We pray in communion with the Church for the monthly intention of Pope Francis: that families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly “schools of true human growth.”

We pray for a greater sense of the common good: that we may recognize that God’s gifts are for the benefit of the whole human family and never allow them to become idols that control us.

We pray for wisdom and inspiration for government leaders: that the Holy Spirit will give them insight into the true issues and the needed steps for change to promote the welfare of everyone.

We pray for all who bear the burden of poverty: that God will sustain them each day, open new opportunities for them to use their gifts, and open our hearts to be generous in their time of need.
Universal Prayer  
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 3 & 4

We pray for all families that are divided by inheritance and financial issues: that God will help them recognize the value and dignity of each other and guide them to a resolution of their conflicts.

We pray for our parish community: that, through our stewardship of time and talent, we will work together to sustain and further build the Kingdom of God in our community.

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

5:00 Bill Musser – Joe Burroughs – and Gerard Tonies who are remembered in this Mass

8:30 Jim Schoen – and Bill Waeltz who are remembered in this Mass