Prayers of the Faithful
The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Year A

Celebrant: Father, as we honour Your Divine Son as universal King, hear the prayers that we offer:

- We pray for the Church – may we learn the ways of the Good Shepherd and recognise Christ in one another, spreading His love to all.

  Lord in your mercy

- We pray for all our young people who will receive the sacrament of confirmation this coming week – may they grow closer to Jesus through this sacrament and may the Spirit bless them with His abundant gifts.

  Lord in your mercy

- We pray for an appreciation of creation – may we show gratitude for the beauty of creation and strive to preserve God's handiwork for the good of all the human family.

  Lord in your mercy

- We pray for all who suffer especially those who live in the shadow of war – may we see Christ in every person especially refugees, those who hunger, the homeless and the lonely and help them in any way we 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, Raymond Cameron, Agnes Patterson and Tommy Larkin(Jnr)

  May the Lord ease their suffering and bring them peace.

  Lord in your mercy

- In this month of the Holy Souls, we pray for all our beloved dead, especially:-
  Joseph Gorman; Bishop Peter Moran and Bob Winslow who died recently.

  We also remember the anniversary of Frank Meehan that occurs at this time.

  May they experience the fullness of life in Christ and live in God's presence forever.

  Lord in your mercy

Celebrant: Loving Father,
May we follow the example of the merciful Jesus and bring the message of Your Kingdom to all people. May we show His mercy to all.
We make all our prayers through Christ our Lord. Amen.