- 1. We pray for Pope Francis and all who teach in the name of Jesus, that they will speak with wisdom, joy and the assurance of faith. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
- 2. We pray for health workers wherever the COVID pandemic remains unchecked, that they will not be overwhelmed by the demands and suffering they face. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
- We pray for the growing multitude of displaced people around the world, that their pleas for shelter, safety and support will not be ignored. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
- 4. We pray for married couples, that the love that drew them together will grow stronger through the joys and struggles of daily life. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.
- 5. We pray for all who suffer from serious mental illness, that they be led by wise guides towards peace of mind and heart. (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 they be welcomed into the company of the saints. (Pause for silent prayer) Lord, hear us.