



## **Diocesan Commission for Liturgy, Vasai**

**Pentecost Sunday – 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

### **Prayers of the faithful**

**Celebrant:** Dear brothers and sisters, with the reception of the Holy Spirit the apostles courageously guided the Church and many were added to our faith. Inspired by this let us approach God with one voice, saying,

**Response: Lord, hear our prayer.**

1. For our Pope Francis, Archbishop Felix, all Priests and Religious, that filled with the Holy Spirit they may preach the word of God and inspire people to worship him, **we pray to the Lord.**
2. For the leaders of Governments and those in authority – that leaving aside their personal gains, they may work for the upliftment of the people, **we pray to the Lord.**
3. For all the faithful that with the help of the Holy Spirit they may lead their ways towards a life of love in Jesus, **we pray to the Lord.**
4. For the migrants, that they may realize the dangers of trying to cross their borders through banned channels and may try to avail of better living conditions in their own countries, **we pray to the Lord.**
5. For the mentally and physically challenged, that they may find the special care and concern that is essential for them to live a life of dignity and comfort, **we pray to the Lord.**
6. Let us pray for our personal needs, .... **we pray to the Lord.**

**Concluding prayer (Celebrant):** God our Father, we thank you for the gift of your Holy Spirit. Fill us afresh with your spirit and help us to say “Jesus is Lord” through our good works, we make this prayer, through Christ our Lord,

**R:** Amen.