

Prayer of the Faithful
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 19th June 2022

Priest; Holy Father, you bless the commonplace and transform it for us. You take water, bread, wine; the love we have for each other; and make them immensely more important. Hear our prayers we bring before you.

For the Church: that her leaders and all her faithful people may actively witness to the dignity of every human being, from the youngest to the oldest, knowing that in God's eyes no one is redundant or a burden.

Lord hear us

For policy makers and leaders in society: that they may come to a fuller appreciation of the significance of family and community and so promote the building of bridges between the generations.

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For elderly people: that they may continue to rediscover their God-given vocation in the world, confident that their contribution to society and to the younger generations forms part of building up the Kingdom of God.

Lord hear us

For those who care for and accompany elderly people: that they may come to see the riches that the journey through old age brings.

Lord hear us

For those who are bereaved, who mourn, or are lonely: that they may feel your presence ever near them.

Lord hear us

For those who are coming to the end of their life: that they may face the everyday losses of fragility and growing old in the real and certain hope of an everlasting future when every tear will be wiped away.

Lord hear us

Priest: Lord God, help us to remember that your Holy Spirit will always be with us. Amen