

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, C

Priest Celebrant

Take refuge in the God and Father,
who, from our youth, has taught us to hope and to trust:

Deacon/Cantor/Reader

For our Pope, his brother bishops, priests, and deacons,
as they preach Jesus' own faith, hope, and love,
let us pray to the Lord:

For generous response to the Holy Spirit's call to
single life, matrimony, ordination, religious profession,
let us pray to the Lord:

For parents, the first teachers in the Way of Jesus;
for our teachers of Christian doctrine who assist them,
let us pray to the Lord:

For our schools, principals, teachers, and staffs;
for Catholic education at every level,
let us pray to the Lord:

For the safety of human life at every stage;
for leaders who promote the material and spiritual good of their peoples,
let us pray to the Lord:

For civilians and the armed forces in Iraq and Afghanistan;
for lasting peace in the Holy Land, Iran, Sudan, Darfur,
and every agonized land,
let us pray to the Lord:

For [, and all]
our sick,
let us pray to the Lord:

For [,]
the war dead, and everyone who has died this past week,
let us pray to the Lord:

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Teach us, Father, to declare your justice
and to proclaim your wondrous deeds
through Christ our Lord.