

Prayers of the Faithful – Solemnity of the Assumption

Celebrant: Father in Heaven, as we commemorate the Assumption of the Glorious Virgin Mary, we ask Her to join Her prayers to ours:

- ☐ We pray for the Church – may we be instruments of God’s mercy, guides for all who seek His loving grace and companions to those developing their relationship with Him.

Lord in your mercy

- ☐ We pray for all people, that we will follow the example of the Virgin Mary in being faithful witnesses for Christ and to say ‘yes’ to God’s Divine plan.

Lord in your mercy

- ☐ We pray for all our children and young people on their return to school – may the Lord keep them safe and may they use their time wisely to learn and develop their talents for the benefit of the wider human family.

Lord in your mercy

- ☐ We pray for refugees and immigrants, particularly those fleeing violence and conflict – may the Lord ease their suffering, guide them to places of safety, and stir the hearts of all to assist them in any way they can.

Lord in your mercy

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

Theresa Mooney, John Dobbin, Anne McClure, Jean McCapra, Faith Lindsay, Wendy Leonard, Kitty Finlay, John Freeland, Joseph Robb and Raymond Cameron.

May God’s healing love strengthen them, ease their pain and bring them respite and peace.

Lord in your mercy

- ☐ We pray for our beloved dead and all who have gone before us especially:- Margaret Lindsay; Anne Swan; Gerard Coyne and Elizabeth-Anne McPhelim who have died recently.

We also remember the anniversaries of William & Ann Ferguson that occur at this time.

May the light of Christ shine on them for all eternity.

Lord in your mercy

Celebrant: Holy Father,

With thank You for the gift of Mary to be our Heavenly Mother; protector and intercessor. May we always ask for Her help.

We make all our prayers through Christ our Lord. Amen.