

Prayer of the Faithful
January 1, 2022
Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Presider: Knowing that our God always desires to bless us and keep us, we offer our petitionary prayers.

Lector:

For the church, may we, like Mary, treasure God's words and deeds drawing wisdom from them to help us to find all things new in Christ, we pray...

For leaders of all nations, may they dedicate this New Year to a more intensive search for justice and lasting peace, we pray...

For all peoples of the earth, may we dedicate ourselves in the New Year to caring more deeply for all of God's beautiful creation, we pray...

In the year ahead may the unemployed obtain meaningful work for a just wage, the homeless receive adequate shelter, refugees and immigrants receive our nation's welcome, and the poor, needy and marginalized find compassionate mercy and true justice, we pray...

For God's blessings on our St. Ignatius Parish Community, may we dedicate ourselves more fully in this new year to becoming a parishioner-driven synodal Church, providing time, talent or treasure to build up our parish family, we pray...

For the sick, among them those suffering from Covid 19 and those who have asked for our prayers, may they be comforted in knowing that God, our Emmanuel, is with them, we pray...

For all our beloved dead may they come safely to the peace of our heavenly home, we pray ...

Presider: God of Mercy and Compassion, look kindly on our prayers and answer them in this New Year according to what would be for your greater glory in Jesus's holy name who lives and reigns now and forever. Amen

