

**PRIEST**

**Our Lord Jesus Christ is the Bread of Life. We pray that he will continue to nourish the Church and the world.**

**READER**

**The response to Father, keep us one is: in the Body of Christ.**

Let us pray for all the members of the Church ... that we may truly live as the Body of Christ, sharing his life with our families, our friends, our community ... In our deanery prayer, we remember Fr Coyne and the Parish of Our Lady of Dolours, Kersal ...

**Father, keep us one: in the Body of Christ.**

Let us pray that we will come to appreciate ever more deeply the presence of Our Lord in this Sacrament ...

**Father, keep us one: in the Body of Christ.**

We pray for the children of our parish and diocese, preparing to make their first Holy Communion ... that their families will help them to be faithful disciples of Our Lord ...

**Father, keep us one: in the Body of Christ.**

We pray for all who suffer through physical or mental illness ... we pray especially for the victims of war and the current pandemic ... that this great Sacrament will be an instrument of peace for the whole world ...

And for those among us who are sick: JOHN MIZSEI; TONY SMITH; NORA GERAGHTY; JAMES ARNOLD; MARGARET NOONAN; ROXINE CALOW; CATHERINE BRAZENDALE; DAVID YOUNG; DEBORAH HANNAY; TERRY KERRIGAN; ENID McARDLE; AND THE SICK PRIESTS OF THE DIOCESE;

**Father, keep us one: in the Body of Christ.**

For all our dear ones who have died recently:

LOIS LONG; ELIZABETH TONG;

And those who have died at this time in other years:

DAVID FORBES-SANDIFORD; KATH McLOUGHLIN; MICHAEL O'BEIRNE; MARGARET MOONEY; JAMES HANLEY; FR MAURICE MURPHY; FR FRANCIS BROWN; FR RICHARD O'CONNOR; MGR BRENDAN TRAVERS;

That through their sharing in the Eucharist they will live with Christ forever ...

**Father, keep us one: in the Body of Christ.**

We pray to our Blessed Mother Mary, who gave her Son his human body:

**Hail, Mary ...**

Let us pray for a moment for any special intentions we may have.

**PRIEST**

**Almighty and eternal God, our refuge in every danger,  
to whom we turn in our distress,  
in faith we ask for an end of the pandemic afflicting the world:  
and we pray: look with compassion on the afflicted,  
grant eternal rest to the dead, comfort to mourners,  
healing to the sick, peace to the dying,  
strength to healthcare workers, wisdom to our leaders  
and the courage to reach out to all in love,  
so that together we may give glory to your holy name.  
Through Christ Our Lord.**