

Prayers of the Faithful  
Palm Sunday  
April 13 – 14, 2019

**Presider:** As we enter Holy Week, let us humbly turn to our God in prayer with our needs and petitions.

**Lector:**

For the body of Christ, the Church, may we sustain those who feel abandoned, among them refugees and immigrants, the lonely and downtrodden, those bullied and abused, may our grace filled-words and deeds give them courage, healing and hope, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

For all citizens of the world, may they come to know the need to care for one another and for our planet, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

For our St. Ignatius Parish community as we celebrate Holy Week may we empty ourselves as Christ Jesus did to serve one another, our parish community, our country and our world with charitable forgiveness and unselfish love, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

For those in our RCIA process who will receive full communion into the Church at our Easter Vigil celebration, may the sacraments help them to share ever more deeply the mind and heart of Christ, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

For persons with Autism and their families during this Autism Awareness month and for all in our community who have asked for our prayers, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

For our beloved dead, among them Vincent O'Reilly, Bogumila Pilat, Kathy Kelety, Susan Troy, Catherine & Francis Mannix, and Mary Mannix Slaughter, Diedra I. Kennedy, Kevin Martin, Karen & Boston Rinaldi, and Joseph Mulligan, Jr., may they share fully in the victory of Christ's exaltation, we pray...**Lord, hear our Prayer.**

**Presider:** Almighty God, may our Holy Week observances be filled with the reverent devotion that will help us to see you more clearly, love you more dearly, follow you more nearly through Christ our Lord.  
**AMEN.**