



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH LITURGY ON THIS 5th SUNDAY OF EASTER.

THE PRESIDER IS

SATURDAY:	4:45 pm	Fr. J. Sullivan, SJ
SUNDAY:	10:00 am	Fr. J. Sullivan, SJ

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Our response: Lord, hear our prayer.

For the church, the people of God, called not only to teach but to live out Jesus' new commandment to love one another, we pray to the Lord.

For world leaders, that they will constantly work for that day when all the world's peoples may enjoy security, peace and a decent standard of living, we pray to the Lord.

For our country, that we choose to study how best to co-create an ecological civilization and take action based on our findings, we pray to the Lord.

For our girls and boys who will be receiving the sacrament of First Communion this weekend, for their families and friends and all who have helped them prepare for this sacrament, we pray to the Lord.

For the sick, especially, Trinity Anne Ellsworth, Ann Aylward, Edita Bosak,

that they may draw strength from knowing that God is always with them in their troubles, we pray to the Lord.

For all who have died, especially, Gerald White, Jr., Carl Guiney, Robert Jamieson,

for those who have suffered a loss unknown to others, for those who have died alone and for those whose anniversary of death occurs in the coming week, we pray to the Lord.

For our parish faith community, that with God's blessing, we will also be vibrant, welcoming, engaging and supportive to all who need us, as we extend the work of spiritual renewal in our parish, St. Pius X pray for us, St. Ignatius Loyola pray for us, St. John the Baptist, pray for us, we pray to the Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Attached to this weekend's bulletin is a letter from the St. John's Central Steering Committee pertaining to the latest proposal from the Basilica Heritage Foundation. Limited copies of this letter are on the table at the Church entrance.
2. Included in this weekend's bulletin is an article written by **Dr. Michael Bautista**, entitled "**What Really Matters? Consolation is the Answer to Move Forward**". This was posted to igNatian.ca this past week.
3. A **12 Hour Prayer Vigil** will be held at **St. Pius X Church** this **Thursday, May 19, 12:00 noon - 12:00 midnight**. All are welcome to attend.