

1. We pray for the keepers and teachers of wisdom, that they will shed the light of truth for all who seek it. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
2. We pray for the human family, that our shared hopes for a healthier world this year will be realised. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
3. We pray for all the delegates preparing for this year's Plenary Council, that they will be attentive to the heartfelt hopes voices in the initial consultations. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
4. We pray for the people of the Pacific, that the twin threats of rising sea levels and regional power struggles will be averted by co-operative international action. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
5. We pray for those away on summer holidays, that they will enjoy a refreshing break and return home safe and well. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
6. We pray for the recently deceased . . . . and for those whose anniversary of death occurs around this time, that the mystery of God's eternal love will be fully revealed to them. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.