Universal Prayer  
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 4 & 5

We pray in communion with the Church for the monthly intention of Pope Francis. That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

We pray for conversion in our world of those who do not believe in Christ. May the Holy Spirit awaken a desire to know God more fully and help them to discover newness of life through Christ.

We pray for all who are suffering; for those who lack food, shelter, healthcare or the support of family and friends. May God’s providence fulfill their needs so that their dignity will be restored.

We pray that the Holy Spirit’s gift of understanding will remain constant in our parish. That we will be freed from narrow thinking and take on the mind of Christ so that we may see and understand God’s vision for our community.

We pray that, through our generous giving of time and talent, the ministries of our parish may continue to grow and glorify God in our parish life, and in our outreach to those in need.

We pray that all the souls of the faithful departed will partake in the heavenly banquet, especially Shirley Ann Rodowsky, Grandmother of Heather Ertel

5:00 …and for Jim McKinney and Stephanie Riley Bill and Gerry Munie who are remembered in this Mass.

8:30 …and for Bill Waeltz and Jim Schoen who are remembered in this Mass.

10:30 …and for Rosalinda Mariles who is remembered in this Mass.