

12APR26 Suggested Intercessions

Through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, God has opened a living hope for the world. Let us pray. We pray for the Church, called to live in the light of the resurrection. May our life together bear witness that Christ is risen and that new life has begun.

Silence

Lord in your presence

we lift our hearts to you.

We pray for the world, where many long for signs of hope. May the power that raised Jesus from the dead bring courage where there is fear and renewal where life feels closed or broken.

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We pray for our communities, our homes, and the ordinary places of our lives. May the living hope of Christ shape how we speak, work, and care for one another.

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We pray for those who struggle to hope: the anxious, the grieving, the weary, and the ill. May the risen Christ draw near to them with peace and quiet strength.

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we lift our hearts to you.

We remember those who have died, and those who approach death with fear. May the promise of resurrection hold them in peace and bring them into the fullness of life.

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Merciful Father,

accept these prayers

for the sake of your Son,

our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.