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* We pray for the Church, God's vineyard, tended faithfully by our Holy Father, our bishops and priests: that it may bear an abundant harvest of grace and holiness.

We pray for world leaders: that they may follow what is true, honorable, just, and worthy of praise, especially in the area of human life and dignity, so that there may be peace.

- * In this Respect Life Month, we pray that the Church's post-abortion healing ministry will reach out to those suffering after abortion, helping them find peace in God's limitless mercy.
- * We pray for all who are suffering: that the Church may help them with her prayers, and relieve them of anxiety with her love, so that God's peace may stand guard over their hearts in Christ Jesus.

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We pray for greater reverence of the lives of those in advanced in years, and of those dealing with disabilities and infirmities. May God's Spirit of comfort be with them through their trials, and may that same Spirit guide those who provide care, assistance, and affirmation to these individuals.

* We pray for our faithful departed ones: that through this Holy Sacrifice their purification may be quickly accomplished, and they may be welcomed into the kingdom of heaven...

...and for

5:00	Brennen and Finley Bereda
8:30	William Ty Cobb
	Ely Gillespie – Georgia Bender – and
	Joseph Gaertner

...for whom this Mass is offered.

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Intercessions for Baptism

Give this child new birth in Baptism through the radiant divine mystery of your Death and Resurrection, and join **him/her** to your holy Church.

Make **him/her** a faithful disciple and witness to your Gospel through Baptism and Confirmation.

Lead **him/her** through holiness of life to the joys of the heavenly kingdom.

Make **his/her** parents and godparents a shining example of the faith to this child, and keep their family always in your love.

Renew the grace of baptism in each of us.

Continue with petitions marked *