

*We are invited to serve the needs of all, but we require God's assistance. Let us turn our hearts to God, asking for help in our need, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.***

That Todd our bishop, Robert our Rector, Tom and Stephanie our deacons, and all the leaders of the church will freely serve the faithful, without preference to rank or authority, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That among all the peoples of the world service will take precedence over authority, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That the many peoples of the world will serve the needs of others and will comfort the anxieties of all, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That we remember that we gather on the ancestral hunting grounds of the Anishinabe (a-nish-nah-bay), Attawandron, and Haudenosaunee (hoe-den-a-show-nee) people, the territory of the Dish With One Spoon Covenant and Huron Tract Treaty and in remembering seek to build relationships of respect and dignity with indigenous people, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That the victims of oppression, abuse, or neglect will discover the peace of God through others' assistance, prayer, and presence, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That all who suffer and all in need of our prayers especially ***Nikki, Rob, Bill, Elaine, Richard, Emily, Ted, Olivia, Erwin, Kellie, Joan,Carolynn, Linda, Rodger, Ellen, James, Dennis, Lachlan, Sarah, Jeffrey, Celal, Deborah, Toby, Maggie, Beryl, Pat, Nancy, Ev and Graham*** will know the power of God, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That the community gathered here will nourish others, sustained by the nourishment of the word and the table of the Lord, we pray to the Lord. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

That those who celebrate, especially *Duncan McIssac, Peter Ellis, Phil Guest, Reece Douglas and Tanya Phibbs* will share their joy and celebration with all those they encounter, we pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

God of justice, Lord of love, send your Spirit to dwell within us and sustain our efforts of service; we ask this in Jesus' name, who lives forever and ever.