

Universal Prayer

Presider: Drawn together as a community of believers, let us place our prayers and petitions before the risen Lord.

- For the church, may we experience renewal and like the early church see the needs of others as our needs and open our hearts and resources to assist them... we pray,
- For peace, may God open locked hearts to end conflicts in nations, in communities, and in families ... we pray,
- For the newly initiated of our parish, may they grow in their love of Christ and show that love through the service of others ...we pray,
- That our gifts to the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal properly reflect our gratitude for the graces and gifts that God has given to us... we pray
- For all of us in the family of disciples at St. Pius the Tenth, may we live in peace through Jesus' assurance that he is always in our midst...we pray
- [11am ONLY: For those friends, family, and seekers of faith joining through live-stream, may the divine mercy of God touch your life and bring you healing... we pray,]
- For the sick, the suffering, and for those who have died, ... we pray
- **Lector, please remain at the ambo until the following prayer is concluded.**

Presider: Compassionate God, your resurrected Son appeared to the disciples with his wounds from the cross on full display. Hear our prayers and embrace our wounds with your healing power so that we too might experience the joy of resurrection. We offer this prayer through Christ our risen Lord.