

Saint Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church, Ojai, CA

Prayer of the Faithful for Sunday 5/7/2017

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Presider

The Good Shepherd does not allow the sheep to wander in harm's way. Knowing we will be heard, let us pray with confidence.

Deacon / Lector

1. For the Lord's flock and for its pastors, that they always reflect the Lord's deep love. We pray to the Lord.
2. For the people of every nation, that they live their lives with courage and find true peace. We pray to the Lord.
3. For those called to religious vocations and for all those called to minister in the world, that they respond with generous hearts to the Lord's voice. We pray to the Lord.
4. For those who feel lost and abandoned, that they enjoy the nurturing love and support of the Good Shepherd. We pray to the Lord.
5. For the members of this assembly, that we hear the call of our Shepherd and help one another to enter through His gate to eternal life. We pray to the Lord.
6. **(5:00 p.m.)** For the special intention for the peaceful repose of the soul of Greg Guy for whom this Eucharist is offered. We pray to the Lord.
(7:30 a.m.) For the special intention for the entire Saint Thomas Aquinas parish community for whom this Eucharist is offered. We pray to the Lord.
(9:30 a.m.) For the special intention for healing for Tom Lansing for whom this Eucharist is offered. We pray to the Lord.
7. For the prayers on our parish prayer line, especially for healing for John and Sharon Cline; Tony Otto & Michele Balaban; the prayers in our book of intentions, and the prayers that we hold in the silence of our heart. [pause] We pray to the Lord.

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Generous God, you know us each by name. Hear our prayers and let your Holy Spirit fill our hearts. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.