

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Bulletin

The Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 26, 2022

WE HOLD THE FOLLOWING COMMUNITIES, MINISTRIES, AND PEOPLE IN PRAYER. *During the Prayers of the People in our worship services we bring before God the needs of others and of ourselves. It is our privilege. It is our duty as followers of Jesus. We ask you to remember these requests before God through the week as well.*

WE PRAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD

FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for those who fear for tomorrow: may your Spirit of comfort draw near to them and those whom they love.

We pray for those with power over war and peace: instill them with godly wisdom, discernment, and compassion.

We pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear: hold and protect them.

Most of all we pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

All this we ask in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

FOR REFUGEES FROM WAR AND DANGER

Lord God, no one is a stranger to you, and no one is far from your loving care. In your kindness, watch over victims and refugees of war; those fleeing their homes and communities; and those separated from their loved ones. Be present with those who find themselves lost in chaos and confusion: grant them rescue, shelter, and answers. Have mercy upon your children and bring them back safely to the place where they long to be. Inspire us to show your kindness to strangers and to all in need. We ask this in the name of Christ who was a refugee from danger. Amen.

FOR OUR LEADERS

We pray for Joseph, our president. We pray for the leaders of the nations around the globe, and we pray for those in authority under them. Give them the gift of your wisdom, and a right discernment in all things.

WE PRAY FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

For all bishops and all ministers, remembering especially: Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Wayne our Provisional Bishop; Ken, Nedi, and Wendell our Assisting Bishops; and Thomas our Bishop-Retired.

In our Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Anglican Communion and especially this week for Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan.

In our Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Episcopal Church, and especially this week for the Diocese of Minnesota and its two cathedrals, the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour (in Faribault, also known as “First Cathedral”) and St. Mark’s Episcopal Cathedral (Minneapolis).

In our Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the parishes and ministries of our Diocese of Southern Ohio, and especially this week for:

St. Mary’s Church, Waynesville;

St. Anne’s Church, West Chester, Phyllis Spiegel, Rector;

St. Matthew’s Church, Westerville, Joseph Kovitch, Priest-in-charge;

Caracole House and those living with HIV and AIDS;

Marafiki Global AIDS Ministry and all who minister to AIDS orphans;
(Marafiki means “friends” in Swahili);

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, the chaplains,
volunteers, staff and patients;

Episcopal Healing Ministry;

for Hope Coalition Habitat for Humanity Project, a collection of
Cincinnati Episcopal Churches working together to build homes with
Habitat for Humanity.

In our Cycle of Prayer, we pray for our Cathedral congregation and especially this week for:

Vivian Morris;

K. John Morrow, Jr. and Julie Smith-Morrow;

William Mudd;

Mariah Mukasa;

Douglas and Donna Mullins;

Denis Murphy and Yvonne Schrotel-Murphy;

Jim Murray;

and George and Nandi Mutema.

We pray this week for all who have requested our prayers, and especially:

The Nauman Family;
Ray Wilder;
Charlin Briggs;
Chloe Ann and Cecil Harry;
Eddie Mae Lewis;
Stan Shirley;
Ron Turner;
Joseph Cessna;
Roxanne Bryant;
Sandy Crawford;
Harold Byers;
Ron Williams;
Ray Wilder;
and Joe Leist.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in God's eternal kingdom, especially:

Peter Briggs;
and Alden Nauman.

And on their anniversary of death, we remember:

Jessie Sexton;
Charles Harris, Sr.;
Charles O. Miller;
Vaughn E. Montgomery, Jr.;
and David R. Johnson.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
RITE I, 8am
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*Prayers of the people should be offered
STANDING AT THE LECTERN
just as you do for reading the lessons.*

The Deacon or other person appointed bids the prayers with:
Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Intercessor prays:

Almighty and ever-living God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all people: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church

with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord;
and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word and live in unity and godly love.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially: Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; the Anglican Communion throughout the world and especially this week for Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan.

We pray for The Episcopal Church, for Michael our Presiding Bishop, and especially this week we for pray the Diocese of Minnesota and its two cathedrals, the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour (in Faribault - also known as "First Cathedral"), and St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral (in Minneapolis).

We pray for the parishes and ministries of our Diocese of Southern Ohio: for Wayne our Provisional Bishop; for Ken, Nedi, and Wendell our Assisting Bishops; for Thomas our Bishop-Retired, and especially this week for:

St. Mary's Church, Waynesville;

St. Anne's Church, West Chester;

St. Matthew's Church, Westerville;

Caracole House; (*pronounced Care-a-cole*)

Marafiki Global AIDS Ministry; (Mar-a-FEE-kee)

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center;

Episcopal Healing Ministry;

For Hope Coalition Habitat for Humanity Project;

and for the clergy of this congregation,

that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy sacraments.

