

# Easter Triduum : Resurrection of the Lord: Easter Morning General Intercessions

## Priest

Giving thanks to God,  
who draws us into the mystery of his Son's death and resurrection,  
we bring before God the needs of the Church and of the world.

## Reader

1. For the communion of the Church;  
that, in union with Francis our pope and our bishops,  
we may bear joyful and courageous witness to our risen Lord.

*PAUSE for silent prayer — at least five seconds, please. Repeat after each intention.*

Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

2. For those reborn this Easter by water and the Holy Spirit;  
and those who celebrate their full membership of the Catholic Church.  
that together we will walk in newness of life as God's adopted children.
3. For governments and all who serve in public office;  
may they know the wisdom of God,  
so that harmony, justice, and peace may flourish;  
we pray especially for all the peoples of the Holy Land.
4. For all who are ill and those who have care of them;  
for the injured and the disabled, those who suffer mental ill-health,  
and those whose well-being has been weakened or destroyed;  
that they may know the presence and power of the risen Christ.
5. For the members of our parish, and all our guests and visitors;  
that we will grow together in the Easter faith we celebrate this day,  
and bear fruitful witness to our Risen Lord.
6. For all who have touched and graced our lives,  
and have gone before us in faith;  
we remember our fellow parishioners,  
our friends, and members of our own families;  
that they will rest in peace and rise in glory.
7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Risen Christ, to join her prayers with ours: Hail Mary

## Priest

Holy God of unbounded goodness,  
who raise us to new life in your Son,  
favourably hear our prayer:  
Restore in us your image,  
renew in us your love,  
and bring us at the last to the fullness of our hope,  
where the risen Christ is Lord, for ever and ever.  
Amen.