

Prayers of Intercession (Prayers of the Faithful)

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>>Please add “and for their caregivers”:

--when praying during Mass for members of the parish who are ill

--when listing sick members’ names in the parish bulletin.

Sunday, June 1, Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 11:18, 26-28, 32/Rom 3:21-25, 28/Mt 7:21-27

For family caregivers who, day after day, are listening to the word of God and acting on it,

we pray to the Lord.

Sunday, June 8, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

For parents taking care of a child with special needs: May they feel the reviving presence of the Holy Spirit in their homes like the spring rains that water the earth,

we pray to the Lord.

Hos 6:3-6/Rom 4:18-25/Mt 9:9-13

Sunday, June 15, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

For all fathers: for those who give care and those who now receive it,

we pray to the Lord.

Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8

Sunday, June 22, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

For the long-distance caregivers in our parish: May they be comforted knowing that their loving acts of service are seen and blessed by our Heavenly Father,

we pray to the Lord.

Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

Sunday, June 29, St. Peter and St. Paul, Apostles

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 (590)

Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

That like the apostles Peter and Paul, family caregivers will continue to have the courage to follow Christ as he calls them to new and unfamiliar territory,

we pray to the Lord.