“Take the same of the Society…”

“...The foundation of Mary Ward had a double aim: it was to be a community of women devoted to the apostolate, according to the spirit and constitutions of St. Ignatius; and by this means to influence women in the world and help them to realize in their lives the ideal of their Catholic Faith. This was something new in the religious life, and in the freedom so far allowed to women.”

(Fr Joseph Grisar SJ: Mary Ward and her ways to a new vision for women)

Suggested Readings:
Lu 9: 13;   Jn 6: 51;1 Cor 11: 26

“I know that your goodness and love will be with me all my life” Ps 22:6

We pray for the Church and the world:
- for the intentions of the Holy Father
- for all the Leaders of the world and the Church, that they strive for peace, justice and prosperity for all.
- for the youth of the world, that they may walk in the Light of Christ
- for all those afflicted by climate change

We pray for and with the Congregatio Jesu:
- for the intentions of our General Superior
- for Mary Ward’s spirit of generosity and fidelity in mission as women in the Church:
- for all the delegates to the General Congregation
- that the process of Mary Ward’s beatification may proceed favourably
- for the members of the House of Prayer
- that the season of Lent and Easter may bring fresh blessings to all people
- for Sr Maria Mercy as she takes up her new mission as Regional Superior of Zimbabwe in mid April
- as we move towards the General Congregation we pray specially for the Provinces of:
  Chile and Delhi in March
  England and Italy in April

“JESUS SAY AMEN”