

Prayers of the Faithful  
Third Sunday of Easter

That the minds, hands and hearts of all people are open to the good works that they can do in service to each other...we pray to the Lord,

That national and local leaders foster peace through policies that benefit all ethnic and socioeconomic groups...we pray to the Lord,

That we in our parish community let go of the hurt others have caused us and forgive those people, that we may also be forgiven...we pray to the Lord,

That those struggling with guilt for their words or actions repent and seek forgiveness, trusting that God's mercy knows no limit. May all, offender and offended be made whole through love...we pray to the Lord,

That our Muslim sisters and brothers celebrating the season of Ramadan may draw closer to God through their practices of prayer, fasting and almsgiving . . . we pray to the Lord,

That the minds and bodies of the sick receive Christ's healing light, and that

8:30 – Donald Koener and  
all who have died, (pause) find peace in the kingdom of heaven...we pray to the Lord,

That the prayers in our Book of Intentions and those we hold in our hearts are answered through grace (pause)...we pray to the Lord,