

**Universal Prayer**  
**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**October 14 & 15**

As our world continues to be ridden with violence and strife, we pray that all members of the Church will radiate Christ's message of unity and love, and commit to sanctifying the world by inviting all people to God's banquet.

We pray for the brave men and women of our military who are currently deployed serving our country, for the service of our nation's many veterans, and for an end to war and violence throughout the world.

We pray that the poor, sick, and suffering will know the peace and consolation of Christ, especially those struggling with depression, anxiety, and any form of mental illness.

In this Respect Life Month, we pray for parents placing their children for adoption. May they be uplifted and affirmed by their family and friends as they commit to this difficult pro-life decision.

We pray for the success of our upcoming Men's Renewal Weekend. May the Holy Spirit stir the desire in the men of our parish to encounter Christ and deepen their faith on this retreat.

We pray that all the souls of the faithful departed will partake in the Eternal Banquet with Jesus Christ...

**5:00** ...and for **Sylvia Ritzel - and - Clete Schwaegel** who are remembered in this Mass.

**8:30** ...and for **Kevin Banker - and - Lee, Dorothy, Jim and Steve Strayhorn** who are remembered in this Mass.

**10:30** ...and for **Brad and Mandy Titze** who are remembered in this Mass.