

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Priest: Jesus is risen from the dead and sits at the right hand of the Father, where He intercedes for His Church. Confident that God hears the voices of those who trust in the Lord Jesus, we join our prayers to His:

Lector: Please respond, "Lord, hear our prayer."

1. For _____ who in baptism was given the pledge of eternal life, that he/she may now be admitted to the company of the saints. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

2. For our brother/sister who ate the Body of Christ, the Bread of Life, that he may be raised up on the last day. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

3. For our deceased relatives and friends and for all who have helped us, that they may have the reward of their goodness. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

4. For those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again, that they may see God face to face. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

5. For the family and friends of our brother/sister, that they may be consoled in their grief by the Lord, who wept at the death of his friend, Lazarus. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

6. For all of us gathered here to worship in faith, that we may be gathered together again in God's kingdom. We pray to the Lord.

All. Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry of your people: hear the prayers we offer for our departed brothers and sisters. Cleanse them from their sins and grant them the fullness of redemption. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All. AMEN.