## APRIL 21, 2024 61ST ANNUAL WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction: "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest" (Mt 9:37-38).



Bountiful Father, your Son Jesus, urged us to pray for laborers for your harvest.
We pray for an abundance of priests and consecrated men and women to care for the needs of your Church. Through the intercession of Our Lady, Queen of Apostles, pour out your Holy Spirit upon our families.
May we encourage each person to discern and follow the vocation to which you have called them. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen