

## **Prayers of the Faithful**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**4<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

1. That the Church may with courage bear witness to the divine mercy which has given us new life and hope through Christ's Resurrection.

**Lord hear us....**

2. That there may be a new peace, forgiveness and harmony between the nations of the earth so that the poor and oppressed may rejoice.

**Lord hear us...**

3. That our own faith may grow stronger in the light of the resurrection and that we may place all our doubts and fears confidently in God's hands.

**Lord hear us...**

4. We pray for those suffering for their faith throughout the world, especially the Christian communities in the Holy Land. May the celebration of the Resurrection of Christ give them hope and courage.

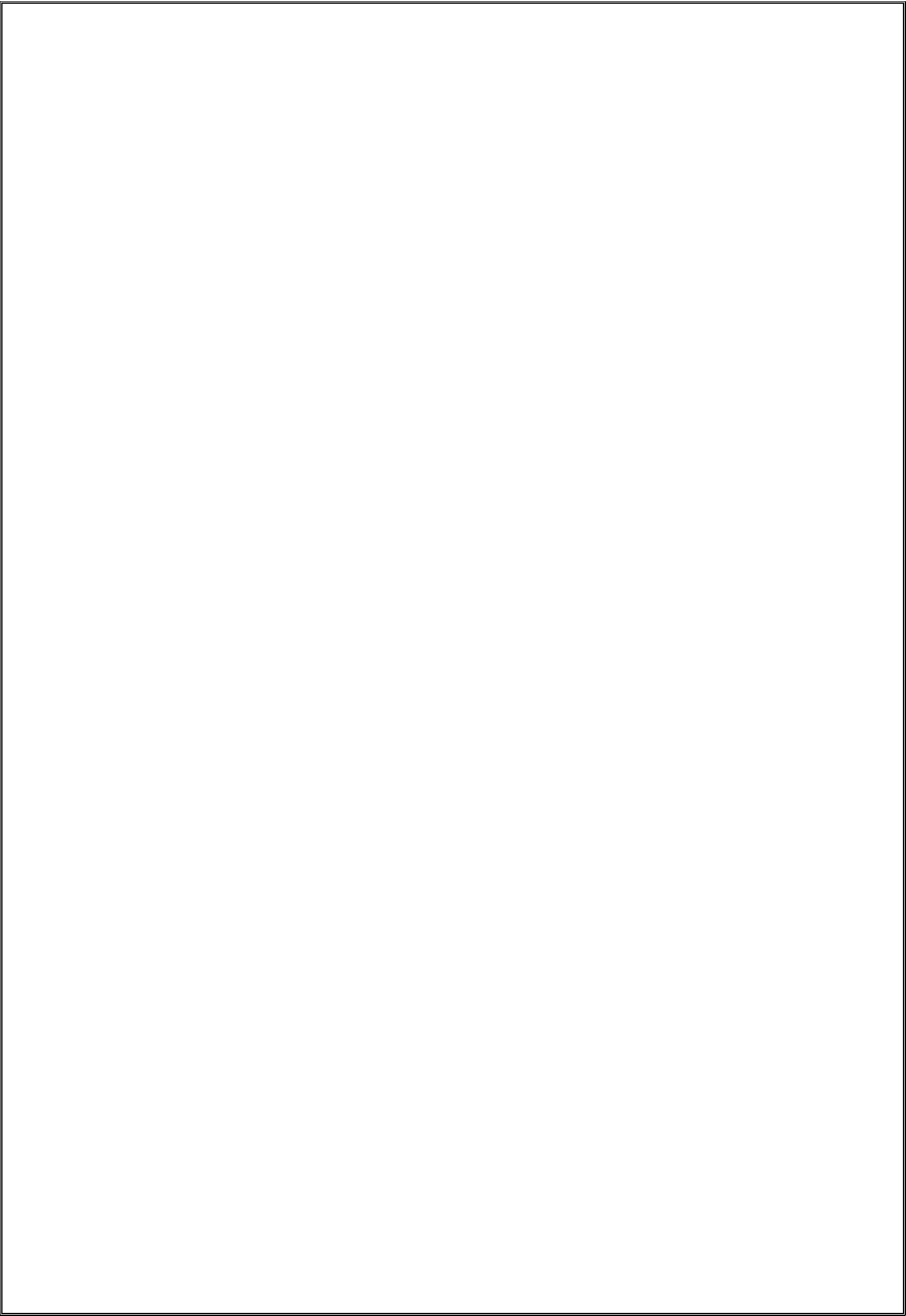
**Lord hear us.....**

5. That the sick and all who are in need of healing and comfort may have the care and resources that they need to ease their sufferings.

**Lord hear us...**

6. We pause for our own prayers.

**Lord hear us...**



# **Prayers of the Faithful**

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**11th May 2025**

1.We pray for our Church Leaders that they may have the wisdom and strength to lead the flock entrusted to them by the Good Shepherd.

**Lord hear us....**

2.For the Leaders of Nations that they may work for the good of all and strive for peace and justice.

**Lord hear us.....**

3.On this Good Shepherd Sunday we pray that all who are called by the Lord to offer lives of loving service may respond generously to that call.

**Lord hear us....**

4.That those who have dedicated their lives to God and to the service of humanity may find fulfilment and joy in their vocation.

**Lord hear us.....**

5.That the sick and suffering may know the companionship of the Good Shepherd as they walk through the valley of darkness.

**Lord hear us....**

6.We pause for our own prayers

**Lord hear us....**

# **Prayers of the Faithful**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**18<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

1. We pray that the Church may, with courage, answer the call of the Risen Christ and proclaim his message with joy and hope.

**Lord hear us.....**

2. We pray for our world leaders, that with all humanity, they may work together to preserve our planet and its resources.

**Lord hear us.....**

3. We pray for the families in our Parish Community that they may embrace the light of Christ this Easter Season and live with renewed faith hope and love.

**Lord hear us.....**

4. We pray for our Health Workers and all who care for the sick, that they will continue to be given the strength and compassion for their task.

**Lord hear us.....**

5. We pray for the children and young people in our Parish that they may grow in health and wisdom inspired by the Gospel.

**Lord hear us....**

6. We pause for our own prayers.

**Lord hear us..**

## **Prayers of the Faithful**

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**25<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

1. That our times may be peaceful and that those who hold public office may be guided by the Holy Spirit to have integrity and compassion.

**Lord hear us.....**

2. For the gift of God's creation that all living things upon the earth, our common home, may be treated with care and respect.

**Lord hear us...**

3. That our families and parish community may stay close to the Lord so that we may bear the fruits he desires of faith, hope and love in our lives.

**Lord hear us....**

4. For the sick and housebound and all those suffering in mind or spirit that they may have new life and healing.

**Lord hear us...**

5. We pause for our own prayers.

**Lord hear us....**

