

# Saint Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church, Ojai, CA

## Prayer of the Faithful for Sunday 2/12/2017

### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Presider

God knows the desire of our hearts and hears our prayers.

#### Deacon / Lector

1. For all who shepherd the Church, heeding God's will and seeking the power to carry it out. We pray to the Lord.
2. For all who strive to observe and teach the decrees of the Lord. We pray to the Lord.
3. For all who strive to be faithful servants, sharing the good news of the Gospel. We pray to the Lord.
4. For all who ardently search for wisdom and truth. We pray to the Lord.
5. That we chose to be generous with the gifts that God has given us. And may we open our hearts to serve our brothers and sisters in need through our contributions to the year's Together in Mission appeal. We pray to the Lord.
6. **(5:00 p.m.)** For the special intention for the peaceful repose of the soul of Jim Kerwin 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 the peaceful repose of the soul of Sam Miller for whom this Eucharist is offered. We pray to the Lord.
7. For the prayers on our parish prayer line, especially for Bonnie Patton, James Fontanella and Terri Ashbrook, 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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God, you who understands our every need, hear the prayers of all your faithful gathered here. We ask this through Christ our Lord.