

Prayers of the Faithful

3rd Sunday of Easter – April 18-19

The Presider begins the intro of the Prayers of the Faithful / Deacon will recite prayers.

1. For the Universal Church: that our eyes and hearts may recognize Christ in the words of the Scriptures, in the bread of the Eucharist, and in the people of the Body of Christ, **we pray to the Lord.**
2. For all who feel distant from the presence of God: that they may encounter him anew through the witness of the Church, **we pray to the Lord.**
3. For those persecuted for their faith: that they will not lose their confidence in the promises of Christ, **we pray to the Lord.**
4. For those recently baptized and confirmed: that they may zealously give witness to the risen, **we pray to the Lord.**
5. For all those whose decisions shape the lives of others: that all in authority may act with courage, make decisions with wisdom, and always strive to serve the common good, **we pray to the Lord.**
6. For **Madison Thieman**, who will be baptized this weekend: that God may bless her, her family and godparents, **we pray to the Lord.**
7. For all who need healing, especially those on our prayer list, and for all the faithfully departed, especially **Angelo Mannino**, that they may rest in the loving arms of Jesus, **we pray to the Lord.**

5:00 pm / For the repose of the soul of **Pat Wright**, for whom we offer this mass, **we pray to the lord.**

8:30 am / For the intentions of the **Parishioners and Benefactors of Holy Spirit Parish**, for whom we offer this mass, **we pray to the Lord.**

10:30 am / For the intentions of **Fr. Mark Famuliner**, for whom we offer this mass, **we pray to the lord.**

8. Let us now pause to reflect on our own intentions that we hold in the silence of our hearts, (*pause*): **we pray to the Lord.**