



GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Our response: Lord, hear our prayer.

For the church, the people of God, that like Thomas, we may experience God's healing mercy and love, we pray to the Lord.

For the nations of the world, that they will not let fears and distrust from the past, prevent them from working together today to halt the spread of the coronavirus and finding a vaccine, we pray to the Lord.

For the Jewish community remembering the Holocaust this week and the Moslem community as they observe Ramadan, that we may all unite in faith, hope and love, we pray to the Lord.

For parents, children and families as they face new challenges with home schooling for the children, and working at home for parents, for grandparents who cannot be with their grandchildren, for single parents and for women and children who must remain home with their abusers, we pray to the Lord.

For the sick, especially Br. Joe Frechette, SJ, Gail Sampson, Carmel Sharpe, Lauren Rose Sims, for all who now have the coronavirus, and for all who have had their medical procedures postponed, we pray to the Lord.

For all who have died, for all who have died alone because of the coronavirus and for their families and friends who mourn them, for frontline workers who have died from this virus, for all who have suffered a loss unknown to others, and for all whose anniversary of their death occurs in the coming week, we pray to the Lord.

Lord God, we pray that many persons who usually don't pray on a regular basis, will respond to the urging of the Holy Spirit and find a way to connect to you during this challenging Lenten season, we pray to the Lord.