Prayers of the Faithful Fifth Sunday of Easter May 1 – 2, 2021

Presider: Believing in the name of Jesus, we confidently in faith and in hope present our prayers, needs and petitions.

Lector:

- For the people of God, the Church, may we together strive to love not simply in word or speech, but in deed and truth, we pray...Lord, hear our prayer.
- For those who were confirmed on Friday by Bishop Robert Reed and those children in our parish who have received or are awaiting First Holy Communion: may they glorify God by bearing much fruit throughout their lives, we pray...Lord, hear our prayer.
- For our St. Ignatius parish community: may our support of Project Bread's 53rd Walk for Hunger this Sunday help them to continue to find solutions that provide people of all ages and walks of life with sustainable, reliable access to nutritious food, we pray...Lord, hear our prayer.
- For all who are sick and all the many people in need of our prayers, may they always feel connected in love to Jesus, the true vine, especially in their pain and struggles, we pray...Lord, hear our prayer.
- For all of our beloved dead, among them Maureen Hopper, Sean Beggan, John Ciardullo, Margaret Scott, and Patrick O'Rourke may they now abide with God forever, we pray...Lord, hear our prayer.
- **Presider**: Loving God, hear these prayers and those in our hearts. We ask you to grant them in the name of Jesus, your son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. **AMEN**.