

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11th February 2018

Priest

Christ calls each of us by name. We listen to what he has to say, and we ask for his help as we pray:-

Reader

For the Church and its leaders and all who follow Christ that they may keep their Faith and encourage others to do so by their example. *Lord hear us.*

For peace in Syria, Afghanistan, the Middle East and Africa. We pray for all the Agencies who are trying to bring help to these areas, and in particular CAFOD. *Lord hear us.*

For the sick and the housebound and those who care for them. *Lord hear us.*

We ask for forgiveness for the wrongs we have done to others. Help us to live in peace with each other in our homes, work places and neighbourhoods. *Lord hear us.*

For the clergy and people of St Thomas of Canterbury Church in Fairford, we join together in prayer this weekend. We also pray for our partnership of St George's & St Teresa's and the other churches in the Taunton area. *Lord hear us.*

For those that have died recently especially: Monique Lyons,; that they may rest in peace and those who mourn, be comforted. *Lord hear us*

We ask *Mary*, "*Queen assumed into heaven*", to intercede for us as we say:

"Hail Mary"

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Heavenly Father, you know our needs before we even begin to think of them. Hear the prayers we bring to you today, for ourselves and for all our brothers and sisters in need, through Christ our Lord. Amen.