

## **PRESIDER**

Dear friends, today Jesus is revealed in glory as God's Beloved Son. With new faith in God's saving love, let us pray for our sisters and brothers around the world.

## **READER**

We pray for our parish and all faith communities, that today's celebration of the Transfiguration will reassure us and renew our aspirations in the midst of personal and communal challenges. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

We pray for all participants in World Youth Day, that they will be inspired by their vision of Christ to become missionary disciples in their local church. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

We pray for world peace, that today's remembrance of the nuclear holocaust at Hiroshima will summon all nations to free the world of nuclear arms. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

We pray for the Australian church, that Tuesday's celebration of the feast of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop week will encourage all the baptised to care for the poor with her tireless compassion. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

We pray for manufacturers and consumers in affluent economies, that they will work together to drastically reduce the plastic waste that is choking the environment. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

We pray for the recently deceased . . . and for those whose anniversary of death occurs around this time, that they will see God face to face and be made ever new. (Pause) Let us pray to the Lord.

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Holy God and Father of Jesus, you showed your splendour to us in your Beloved Son. Help us listen to him. We ask this through Christ our Lord.