

## Prayers of the Faithful – 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

20<sup>th</sup> February 2022

- **We pray for the Church – may we be instruments of God’s mercy and compassion through sharing the forgiveness that we have received from Him with all who have wronged or hurt us.**

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]

- **We pray for forgiveness and healing in the Church – may God heal the wounds that have weakened the Body of Christ and renew our spirits to further the saving mission and message of Jesus.**

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]

- **We pray for a spirit of freedom and generosity – may we share our resources generously with those who are in need or lacking life’s necessities as God has freely shared His gifts with us.**

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]

- **We pray for all who suffer especially as a result of war and conflict – may God free those unjustly held, bring justice to the oppressed and peace across the earth, especially in Ukraine.**

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]

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

Isobel Gardner, Kasia Donnelly, Canon William Dunnachie, Theresa Mooney, Luke Tennent, Nan McLaughlin and John Dobbin Senior and Junior.

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

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]

- **We pray for our beloved dead and all who have gone before us, especially:- Peter Kerr & Maria Lopez**

**We also remember the anniversaries of Danny Leitch, John Milloy, Cathie & Peter Lynch, Kate Sagar, Eddie McGhee, Frances Williams & Alex Duddy that occur at this time. May they take their place at the eternal banquet prepared for them by the Lord.**

**Lord in your mercy**

[Hear our prayer]