

5th Sunday in Lent

*In our baptism we have been called to rise from the dead and to live with Christ in the Spirit of God. Bonded to the whole people of God in baptism, let us pray for the church and for all the people in their need, saying: **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For the unity of the scattered people of God, for the Anglican communion and its witness to Christ, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For all who lead the church, for Todd our bishop, Robert, Tanya, and Tianna our priests, Tom and Stephanie our deacons, for the wardens and council of this congregation and for all the baptized in their Lenten pilgrimage, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For those preparing for baptismal death and resurrection, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For the leaders of the nations, and for peace throughout the world, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For all who suffer, for all the dying, for all those in need of our prayers especially **Rob, Beulah, Andrea, Heather, Mary Louise, Hadley, Thelma, Elizabeth, Sandra and Harold**, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*For those whose burden is too deep for words, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*In thanksgiving for **Reta and Spencer Doherty**, for all the faithful departed, for saints and martyrs, and all who are heirs of Christ's suffering and glory, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord hear our prayer.***

*O God, in the waters of baptism you rescue our lives from death and make us your children. Into your hands we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.***