

## Prayers of the Faithful – Feast of the Holy Family Year B

27<sup>th</sup> December 2020

- We pray for the Church – may God deepen our faith and help us to live in trusting reliance upon Him and His plan for us.

**Lord hear us**

- We pray for families everywhere – may they model their lives on the Holy Family and create a loving, nurturing environment where each member of the family can flourish.

**Lord hear us**

- We pray for a deepening of prayer – may the Spirit guide our families to pray together and help us to listen to God's response in the quiet of our hearts and in the experiences of each day.

**Lord hear us**

- We pray for all who are struggling during the pandemic especially those who have lost loved ones – may Jesus, Mary & Joseph bring comfort to them and ease their burden. We also pray to God to guide and protect all who are working to care for the afflicted and are seeking new treatments and vaccines.

**Lord hear us**

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- We pray for our sick, especially:-

Isobel Gardner, John Leslie, Kasia Donnelly, and Clare Mcilquham

**May they experience the healing touch of our Lord.**

**Lord hear us**

- We pray for our beloved dead and all who have gone before us, especially:- Lina Feniuk, Sr Winifred Acred, Patrick Hughes & Anne Boyle

**We also remember the anniversaries of James Ross, Teresa Dunn, George Cullen & Kathleen Mangan that occur at this time.**

**May they take their place at the heavenly banquet prepared for them by the Lord.**

**Lord hear us**