

Prayer of the Faithful



Celebrant: ... *We place our confidence in the generosity of God the Father who gave us his Son in the Eucharist as food for our journey; we bring before him our needs.*

Reader: ... *We ask that a living and active faith in the mystery of the Eucharist may be renewed throughout the Church: may we learn, through sharing the Mass, our mission of being food and drink for others. . . Lord, hear us.*

Rd. ... *We remember all those who serve at the altar of the Eucharist: may they be blessed by their service, and may those whom God calls into sacramental ministry find the support and love they need. . . . Lord, hear us.*

Rd. ... *Today we pray for fathers. May they be blessed with good health, solicitude and gentleness: and we pray for our fathers who have died: may they have eternal rest. . . . Lord, hear us.*

Rd. ... *We ask God to enfold our faithful departed in eternal peace, especially for Violet Felton, Minnie Rhule, Mary Janet, Jude Ozor and Dave Olladay. . . . Lord, hear us.*

Celebrant: ... *Heavenly Father, make us truly grateful for the gift of the Eucharist, which gives hope and meaning to our lives. As we offer these prayers along with our Eucharistic offering send your Spirit ever more deeply into the areas of our concern. We make our prayer through Christ our Lord.*