

Prayers of the People  
The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany  
Year B  
January 29, 2012

As the people gathered in Capernaum to hear Jesus' words, so too have we come together to hear God's word. Let us boldly offer our prayers to God, saying : Lord, hear our prayer.

For the world in which we live and to which we are called, let us pray to the Lord:

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the nations of the world, and for world peace, let us pray to the Lord:

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the church of Christ, zealous in mission, compassionate in service, let us pray to the Lord:

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For this congregation and for our hearing the word, let us pray to the Lord:

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all who labor in the world and in the church, let us pray to the Lord:

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For those who are sick, especially those listed on our Parish Prayer List, and for those who care for them, 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, Christopher Brown, 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 in the knowledge and love of God, and for those whose hearts are known to God alone, let us pray to the Lord:  
**Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Celebrant concludes with a proper collect.*