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Joseph our President, and Michael, Andrew, and Eric our respective governors, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all in danger in the region, and for refugees fleeing that war. Rouse in us prayers and actions for them, and for those around the world who are fleeing war and danger in their own lands.

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

We pray for our Cathedral congregation, especially those in our Cycle of Prayer this week:

Vivian Morris;
K. John Morrow, Jr. and Julie Smith-Morrow;
William Mudd;
Mariah Mukasa;
Douglas and Donna Mullins;
Denis Murphy and Yvonne Schrotel-Murphy;
Jim Murray;
and George and Nandi Mutema.

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor:

The Nauman Family;
Ray Wilder;
Charlin Briggs;
Chloe Ann and Cecil Harry;
Eddie Mae Lewis;
Ron Turner;
Joseph Cessna;
Roxanne Bryant;
Sandy Crawford;
Harold Byers;
Ron Williams;
Ray Wilder;
and Joe Leist.

and all those, who in this transitory life,
are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

[Additional petitions and thanksgivings may be included here.]

And we also bless thy holy name for all thy servants departed this life
in thy faith and fear, especially:

Peter Briggs;
and Alden Nauman.

And remember before you those on their anniversary of death:

Jessie Sexton;

Charles Harris, Sr.;

Charles O. Miller;

Vaughn E. Montgomery, Jr.;

and David R. Johnson.

beseeking thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service;
and grant us grace so to follow the good examples of all thy saints,
that with them, we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and
Advocate. **AMEN.**

Prayers of the People (Pride Month)

Rite II, 10 a.m.

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Let us come together into prayer.

Join in, all are welcome to join us as we pray.

Let us come together with our longings, our questions, and our fears.

We come with our dreams of a better day, dreams of dignity and safety for all!

We believe you made us who we are, for you made us in your image. In your image we are a beautiful community of identities, abilities, and gifts.

God's love has no exceptions.

We believe we are members of Christ's beautiful Body, and we celebrate this diversity, for we believe in your creative imagination.

God's love has no exceptions.

We are the Body of Christ.

God's love has no exceptions.

Nothing separates us from your love; no language, status, sexuality, identity, or the people we love.

God's love has no exceptions.

Holy God, we believe your love heals our wounded world, that suffering and poverty can end.

God, help us be your love in the world. Send us to those who suffer.

Holy God, we believe your love provides safety for all so they may live with integrity, that barriers can tumble down, and that all can live in peace.

God, help us be your love in the world. Send us out to change the world.

Holy God, we believe that as one Body, we share a heart with those who suffer violence, who live in fear, and who are cast out because of their sexuality or identity. We ache with them, for we believe you love without restraint.
God, help us be your love in the world. Send us into the world proclaiming your love to a broken world.

Holy God, we believe liberation from captivity was not only Moses leading slaves out of Egypt, nor only liberation from Babylon and returning the exiles to Jerusalem, but that through the power of Jesus' death and resurrection you are still pulling humanity out of darkness into the light.
God help us be your love in the world. Send us into the world to lead humanity to your light.

Holy God, we believe it is not too late for those who are filled with hate to learn to live in love. We believe your Spirit transforms hearts.
God help us to be your love in the world. Send us out with transformed hearts that we may have love for all as well.

And now we ask your continued blessings and grace upon our community, and especially those in our weekly cycle of prayer:

Vivian Morris;
K. John Morrow, Jr. and Julie Smith-Morrow;
William Mudd;
Mariah Mukasa;
Douglas and Donna Mullins;
Denis Murphy and Yvonne Schrotel-Murphy;
Jim Murray;
and George and Nandi Mutema.

We pray for those in our own community who have asked us for our prayers:

The Nauman Family;
Stan Shirley;
Ray Wilder;
Charlin Briggs;
Chloe Ann and Cecil Harry;
Eddie Mae Lewis;
Ron Turner;
Joseph Cessna;
Roxanne Bryant;

Sandy Crawford;
Harold Byers;
Ron Williams;
Ray Wilder;
and Joe Leist.

We pray for those who have passed into your Glory:
Peter Briggs;
and Alden Nauman.

And we remember those on the anniversary of their death:
Jessie Sexton;
Charles Harris, Sr.;
Charles O. Miller;
Vaughn E. Montgomery, Jr.;
and David R. Johnson.

Holy God remind us that we are not alone, that we share in the fellowship of all the saints, past, present and future.

God, help us to be your love in the world. Send us into the world to comfort those grieving their losses.

Collect: Holy God, we your Church are a collection of imperfect souls saved by your Grace. Build us into a community dedicated to you, and send us into the world as the life-changing, liberating Church you call us to be. All this we ask in the name of your Holy Trinity. Amen.