**The Prayers of the People**

*Intercessor*

Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

*People*

**That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

We pray for all bishops: especially, Justin, Michael, Wayne, and Onesphore;

for our clergy: Marvin, Paul, and Sue,

for our staff, wardens, and Vestry;

for the people of Mediba Parish, and Francis and Sylvester;

and for the Episcopal City Mission, chaplains, staff and Beth, their Director,

**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for Donald, our President;

and Michael our Governor;

and all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do you will in all that we undertake;

**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

We pray for those who are ill *(please allow 20-seconds of silence)*. We pray for all young people in detention. Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died *(please allow 10-seconds of silence)*.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

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We praise you for blessed Mary, blessed Martha, blessed William, blessed Joseph, and all your saints who have entered into joy;

**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours,

especially those observing birthdays this week:

Mimi Butler, Collin McCay, Peter Wangler, Elin Boll, Pat Batty, Gina Perna,

Tina Heuer, Peggy Boyd, Laurel Dunworth, Jack Jones, William Pooley, and

Ken Warhover;

and those celebrating anniversaries:

Phyllis & Willie Knight, Kim & Pat Dressel, and Susie & Lance Kramer;

and grant that we and they may serve Christ, and love one another as he loves us.

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*