

**Intercessions**  
**Ascension—May 12, 2024**

**Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum.**

- For the whole church: that we may be willing to complete Jesus' work of healing our broken world. *We pray,*
- For those called to live the Gospel in challenging situations without the support of others. *We pray,*
- For those imbedded in the accelerating Israeli-Palestinian crisis; for those attempting to negotiate resolution; and for those struggling with the challenges of protest. *We pray,*
- For all mothers and stepmothers, grandmothers and godmothers; for all women who have helped to shape who we are; and for all women who--in any way--care for others. *We pray,*
- For those for whom Mothers' Day is difficult: those who have lost children or their own mothers—especially in war; and for those whose mothers caused them pain. *We pray,*
- For all in this community—both here and absent—who are in any kind of need; and for the growth of our parish ministries to continue Jesus' healing, redemptive work wherever it is most needed. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns, and for the vision, courage and will to respond to whatever task is ours (*pause*).  
*For all these things, let us pray to the Lord.*