

## Prayers of the Faithful – 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

8<sup>th</sup> August 2022

- We pray for the Church – may God renew and deepen our faith so that we may be confident that He is always present and accompanies us along each step of our journey.

**Lord in your mercy**

- We pray for all who have lost faith or struggle with doubts – may the Spirit of God renew rekindle the flame of faith in them so that they come to a new relationship with our Saviour.

**Lord in your mercy**

- We pray for all whose faith is tested, particularly those being persecuted for their beliefs - may they rely with conviction on God for strength, courage and perseverance.

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- We pray for an end to the war in Ukraine and for peace across the world – may the Prince of Peace change hearts and minds to bring an end to conflict and violence and protect the innocent.

**Lord in your mercy**

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- We pray for all our sick, especially:-

Isobel Gardner, Theresa Mooney, Nan McLaughlin, John Dobbin Senior and Junior, Brian Matheson, Tommy Hendry and Tony Spiteri.

**May their faith bring them comfort, hope and healing.**

**Lord in your mercy**

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

Kasia Donnelly, Thomas Gold, Ann McColgan, John Hughes, Jim Boyle, Jean McRorie, John Meehan & Carlo di Nardo,

**We also remember the anniversary of Bill Paterson that occurs at this time.**

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

**Lord in your mercy**