**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**August 2, 2020**

For our Church, for all Christians, and all people of faith:   
that we may turn to God to fulfill the deepest hungers of our hearts.  
We pray to the Lord…

For greater cooperation among government leaders,   
especially in their efforts to end the pandemic,  
and for peace throughout the world.

We pray to the Lord…

For those who aspire to public office,  
that they may seek not to be served   
but to serve the needs of the people,  
especially those who are most vulnerable.

We pray to the Lord…

For all workers and employers,  
for those seeking employment and those will train them,  
that all may participate fully in the life of the human community.  
We pray to the Lord…

For all who have asked us to pray for them:   
that all may experience the providence of our loving God.  
We pray to the Lord…

For those who have died; especially **Jeff Adkisson**,

and for all who mourn the loss their loved ones.

We pray to the Lord…