

Lenten Immigration Prayer for Marianists

Jesus, Our Christ, during this season of Lent, you call us Marianists to experience the transfigured explosion of God's goodness through our prayer, almsgiving and fasting. Out of our depths we pray for a just resolution to the immigration conflict in our country.

Help our government leaders hear the voice of the Holy Spirit to discern and act with wisdom and courage in following their own consciences.

Help them to put aside pressures that prevent prudent judgment and action for immigration justice. Help us Marianists in the spirit of our charism of being the sons and daughters of Mary to support care for immigrants so that they may be welcomed and treated with kindness and justice as Mary, a mother, would.

Help our citizens to search their hearts and act toward immigrants in a loving way.

Help our communities promote an attitude of dialogue and kindness so that immigrants in our areas are treated with respect and dignity.

Help us to experience the goodness operating in all of us to create communities with a unified heart.

O Lord Jesus, from the depths of our hearts we pray.

