

Intercessions
Easter—March 30 and 31, 2024

Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum.

- For the whole church: that we may witness to the full meaning of life in all its complexities. *We pray,*
- For those who have given up on life--who live in deep poverty or debilitating illness, in hopeless injustice, or in the midst of violence and death—wherever they are. *We pray,*
- For those who hold out hope for the future, who see endless possibilities, share them and work toward them. *We pray,*
- For our country, as we struggle politically to articulate and support a particular vision for our future. *We pray,*
- For those who are clinging to life for whatever reason, who have little time left, who need our loving support on the journey into new life. *We pray,*
- For this community--especially those who most need the message of Easter; and for our efforts to carry hope to others through our parish ministries in this sacred corner of the city and beyond. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns, and for the grace to live each day remembering that death does not have the last word (*pause*). *For all these things, let us pray to the Lord.*