

Bidding Prayers for Youth Sunday

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The priest will say a short prayer to introduce the bidding prayers

For everyone here, especially the youth, that God will open our minds and hearts, giving us courage to take the leap of faith in our Journey with Christ

Lord in your Mercy,

All: Hear Our Prayer

We pray for the Pope and the Church, that God will grant them the wisdom to guide us in becoming who God intended us to be.

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We pray for those who are suffering, especially young people around the world. May they find solace in Christ, and may there be an end to all war and conflict.

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All: Hear Our Prayer

We pray for the sick and those who care for them, that they may draw hope from St Carlo Acutis and be assured that God will always be there.

Lord in your Mercy

All: Hear Our Prayer

For those who have died, may they rest in peace. May those bereaved be consoled by the hope of the resurrection.

Lord in your Mercy

All: Hear Our Prayer

We ask Mary our Mother, Queen of Peace and Protector of the Young, to join us in prayer as we say...

Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

*Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now
and at the hour of our death. Amen.*

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This template can be used by young people in your school/parish as part of your Youth Sunday Mass/Celebrations

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All respond: Hear Our Prayer

For the Church and the Pope..

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For peace in the world...

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Hymns & Music

Music plays a powerful role in prayer and worship. In the Catholic Mass, it's more than just singing—it helps us connect with God on a deeper level. Through music, we can express our faith, lift our hearts, and focus our minds on God's presence. It brings the whole community together in prayer and reminds us that worship isn't just about words, but about what we feel and share through sound and song.

When we gathered as Youth Council we quickly realised that music united us from our various parishes and schools, and we put together some of our favourites which you might like to use this Youth Sunday...



Lord I need you
Matt Maher



O Come to the Altar
Elevation Worship



What a Beautiful Name
Hillsong Worship



Build my Life
Pat Barrett



Gratitude
Brandon Lake



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