

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE - Form V

Intercessor- In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy"

For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the day of your coming, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For *Michael*. our Presiding Bishop, for *Kevin* our own Bishop, for all bishops and other ministers, and for all the holy people of God, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who fear God and believe in you, Lord Christ, that our divisions may cease, and that all may be one as you and the Father are one, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it may preach the Gospel to the ends of the earth, remembering St. James', Drifton in the Diocese of Bethlehem and Kajo Keji Christian College & St. James Wudu Parish in Kajo Keji- we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For those who do not yet believe, and for those who have lost their faith, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For this congregation, for those who are present, and for those who are absent, and for Gloria Remmel- In whose honor today's bulletins have been sponsored-that we may be delivered from hardness of heart and show forth your glory in all that we do, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have commended themselves to our prayers; for our families, friends, and neighbors; that being freed from anxiety, they may live in joy, peace, and health, especially- Cheryl, Monica, Don, Judith, Charlea, Shirley, Gloria, Anna, Carol, Fr. John, Alex, Clare, Frank, Steve, Mary, William, Grace, Fr. Bob, Tim, Nancy and Charlotte we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have died in the communion of your Church, remembering especially John J. Horvath, Sr. for in whose memory this month's communion cups have been memorialized-and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Rejoicing in the fellowship of the ever-blessed Virgin Mary, St. Mark, St. John and all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God. *To you, O Lord our God.*

Celebrant: O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen**