Intercessions – 13th/14th June 2026 – Year A

Priest: Loving Lord, today we hear your call to your disciples to heal, to raise and to cleanse. Help us follow their lead, help us to help others in your name. Hear our prayers we bring before you.

Reader: To the prayer: Lord hear us…Our Response is**: Lord, graciously hear us!**

We pray for Pope Leo as he reminds us, we cannot believe in Jesus and abandon those who suffer, who weep, who flee from poverty. Help us to be mindful disciples, helping those most in need.

PAUSE

Lord hear us…**Lord, graciously hear us!**

We warmly welcome **Benjamin Fernando** into our Parish Family through the Sacrament of Baptism. We offer prayers for his family as they continue their Christian journeys rooted in faith, trust in Jesus Christ, and guidance from God's Word.

PAUSE

Lord hear us…**Lord, graciously hear us!**

We pray for those affected by the current unrest in Northern Ireland. We pray that communities will come together to spread peace not fear, to create understanding as opposed to division. We also pray for peace in our troubled world. We remember those caught up in the ongoing conflicts in Ukraine and the Middle East. We particularly pray for those that have been forced to relocate and rebuild their lives.

PAUSE

Lord hear us…**Lord, graciously hear us!**

We pray for those that feel lost, forgotten, abandoned. May the Holy Spirit embrace and enfold them in divine love. May they discover a new route, find new meaning and purpose in life. We also pray for those that are struggling in an area of their lives, that are searching for guidance and reassurance. May the Holy Spirit provide help them with clarity so they can move forward positively and with hope.

PAUSE

Lord hear us…**Lord, graciously hear us!**

We pray for all those going through illness, pain and discomfort. May they have hope and reassurance for better days ahead.

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Lord hear us…**Lord, graciously hear us!**

We pray for all our deceased parishioners and those who have their anniversaries this week. We pray especially for **Alberto MARCANTONIO** whose funeral is on Monday the 15th at 10 O'clock Mass.

Eternal rest, give unto them, O Lord…**Let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace**

We pray with Mary, the humble servant of the Lord; **Hail Mary...**

Silently we pray for our own intentions, those contained in our Parish Book of Intercessions and those of the Parish of **Our Lady of the Assumption, Bethnal Green.**

A Parish Prayer for Peace 2026 Lord, send us the gift of peace. Change the hearts of those who choose violence and wage war. Turn them away from persecution and lead them towards peace. Transform hatred into understanding, anger into compassion, and fear into hope. Through your love, heal what is broken. Fill us with your Spirit, so that with one voice, we may cry out together, throughout the world: Lord, send us the gift of peace. Amen.

Priest: Heavenly Father, you are our shepherd, guide us on our journey through life. Help us carve out special, meaningful time with you. Amen.