

Prayers of the People
The Third Sunday after Epiphany
Year B
January 22, 2012

As God is moved by the sincerity of our repentance, so too is God pleased by the faithfulness of our prayers. Let us offer our prayers to God, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

For the grace to listen to God's call; that we may lay aside the things of this world and follow God, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For the holy zeal to proclaim the gospel in this place and to the whole world, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For this nation and all nations of the world and their leaders, that God may grant them wisdom, compassion and faithfulness in the commission of their duties, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For the church and for the ministries of musicians and artists, scholars and writers, pastors and teachers that their work may enrich our common life and offer us a glimpse of the life to come, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who are sick, for those who mourn, for those who rejoice, and for all those listed on our Parish Prayer List, that as you have reached out to us in love, we may be so inspired to be present to those we have named before you, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all members of the Armed Forces, here, deployed overseas, on the seas, in the seas, and in the skies, and remembering especially those in harm's way, George Dutile, Micah Williams, Christopher Brown, Tom Hernandez, Jonathan Wendt, Jedidiah Crews, Joshua Tyler Farmer, Virginia Hudgins and Randy Groves, that God will protect and defend them day-by-day, strengthen them in their trials, and comfort them in the night, let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For those who have died, that they will enjoy eternal life in your presence and that we will one day be reunited in heavenly joy and eternal prosperity, let us pray to the Lord:
Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant concludes with a proper collect.