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We pray for Hannah Sabella & David Gruenewald (GROON-wald) who were married at St. Clare this weekend. May they and all married couples center their marriage on God, and radiate the love of Christ to those they encounter.

5:00 - We pray for all newly baptized Catholics: that they will grow in faith each day through the power of the Holy Spirit, and guidance by their godparents and family, especially John Pierre who we welcome into the Church today.

We pray that all the souls of the faithful departed will share in Christ’s victory over death…

5:00 …and for Gene and Rich Haukapp who are remembered in this Mass.

10:30 …and for Bette Awerkamp (first vowel rhymes with “hey” | W=V) – and Vernon Kombrink who are remembered in this Mass.
8:30 ONLY

We pray for Yoshi, Jordan, and Sam, whom we have welcomed today: that they may have the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit to persevere faithfully in the choice they have made.

We pray for all who believe in Christ and for the Communities to which they belong: that they may come to perfect unity as one Body of Christ.

We pray for the faith communities in which Yoshi, Jordan, and Sam were baptized and received their formation as Christians: that they may always grow in knowledge of Christ and proclaim him more effectively.

We pray for all in whom the spark of desire for God already burns and those who do not yet believe in Christ the Lord: that they may be led to the fullness of truth and enter the way of salvation by the light of the Holy Spirit.
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We pray that our country’s leaders will govern this nation so that every person is valued and given equal opportunity to live a dignified life. We pray to the Lord.

Synod - through a process of discernment, they discover their plan for life and realize it with joy, opening up to the encounter with God and with human beings, and actively participating in the edification of the Church and of society.

1. Rotating - Church
   1. Intention of the Holy Father - http://popesprayerusa.net/popes-intentions/
   2. Vocations to the Priesthood
      1. We pray that families and mentors will encourage young people to consider a vocation to the priesthood or religious life, and that parishioners Nick Fleming and Joel Seipp, currently in formation for the priesthood, will be strengthened by the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.
   3. Holy Father & Church Leaders
   4. Vocations to the Diaconate
      1. We pray for the Holy Spirit’s presence upon the men of our diocese discerning the vocation of deacon, especially parishioners Dan Kimutis and Len Ratajczyk. May God’s blessing and grace be with their families to enliven and encourage their prayer, and may these men draw us all into the justice of God’s Kingdom.
      2. We pray for your servants who seek to discern your will in their lives through the vocation of deacon. Help them respond with generous hearts to serve the needs of the Body of Christ. Give all of your people a sure and joyful sense of their vocations.
   5. RCIA

2. Rotating - Universal/Secular
   1. Military
      1. We pray for the brave men and women of our military who are currently deployed serving our country, for the service of our nation’s many veterans, and for an end to war and violence throughout the world.
      2. Those who do not know Christ
   4. Elected Officials

3. Current Events

4. Connect to Readings
Universal Prayer
6th Sunday of Easter
May 25 & 26

5. **Parish Life: liturgical ministries, social justice ministries, youth, staff, baptism (godparents),**

1. **Guatemala** - We pray that, through our relationship with our sister parish in Guatemala, both our parishes may continue to spread the joy of the gospel and be strengthened by each other's faith, prayers, perseverance, and generosity.

6. **Poor, unemployed**

   1. We pray that justice and dignity may flourish in the workplace, and that the poor, underemployed, and unemployed may be given fair treatment to provide for their families.

7. **Deceased & Mass Intentions**