

## Prayers for the 7th Sunday of Easter – May 28, 2017

### PENITENTIAL ACT

Lord Jesus, you gave God's words to your followers: Lord, have mercy.

Christ Jesus, you prayed for them as you left this world: Christ, have mercy.

Lord Jesus, you called them and us to continue your work: Lord, have mercy.

### PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

**Presider** My friends, let us pray for the courage to live in our challenging world.

**Lector** For the whole church: for the courage to live our faith when we experience doubt ... we pray,

- For those seeking to understand their mission as followers of Christ ... we pray,
- For peace throughout the world, especially for those forced to flee their country of origin for religious or political reasons ... we pray,
- For those who believe that living authentic Christian lives is easy or painless ... we pray,
- For those responsible for shaping the faith of others: for parents, pastors, catechists, and spiritual guides ... we pray,
- For doubting Christians who experience guilt or feel they have no one to support them ... we pray,
- For those preparing for marriage, for the newly married, and for those struggling in their marriage ... we pray,
- On this Memorial Day weekend, we pray for those who lost their lives in war, for those in danger today, and for their families and friends ... we pray,
- For all who are in any kind of need, especially the poor, the sick and the dying; and for those who have died ... *(including)* ... we pray,

### Saturday/Sábado, May 27, 2017

5:00 pm For the People [Skip intention.. Do not read including]

### Sunday/Domingo, May 28, 2017

8:30 am † Maria Huynh (pronounced Win)

10:30 am † Mau Nguyen (pronounced Win)

12:30 pm Mariano y Esteban Villafuerte

**Presider** Gracious God, you are our light, our salvation, and the source of our courage. Make us strong disciples of Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.