



COLLEGIAL ASSEMBLY 2023 PRAYER

God of Faithfulness,
you watch over your people in all times and circumstances.
We thank you for calling us each day to live our charism and
to be co-creators of life on our planet.
May the Spirit guide us
through this year of the Collegial Assembly.
This is a graced moment in Holy Union
as we face the challenges before us
in this beautiful, fragile world
that longs for wholeness and peace.

Empower us
to choose life
for ourselves, others, and all of creation.

Grace us
with vision to see beyond the obvious,
to recognize your presence in all that is unfolding.

Stretch us
to feel humanity's joys, hopes, and pain.

Open us
to respond with understanding and compassion.

Impel us
to engage anew with passion for Mission.

God of Surprises,
Stir the waters of transformation within us
as we embrace the future with hope.
Be with us on this journey
as together we celebrate the joy of Incarnation. Amen.