

# Celebrating National Catholic Sisters Week

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# #PrayItForward #NCSW

#### **Care of Earth**

For Earth, our common home, we pray. Let us protect all creation.

100 million people could die by 2030 from climate change. Crops are withering. Water is dirty. Species face extinction. Do your part. Value and protect our common home.

### **Human Trafficking**

For those who lose their freedom to human trafficking, we pray. Let us stop exploitation.

3,287 people mostly children are sold into slavery everyday everywhere. Pray for their freedom. Pray for their healing.

#### **Immigration**

For immigrants in search of better, safer lives, we pray. Let us welcome all.

50 million people seek safety.
They are fleeing violence, hunger, lives of desperation.
Pray for their safety.
Pray for the wisdom to welcome all.

#### Peace/Nonviolence

For all who face violence, we pray. Let us find peace.

Violence kills
1.6 million people
every year.
Mothers
Children
Fathers
Pray for peace
in our hearts.
In all hearts.

# **Forgiveness**

For all who struggle with forgiveness, we pray. Let us know healing.

Forgiveness:
It decreases stress
It brings peace
It liberates the soul
It is divine.
Forgive and you will be forgiven.

## Love/Compassion:

For the sick, hungry, and homeless, we pray. Let us share what we have.

Every night in the U.S. 578,424 people experience homelessness. Of those 216,197 people are families. When you can, share what you have.