

## Prayers for the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 5, 2017

### PENITENTIAL ACT

Lord Jesus, you call us to be the salt of the earth: Lord, have mercy.

Christ Jesus, you call us to be the light of the world: Christ, have mercy.

Lord Jesus, you call us to be a city set on a mountain: Lord, have mercy.

### PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

**Presider:** My friends, let us pray now that Christ's light may shine through us for the whole world.

**Lector:** For the all baptized Christians: that we may live as salt and light for others...we pray,

- For those who sit in the darkness of poverty, violence, war or injustice, for refugees...we pray,
- For those whose light has dimmed, who need support to live as Christ's disciples...we pray,
- For those who will not let the light of others shine...we pray,
- For those held captive by the internal darkness of doubt, depression, lack of faith or self-worth...we pray,
- For individuals and organizations whose work is to bring light to others or zest to their lives...we pray,
- For the ministers of our diocese and our parish: that they may truly be light for others...we pray,
- For the students, faculty and staff of Corpus Christi school, that they may be strengthened to be light for all they encounter in the world.... We pray,
- For those who are surrounded by the darkness of illness or grief; and for those who have died...*(including)*...we pray,

### Saturday/Sábado, February 4, 2017

5:00 pm † All Souls

### Sunday/Domingo, February 5, 2017

8:30 am For the People [Skip intention...Do not read including]

10:30 am † Maria Arenas

12:30 pm † deceased members of St. Francis de Sales

**Presider:** God who guides us, you call your people to show your endless love to others. Give us the courage to live as we are called and to reflect your light to those who sit in darkness. We ask this in the name of Jesus, who showed us how to be light for others. Amen.