**Sixth Sunday of Easter**

**May 9, 2021**

For the Church:
that we may serve God,
and all our sisters and brothers, with joy.
We pray to the Lord.

For peace throughout the world,
for recognition of the dignity of every person
and for the restoration of human rights
to those who live under oppression,
especially the people of Myanmar.

We pray to the Lord.

For all who risk their health and their lives
in service to their neighbors;
for health care workers and first responders,
and for all who provide for our daily needs.
We pray to the Lord.

For all who are suffering from illness, anxiety,
and loss of employment,
that they will receive Christ’s gift of peace.
We pray to the Lord.

For our mothers, and for all who have shown us a mother’s love; with gratitude for their self-giving,
we pray to the Lord.

For eternal peace for all who have died;
for comfort and healing for all who grieve,
especially for mothers who have lost their children.

We pray to the Lord…