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DIOCESAN SYNOD MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS

Trusting in the movement of the Holy Spirit in our Church today, we seek the prayers of all God's people in the Diocese of Parramatta to join together, entrusting the work of this Synodal journey to our loving God. Belief in the power of prayer is the greatest gift we can all bring to this process; with prayer and discernment we will be able to see clearly the new thing that God is doing.

May - We pray for engagement in our Deanery Listening Consultations.

June - We pray for engagement in our Parish Listening Consultations.

July - We pray for engagement in our School Listening Consultations.

August - We pray for those who are developing the Synod Working Document.

September - We pray for the Members chosen to attend the Diocesan Synod.

October - We pray for the Diocesan Synod, 12th-15th of this month.



November - We pray for Bishop Vincent in this time of Reflection and Discernment.

December - We pray for our Diocesan writing teams in this time of Reflection and Discernment.

January - We pray for openness of heart as we launch the Decrees and Declarations.

February - We pray for our Pastoral Leaders as they develop the Implementation Strategy.

March - We pray for our Faith Communities as we prepare our people for Action.

April - We pray for All the People of God to be ready to embrace the Diocesan Action Plan.

May - We pray for our continuing Synodal Journey in the Diocese of Parramatta.

PRAYER FOR OUR DIOCESAN SYNOD

O God, who always walks with us
on the journey of life, we call upon you
to lead us forth united.

Bless and guide our Diocesan Synod.

Keep us anchored in your love.
Open our hearts as we listen and discern.
Reveal to us the way we are called
to go out into the deep.
Give us the courage to pursue
the mission with bold humility.

May we experience renewal in our local Church today,
and for generations to come.

We ask this prayer through Jesus Christ,
who in the power of the Holy Spirit continues to guide your Church,
to the fullness of your Kingdom now, and forever.

Amen

Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.
St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, pray for us.

