

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL
June 28 - 29, Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

For the Church: may we follow the directive of Jesus to love and pray for even those who disparage or dismiss us, that all may know peace. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

For the world: may all children, protected from terror and anxiety , know the joy of laughter and song. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

Grant us the faith that you hear our prayers and are moving in the world, even though we may know nothing about it. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

As you did for Saints Peter and Paul, give us the strength and courage to carry on in our lives, no matter how difficult the circumstances may be. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

We earnestly pray for all those who are sick. Bring them comfort and strength, and ease their fears and anxieties. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

We also pray for those who have died. Grant them eternal rest. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**

We lift up to you the prayers of this community, and those we hold in the silence of our hearts. **Jesus, Son of the living God, we pray.**