UNIVERSAL PRAYER

PRIEST: My brothers and sisters, we are gathered to celebrate the mystery of our salvation in Jesus Christ. Let us ask God our Father to open for all the world this fountain of life and blessing.

- **For all who have dedicated themselves to God: that He will help them to be faithful to their promise, we pray to the LORD.**

- **For peace among nations: that God may rid the world of violence, and let us serve Him in freedom, we pray to the LORD.**

- **For the aged who suffer from loneliness and infirmity: that we will sustain them by our love, we pray to the LORD.**

- **For all of us gathered here: that God will teach us to use wisely the good things He has given us, that they will lead us closer to Him and to the eternal blessings He promises, we pray to the LORD.**

- **For all who have died and gone before us in the faith of Christ: that they may enjoy the peace of God's Kingdom. In a special way, today, we remember:**

4:00 Robert Moreau
8:00 Paul Durocher
10:30 Gary Racicot
5:30 Gilles Cournoyer

...we pray to the LORD.

- **For all of our shut-ins and those who are sick and for all those intentions we now offer from the silence of our hearts (PAUSE), we pray to the LORD.**

PRIEST: Father, hear the prayers of your people. Give us what you have inspired us to ask you in faith. Through Christ our LORD. Amen.