

General intercessions

Easter Sunday, The Resurrection of the Lord

Celebrant: By his Resurrection, Christ has conquered all that stands between us and God and so we now pray:

Reader:

That all Christians will be renewed in their calling to witness to the Good News of the Risen Lord:

Lord, hear us ...

That those throughout the world, who have received the Easter Sacraments for the first time, may experience the power of the Risen Lord in their lives:

Lord, hear us ...

That the Lord may bless, guide, and protect all who serve us in public office:

Lord, hear us ...

That the Lord, who conquered the power of death, may give nations the strength to eliminate the evil of war and the temptation to see some lives as less valuable than others,

Lord, hear us ...

That the sick and the suffering may be healed and comforted by the knowledge of the Risen Saviour's love for them,

Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may share in the glory and light of the Resurrection won for us by our Saving Lord:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Mary, Mother of the Risen Lord: *Hail Mary...*

Father, you have already granted us more than we can ask for in the Resurrection of Christ. As you answer our prayers, make us ever more faithful to him who is Lord forever and ever.