

Prayer of the Faithful
January 22 - 23, 2022
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Word of God Sunday

Presider: Having been enlightened by God's Word, let us bring our needs before the Author of all Truth.

Lector:

That this 3rd annual Word of God Sunday, may help to deepen our appreciation and understanding of Sacred Scripture through prayer, reflection, and study, we pray...

That as we come to the close of this year's Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, all Christians will allow the Word of God to penetrate their heart and mind to help unite them in Christ's love, we pray...

That political and religious leaders may be guided by the Scriptures to promote effective laws and compassionate policies that will foster unity, harmony, justice, and peace, we pray...

That the beatification this weekend of Jesuit Father Rutilio Grande and his two companions, martyred in El Salvador in 1977, may inspire us to care for the poor and those oppressed, we pray...

That our St. Ignatius parish community may be empowered through its sharing of word and sacrament to continue Jesus's work and thereby fulfill in our own time the words of Isaiah from which Jesus quotes, we pray...

That our catechumens and candidates may find deep consolation and inspiration from reading Sacred Scripture, we pray...

That those suffering from Covid19 and other illnesses, may be comforted by God's Word and healed of their infirmities, among them, The Vincent Family, we pray...

That our beloved dead, among them, Ann Marie Mahoney, Anthony Votta, Maria-Pia Carosella, Katherine Doherty, Peter Antonelli, Paul J. McNamara, Helen Perini Vega, William DeCastell, and Anne Marie Leary, may they experience the fullness of God's kingdom, we pray...

Presider: We thank you Almighty God for the many ways you inspire us to live the Gospel. May we always use our diverse gifts and talents to show forth the power of Your Word working among us and in our world through Christ our Lord. AMEN.