## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2014**

1. In today's reading of the Passion, we see that Peter, who had seen Jesus transfigured on Mount Tabor and recognised him as the Saviour, deny him three times. In these difficult times for the Church, we ask for the faith to stand by Jesus and give witness

We pray to the Lord

R. Lord hear our prayer

2. We pray for Christians throughout the world, and particularly for those who face persecution, that they may celebrate this Holy Week with deep faith.

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3. We pray for all those throughout the world who suffer torture and humiliation, that the sufferings of Christ and his glory may bring them hope and peace.

We pray to the Lord

R. Lord hear our prayer

4. We pray for the people of Jerusalem and the Holy Land, where many faiths meet, that it may be a place of forgiveness and reconciliation.

We pray to the Lord

R. Lord hear our prayer

5. This week as we see our President receive a warm and genuine welcome in London, we remember in our prayers all those who worked so hard for reconciliation over the years and for peacemakers thoughout the world.

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R. Lord hear our prayer

6. We remember in silence our own personal intentions and the intentions of those who have asked for our prayers

We pray to the Lord

R. Lord hear our prayer