

Prayers of the Faithful – 3rd Sunday of Easter Year B

18th April 2021

- **We pray for the Church – may the Spirit open our minds to understand the Scriptures and help us to share the message of God’s love and forgiveness with all who we encounter.**

Lord hear us

- **We pray for the grace of forgiveness – may we be open to God’s free and generous forgiveness and strive to forgive others as we have been forgiven.**

Lord hear us

- **We pray for the gift of faith – may we rely totally on God in every aspect of our lives and grow in confidence that God will never abandon us.**

Lord hear us

- **We pray for all who are broken and wounded – may they find healing in Christ and may God help us recognise our brothers and sisters through the wounded Christ.**

Lord hear us

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- **We pray for our sick, especially:-**

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Isobel Gardner, John Leslie, Kasia Donnelly and Nan McLaughlin

May the Holy Spirit bring them peace and comfort and restore them to health.

Lord hear us

- **We pray for our beloved dead and all who have gone before us, especially:-
Michael McCoy**

We also remember the anniversaries of Antonio Loia and the month’s minds of Richard Ewen & Moira Stewart that occur at this time.

May they be touched by Christ and be one with Him for all eternity.

Lord hear us