

Diocesan Commission for Liturgy, Vasai

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion 24th March 2024 Prayers of the faithful

Celebrant: Dear brothers and sisters, Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem contrasts with his humility of riding on a colt. As we enter the Holy Week let us humbly acknowledge him as the centre of our lives, saying,

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

- 1. For our Pope Francis, Archbishop Felix, all Priests and Religious, that God may bless and strengthen them in faith to lead the people, we pray to the Lord.
- 2. For the leaders of Governments and those in authority that they may promote justice and peace in their regions, we pray to the Lord.
- 3. For all the faithful that they may avail of the Sacrament of Reconciliation to reconcile themselves to God and their neighbour, we pray to the Lord.
- 4. For teachers, that they may be strengthened by divine intervention to carry out their noble task of forming the children in knowledge and faith, we pray to the Lord.
- 5. For all those working abroad, that they may find solutions to the challenges they face in different countries and culture, we pray to the Lord.
- 6. Let us pray for our personal needs, we pray to the Lord.

Concluding prayer (Celebrant): God our Father, grant us the grace to unite our sufferings to that of Christ so that we may be saved, we make this prayer, through Christ our Lord,

R: Amen.