

Intercessions
Feast of the Transfiguration—August 6, 2023

Cantor: Hear our prayer hear our prayer....

- For the whole church and for all believers: That we may be open to grow in our understanding of who Jesus is and what he asks of us. *We pray,*
- For faith in God's presence in life's most difficult moments; for the awareness that the mountains before us may be new opportunities for growth. *We pray,*
- For those who struggle to believe, or who are locked in rigid views that preclude growing in faith; for openness to something new. *We pray,*
- For those whose faith is impeded by poverty, abuse, illness, depression, or any kind of pain. And for the courage to confront the challenges of our current political reality. *We pray,*
- For the wisdom to heed the warnings of the Archbishops of Santa Fe and Seattle on their pilgrimage this week to Japan—alerting us to the ever growing danger of nuclear war. *We pray,*
- For this community as we struggle with our own faith issues; for those in any kind of need; and for those who need our ministries to stay alive and safe. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own needs; and for hearts and minds unafraid of new and challenging knowledge (*pause*). **For all these things, we pray,**

