

## General Intentions

June 9, 2019

For the Church: that we may be empowered by the Spirit to continue the mission of Jesus in bringing hope to the burdened, freedom and forgiveness to sinners, and new life to all who long for a new beginning.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For a flourishing of the fruits of the Spirit: that we may manifest love, joy, peace, patience, and all the fruits of the Spirit in our lives.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For a Spirit of unity in the human family: that God will destroy all the divisions that separate peoples, help us recognize one another as sisters and brothers, and guide us in working together against evil.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For a Spirit of justice in the world: that those who are poor, who have experienced abuse, or who are refugees may know freedom, relief from oppression, and their dignity as daughters and sons of God.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all who are recovering from tornadoes and floods: that God will give them strength, renew their spirits, and guide them in restoring their lives.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For the Spirit of healing: that God will touch all who are burdened with illness or injury, renew their lives, and restore them to wholeness.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For our loved ones who have died, especially Celeste Ciapala (Sea-ah-pela) and Thora Morris: that they may live in the embracing love of God for all eternity.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**