## Prayers of the Faithful FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 7, 2023

## **PRIEST:**

As people united in faith, let us join our hearts and offer these prayers to our Lord.

Our response is: Hear us, O Lord.

- For all deacons, as those ordained to serve, may God empower them in revealing the light of Christ, we pray....
- 2) For public officials, may God give them clarity to lead with mercy and justice, we pray....
- 3) For our faith community, may Jesus draw us together in unity as a holy people, glorifying God the Father, we pray....
- 4) For all the young people who have received their First Communion this weekend, may they love Jesus with all their hearts and forever live faithfully, we pray....
- 5) For all who have need of healing in their lives, including those who have experienced abuse, may they be experience Christ's profound love for them and God's healing grace, we pray...

6) For those who have died in faith, including

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SATURDAY, 6 <sup>th</sup>	
4:30pm WL	+Daniel Sunday,
	+Randy Warren
SUNDAY, 7 <sup>th</sup>	
8:00am WL	+Bill Corley,
10:00am WL	+Jordan Fikes,
	+Helen Marcik,
	+Jessie McGonigal
11:30am OM	+Bill Corley
12:15pm WL	+ Mrs. Varneld Paul

... may Jesus lead them to the place he has prepared, as they rejoice with the saints forever, we pray....

Please add your own intentions... Pause... for these and for all the intentions we hold in the silence of our hearts ... we pray.

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Heavenly Father, you call us to be your own people. Please hear our prayers and answer them in your wisdom. We ask through Jesus Christ, your Son. AMEN

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