

VOCATION SUNDAY

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

1. On this day of prayer for vocations we are reminded by St. John that we are God's children. Aware that we are called and chosen, we ask you, Lord, to reveal in each person your plan and purpose in their lives, so that each person may realize their true potential in life.

Lord, hear us

2. Lord, we pray for vocations to the priesthood, may we be supportive in fostering a culture of vocation within family and parish life. Give courage and strength to those who may be considering priesthood as a way of life, hearing your voice deep within may they respond generously.

Lord, hear us

3. Lord, we pray for those students presently in formation for the priesthood in Maynooth. We pray especially for our own students; Kevin, Bennett, Michael and Séan. May they be sustained by our prayerful support as they continue to explore their call to priesthood.

Lord, hear us

4. Lord, we pray for those who have responded to God's call through marriage, single life or religious life. Give them true contentment and by their example and witness to God's presence in their lives may they be truly messengers of Gospel, joy and hope.

Lord, hear us

5. Lord, we pray for young people, amid the many voices and messages that seek their attention. May they hear the voice of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who promises a life enhancing message based upon Gospel values.

Lord, hear us