## PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

We now bring our prayers to God, whose care of all creation has been shown to us in the life and ministry of Jesus of Nazareth.

- 1. Through the power of Jesus, we pray that all the students of our Catholic Schools will be enabled to develop their full potential as human beings made in the image and likeness of God and become people who experience life in all its fullness. Lord Hear Us
- 2. St. Brigid was always generous to those who were in need. May we follow her example in how we respond to the needs of others. Lord hear us
- 3. We pray with gratitude, for all the teachers in our Catholic Schools. May they, in their work, continue to combine the authority and compassion of Jesus. Lord Hear Us
- 4. We give thanks for all those who, like St. Brigid, exercise a ministry of healing- in home or hospital, in our parish and in our society. Lord Hear Us
- 5. We pray that each person married, single, widowed or celibate may give themselves to the affairs of God by the way they live their lives. Lord Hear Us
- 6. We pray for those who have died. May the Lord lead them by the hand to the place of perfect peace. Lord Hear Us

Father, we pray to you through the presence of the risen Jesus who frees us from all evil and oppression, hear us and grant us what we ask in his name. Amen