

Prayers of the Faithful
9 May 2021
“Mother’s Day” (6th Sunday of Easter)

[priest: spontaneous opening prayer]

For the mothers of our parish on this Mother’s Day weekend, in gratitude for all the love and for all the gifts of life they have bestowed on their families over the years, that they will forever receive divine blessings,
We pray to the Lord...

For all mothers in need, for the hungry and the homeless, for the uninsured and the unemployed, for the poor and powerless,
We pray to the Lord...

For all gathered here and for all Christians everywhere that we will be moved by the Holy Spirit to live active lives of justice, love, and peace,
We pray to the Lord...

For the thousands of children, families, and individuals served by Catholic Charities, that they will become empowered and enlightened to break the cycle of poverty and find hope, encouragement, and a new way of life,
We pray to the Lord...

For all the sick, for those mentioned in our Sunday bulletin, and especially for those who are mothers, that God grant them healing,
We pray to the Lord...

For those mothers who in the past year have lost a husband, son, or daughter, or other family member, because of gun violence, that God will grant them comfort and consolation through the love and caring of family and friends,
We pray to the Lord...

For all our mothers who have died, that they may have the joy of eternal life,
We pray to the Lord...

For those included in our Mother’s Day Novena, in memory of whom this Eucharist is celebrated,
We pray to the Lord...

[priest: spontaneous closing prayer]