

5 May 2024  
**Sixth Sunday of Easter Year B**  
**Prayer of the Faithful**

Priest: “If you keep my commandments you will remain in my love.” Jesus calls us friends and commands us to love one another. Let us show that love by the sincerity of our prayers today.

1. We pray for Pope Francis, our bishop Anthony, all bishops and priests. May they live the commandment of love and thus bring God to all peoples. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
2. We pray for all Catholics. May we remain acceptable to God by our proper fear of the Lord which is the beginning of Wisdom and do what is right according to our conscience. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
3. We pray for all of us gathered here. May we live out the great commission granted to us by God to evangelise all peoples confident that he will grant whatever we ask for in Jesus’ name. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
4. We pray for a desire to deepen our friendship with God. We are no longer servants but friends of the Lord, chosen to bear fruit that will last. May we nurture our friendship with Jesus culminating in the perfection of loving one another as he commands. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
5. Grant patience, healing and comfort to those who are sick and suffering: Ms. On, Augustine D’Silva, Maria Luisa, Angy, Sr Louise Byrne, Mark Halavazis, Sandra Kirner, Henry Chau, Edward Gorzkowski. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
6. We pray for family and friends who have gone before us, may they find eternal peace in the Risen Christ: Therese Adun Sakr, May Seto, Nadia, Jose Tony Quiros, Gregorio Quiros. Michael Shiel, John Mercer, Fred Perera.

Pray for those whose death anniversary occurs about now: Angelina Cattarinuzzi, Perfecta Gutierrez, Rizalina Acevedo.

Pray for the Poor Souls in Purgatory especially those who have no one to pray for them. (Pause) Lord, hear us.

Priest: God our Father, receive our prayers with that same love with which you sent your Son to be the sacrifice who takes away our sins. We ask this, through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.