

# Prayers for August 2025

## Pope's Prayer for Mutual Coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

### Prayer for Peaceful Coexistence

Holy Father, we humbly seek Your guidance in fostering peaceful coexistence among all people. May Your love unite our hearts, dispel hatred, and bridge divides.

Grant us the wisdom to embrace our differences and the strength to build a harmonious world. Let compassion and understanding flourish in our communities, reflecting Your divine peace. In Your holy name, we pray.

Amen.





### THE FEAST OF THE TRANFIGURATION PRAYER

O Christ, upon the mountaintop you let the light of your face shine over Moses and Elijah. We ask your blessing upon your people who call on your name, who want to belong to the kingdom of light and life. Amen.

Painting by Lorenzo Lotto (c.1511)

## Transfiguration of Our Lord – August 6





**PRAYER FOR THE ASSUMPTION  
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

Father in Heaven,  
all creation rightly gives you praise,  
for all life and all holiness come from you.  
In the plan of your wisdom Mary was the  
Mother of your Son, Jesus.  
You have taken up her body and soul  
into heavenly glory.  
May we follow her example in reflecting your holiness  
and join in her hymn of endless love and praise.  
We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

## Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15



**22 August**

**The Queenship of Our Lady**

Memorial

Pope Pius XII instituted this Feast in 1954, to conclude what was then the Octave of the Assumption. We remember that the Blessed Virgin Mary reigns in Heaven, together with her Son; she reigns not because she is equal to God, but because she is the mother of Christ the King. All her privileges come from her Motherhood of God and the unique role she played in our redemption.



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