

## **Prayers of the Faithful**

**April 18 and 19, 2026**

- 1. For the Church, that we may joyfully share the Good News of the risen Jesus through our words, our kindness, and the way we live each day. Let us pray to the Lord.**
- 2. For peace in the world. Let us pray to the Lord.**
- 3. That the breaking open of the word, and the breaking of the bread may bring truth and light to our nation and to all suffering from darkened minds and hearts. Let us pray to the Lord.**
- 4. For our families, that our homes may be places of love, laughter, prayer, and trust in God's presence. Let us pray to the Lord.**
- 5. For the congregation that God has gathered at this altar, that each of us may recognize the real presence of the risen Lord in the eucharistic "breaking of the bread". Let us pray to the Lord.**
- 6. For those who have died, especially our loved ones, that they may share forever in the joy of the Resurrection and God's peace. Let us pray to the Lord.**