



Suggested Prayers of the Faithful for the Feast of Christ the King National Youth Sunday, 24th November 2013

Priest's Introduction:

As we await the coming of Christ the King,
Let us persevere in faith and in prayer,
Asking him that in our own day all peoples
May hear his invitation to the Kingdom.

1. For the Church of God,
That she may remain faithful to Christ the King
And draw others to share in her life.
2. For the young who are baptised
That they may keep the faith, never lose hope and grow in love.
3. For young people who do not know God
That the Lord the giver of all spiritual gifts may touch their lives.
4. For all who are oppressed or abused, especially children,
That they be strengthened by God's grace and saved from their distress.
5. For the families of our parish
That they may be schools of faith and love.

Priest's prayer:

Hear the prayers of your people, O Lord,
And grant that the course of our world may be directed by your peaceful rule
Through Christ our Lord.

R. Amen

*It is recommended that each prayer is proclaimed slowly and followed by a noticeable silent pause, after which the reader says the invocation that is customary for the local congregation, e.g. Reader: Lord in your mercy **R.** Hear our prayer*