

General Intentions
December 02, 2018

For the Church: that we may live in the awareness of God's presence with us today and look to the future with childlike expectancy for the fulfillment of God's promises.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For the gift of patience: that God will teach us how to wait and allow God's plan to unfold in our lives and our relationships **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For strength and peace in the face of suffering: that God will plant the divine Word of hope deep in our hearts and give us the strength to remain faithful even when tragedy and suffering enter our lives.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all whose hopes are unfulfilled and whose dreams are dying: that God will inspire them with a new vision and a new opportunity to use their gifts to build up the human community.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For a renewed dedication to social justice: that God will strengthen our hearts, help us be aware of the pain of injustice, and guide us in bringing healing, justice and peace to all who suffer.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all who are ill: that they may know God's healing presence and entrust themselves to God's loving care. **Let us pray to the Lord.**

For all who have died, especially Tony Gilbert, Robert and Albert Henley, Bob, Helen, Alberta, Mary Rose, and Florence Henley: that God will welcome them into the peace and joy of the heavenly banquet. **Let us pray to the Lord.**