funds needed through the ongoing generosity of our parishioners and benefactors.

We pray to the Lord.

For those who are ill or hospitalized, especially those of our parish community and our families; that the Lord may graciously provide for their needs and the consolation of those who surround and support them.

We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died, that they may see God as he really is, especially Walter Banke and Ryan Summers, and all our deceased parishioners and family members.

We pray to the Lord.

Remain at the Ambo until the celebrant completes the prayer and then return to your seat.