

Sanctity of Life Prayers of the Faithful

- For parents and grandparents who have lost a child through abortion, that God will console them in their grief and lead them to forgiveness and healing. We pray to the Lord.
- That our faith awakens in us a renewed sense of awe and gratitude for the gift of human life, and a renewed determination to protect all lives from conception to natural death. Let us pray to the Lord.
- For those in the twilight of their lives, that their families and caregivers cherish them and care for them with tender compassion, rejecting the path to assisted dying. Let us pray to the Lord.
- Help us to realize the sacredness of human life and to respect it from the moment of conception until the last moment at death. We pray to the Lord.
- Give us courage to speak with truth and love and with conviction in defence of life. Help us to extend the gentle hand of mercy and forgiveness to those who do not reverence your gift of life. We pray to the Lord.
- That we receive pardon for the times we have failed to be grateful for your precious gift of life or to respect it in others. We pray to the Lord.