

Prayers of the Faithful
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B
13th / 14th February, 2021

Fr Thomas: **The deep compassion of Jesus for the man with leprosy makes us confident in our prayer as we stand with him before the Father.**

Reader: We pray that this approaching season of Lent will make us, and our fellow Australian Catholics more sensitive to the sufferings of the world, especially through the support which we give to Project Compassion.

Lord hear us. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: We welcome Anastasia Simmons, Sofia Halliday, Bethany Pinto and Harlow McInnes into your family who are baptised this weekend. May we as a community support them and their families as they continue their journey of life and faith.

Lord hear us. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: We pray for our RCIA candidates Kathryn & Michelle, who are discerning their faith journey. May we as a community show them good examples of faith and love, and welcome them in our midst.

Lord, hear us. **Lord, hear our prayer**

Reader: We pray that scientists will be guided by the Spirit in their work to find ways of dealing with the variant strains of the coronavirus.

Lord, hear us. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: We pray for people who have lost hope, may the Lord bind their wounds and give them new heart.

Lord hear us. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: We pray for(&) all those who have died recently that they may know Your loving and redeeming embrace.

We remember too the anniversaries of
Joseph Edmunds, Joyce Howell Anicento Judit, and Kathleen Joyce. May they exult with you in heaven.

Lord, hear us. **Lord , hear our prayer**

Reader: We pray for our own individual intentions(pause).

Lord, hear us. **Lord , hear our prayer**

Fr Thomas: **Loving Father, you renew us with healing grace. Hear our prayers and guide us in our Christian lives as we seek true faith and devotion to you. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**