

General Intentions
April 24, 2019

For the Church: that we may be transformed through our encounters with the living Christ and be instruments of healing and forgiveness for those who are hurting.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For a deepening of faith: that we may grow in our awareness that death has been overcome and that in Christ we shall live forever.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all the newly baptized: that they may continue to grow in the Christian life and be patient with themselves as they begin this new part of their faith journey.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For the grace to forgive: that the Spirit of God will help us to forgive as God has forgiven us and give us the strength to be instruments of forgiveness in our families and communities.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For abiding Peace: that we may know Christ's presence with us all along life's journey and be sustained by the peace that Christ offers and that no one can take away.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For peace in all the troubled areas of the world, particularly in Ukraine: that Christ's victory over death may bring an end to war, genocide, and inhumane treatment of people and help us to work together to end disease and malnutrition.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all who are suffering: that God will heal the sick, comfort the grieving, guide refugees to safety, and open resources to those who lack food and medicine.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all who have died: that the Lord in his mercy may welcome them into his dwelling, especially Greg McCaffrey and Roger Sinclair.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**